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THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 27, 1906.

Reproducing The Observer's remarks upon its recent editorial on the subject of "Journalistic Amenities."

That's the sweetest poem we have ever seen in The Observer's columns. It beats Rocky River.

Contemporary, we abdicate! Here's your invitation to the pink tea.

The President is backing up the cabinet member candidates splendidly. In the dealing out of important assignments, Secretary Shaw probably thinks his is the best, because the people in his territory can vote for presidential candidates.

The Honorable Mr. Gompers announces that he is on the war path again, this time in Illinois, and he confidently expects to have the Honorable Mr. Cannon's scalp dangling from his belt before he buries the hatchet.

Mrs. Hetty Green is reported to have gone to a theatre a few nights ago and on being told that the seats were \$5 each asked if there were one seats "for half a dollar, where one could see just as well."

The Georgian is launching a crusade against post-midnight banquets. Let them begin at 6.30, it says, and close not later than 11.30.

There is a disposition in Washington to suppress the ringing of the church bells on Sunday morning, on the ground that the noise they make seriously disturbs the quiet of the community.

We too are "agin" it. The clear voiced bell that summons the people from their worldly cares to the house of worship is one of the most beautiful and impressive features of the day, and closely woven in with childhood memories.

The "Greater Washington Exposition Special," which was visited by many Charlotte people during its stay here yesterday, embodies some unique ideas in the way of advertising a city.

Those who are not optimistic about the growth of free and independent thought in this country are referred to the facts that Mr. J. K. Jones differs from Mr. Bryan on the government ownership of railroads and that Jacob Hill, a Roosevelt worshiper of long standing has pronounced the reformed spelling to be "horrible."

From the fuss raised by Comptroller Ridgely over the spelling of his title, it's a fair inference that he's proud of his job. Apparently he sets as much store by his "map" as would a British lord.

WHAT NEW YORK DID.

An convention assembled at Saratoga yesterday the Republicans of New York nominated Charles F. Hughes as their gubernatorial candidate, the man who came into prominence recently as attorney for the Armstrong insurance investigating committee.

The nomination of Mr. Hughes, it seems, came as a surprise, as it was conceded that a majority of the delegates favored Lieut. Governor Bruce.

It has been whispered about for some days that President Roosevelt favored the candidacy of Mr. Hughes, and therein, doubtless, lies the secret. The Republicans have a virile, progressive standard-bearer, who will, doubtless, make more than a ripple on the surface.

In strong contrast to the work of the Republican convention, stands out the accomplishment of the Democrats, who, in labor for the greater part of two days, brought forth—Hearst.

The atmosphere of the convention is tainted through and through with falsehood, treachery and deceit. Nearly every man seems to have his price and that it is being paid is an open secret.

WASHINGTON'S ADVICE SOUND. "If a sandwich is refused a colored man at a railroad station restaurant," says Booker Washington, "it gets more space in the newspapers than if that same colored man had successfully founded a bank."

"Of course Roosevelt will accept. He can't get away from it," declared Governor Hoch, of Kansas, referring to the nomination for the presidency in 1908.

Mr. Bruce Craven has been elected editor and Mr. J. B. Whitaker, Jr., business manager of The Winston-Salem Journal, and have entered upon their duties.

Accidents Retarded Work of Congressmen Burton and Party of Columbians in Investigation of Congaree River.

CONGRESSMAN BURTON AND PARTY OF COLUMBIANS IN INVESTIGATION OF CONGAREE RIVER.

AN ACCIDENTAL SUICIDE.

EDWARD ROACH THE VICTIM. While Handling a Revolver, Master Edward Roach, Son of Mrs. Rowena Roach, Shot Himself.

Master Edward Roach accidentally shot and almost instantly killed himself at the home of his mother, Mrs. Rowena Roach, at No. 504 East Avenue, last evening about 8 o'clock.

The shot attracted Mrs. Roach, Miss Chambers and several neighbors. Miss Chambers reached the head of the door and found the young man stagger across the threshold of the door and fall inside and to hear him exclaim, "Oh, I'm killed."

Several physicians arrived at the home within a few minutes, but they realized at once that the shot was fatal, the bullet having entered the abdomen and severed an artery.

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ON TRIAL FOR HIS LIFE. Henry Seay, of Spartanburg, to Answer for Murder of Brother-in-Law—Mrs. Hoburn's Assaults to be Tried.

SPARTANBURG, S. C., Sept. 26.—Henry Seay, a member of the fire department, who shot and killed his brother-in-law, Charles Ravan, several days ago, will be tried for his life in Session's Court beginning Saturday morning.

THIRYING DAY WITH BOATS. Accidents Retarded Work of Congressmen Burton and Party of Columbians in Investigation of Congaree River.

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READ TO ALL GOOD IN LIFE.

Has Not Wanted Now Tested a Drop of Alcohol Since He Took the Keeley Cure.

It has been fifteen months since I took the Keeley Treatment at Greensboro, N. C. Since that time I have not tasted or wanted a drop of anything in the nature of alcohol.

IN MEMORY OF JOHN KING. Robinson's Circus Performers Hold Services Over Trainer Who Was Killed by an Elephant Here More Than 25 Years Ago.

THE LABOR PROBLEM IN THE SOUTH. Washington Post.

PEOPLE'S COLUMN. The American District Telegraph Company delivers packages, parcels, notes, invitations, furnishes messengers for errand service at a very small cost.

THE HON. KIMSEY O. HUSKY DEFEATED AGAIN. Newberry Observer.

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WANTED. WANTED—Lady stenographer for music home. Must be competent, neat, able to play piano and willing to keep up latest music department and wait on customers.

WANTED. WANTED—By young married couple, house and ready to private family. Address, Box 4, City.

THE OBSERVER'S COLUMN.

WANTED. WANTED—Young lady to learn the drug business. Write to "D. D. S." care Observer.

WANTED. WANTED—Position by good all-round printer. Address, A. O. H. care Observer.

WANTED. WANTED—By couple about Nov. 10th, one or two rooms furnished or unfurnished, good location, with board, where can get convenient board. Box 59.

WANTED. WANTED—One or two experienced orphans; active hunters. Address, Box 24, Durham, N. C. Give age and references.

WANTED. WANTED—Good boy with wheel for special delivery packages. Errand boy, assistant wrapper, etc. Good place with good pay for the right boy. Apply in person. The Bee-Hive, Department Store.

WANTED. WANTED—Carpenters for house work in the Ozone Belt of Louisiana. Steady work for a year for good men. Good wages. Ray Street, No. 12. Address, Stevenson & Adams, Bogalusa, Lees Creek Postoffice, La.

WANTED. WANTED—To purchase in Piedmont or Western North Carolina, in live town of 1000 to 2000, good established paying place. One or two newspapers. Must be backed up by good outlying territory. No "graffers" need answer. I mean business. Address "Buncombe," care Observer.

WANTED. WANTED—An office boy, between 15 and 18 years of age. Address, "Huntley," care Observer.

WANTED. WANTED—Colored janitor at Presbyterian College. References required.

The Little-Long Co. BLANKETS.

Big Blanket Sale Friday.

Tryon Street Store, Friday, 28th, 9 A. M., we put on sale a big job of North Carolina Wool Blankets.

Lot No. 1. 10-4 and 11-4, different color borders, price the pair \$2.19.

Lot No. 2. 10-4 and 11-4, some damaged and others only slightly soiled, price the pair \$2.98.

Lot No. 3. 11-4 and 12-4, these are elegant values. If you want a bargain don't miss this lot. Price the pair \$3.98.

Cotton Blankets. Fancy Cotton Blankets, Plaid and Persian Effects, price the pair 85c.

Robe Blankets. New and attractive patterns in Robe Blankets, full size, price \$1.75 to \$3.00.

Crib Blankets. The most attractive line of Crib Blankets we have ever shown. Price from 60c to \$3.00.

Crib Quilts. Another shipment of those beautiful Crib Quilts, different sizes, price 85c and \$1.50.

White Quilts. Imported White Satin Damask Quilts, new, up to date patterns, fringed and cut corners. Price \$2.50, \$3.00, \$4.00, \$5.00, \$6.00, \$7.50 and \$8.00.

Table Linen. Special value in 2 yards wide Bleached Table Linen. We call your special attention to two numbers. No. 1 is a good value at \$1.25.

Linen Drawn Work. Bureau Scarfs, Table Covers, Pillow Shams, Etc. A complete line of all kinds of fancy drawn work—both machine and hand drawn work. Price from 25c to \$10.00.

The Little-Long Co. ASSAYING.