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WANTED—Position in bank. Three years' experience. Best references as to ability. Address Box 88, Marion, N. C.

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FOR SALE—Moving picture outfit, including 2 Edison machines, chairs, electric signs, curtains, ticket office and front; also electric piano. A great bargain to cash purchaser. Address 37 East Sixth street, Charlotte, N. C.

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FOR RENT—The second and third floors First National Bank Building. Suitable for office or residence. Possession February 1st, 1909. John F. Orr, Cashier.

LOST.

LOST—Purse, containing Shrine card, private papers, currency, etc. Reward. J. O. Walker.

LOST—Lady's gold watch, double case with gold fob, Saturday night on Ramson Place or East Morehead St. Return to 309 E. Morehead St.

MISCELLANEOUS.

SEND US your dyeing and cleaning. Queen City Dyeing & Cleaning Works.

FOR PROMPT baggage transfer service telephone 680 or 875-J. City Transfer Co.

$3,500 STOCK of dry goods, shoes and gent's furnishing in as good little town as there is in North Carolina. Nice, clean stock. Will sell at once. Good reason for selling. Apply The W. B. Lee Co., Hamlet, N. C.

LENOIR LIVERY COMPANY have dissolved partnership. For good teams and experienced drivers call on T. L. Nelson, Gen. Mgr. Blowing Rock Line. Stables near depot. I would buy at the right price a good 8-passenger wagonette, rubber tire on rear wheels. T. L. Nelson, Lenoir, N. C.

NOTICE—Notice is hereby given, that a semi-annual dividend of 3½ per cent. has been declared and will be paid to the stockholders of record of the N. C. Railroad Company on February 1st, 1909, and notice is further given that the stock transfer books will be closed for 10 days next preceding February 1st, 1909. A. H. Eller, Secretary and Treasurer.

COUNTERFEITS DON'T PAY

IN THE REPUBLIC OF COLOMBIA

Because Bank Notes Are Worth Only About One One-Hundredth of Face Value in Exchange—Oddities Incidental to a Much Inflated Currency.

New York Sun.

Down in the Republic of Colombia in South America there is a sort of comic opera paper money. All told there is in circulation about a billion dollars worth of it, which is pretty good for a country whose population is 5,000,000, especially when it is remembered that many of these folks never saw a cent's worth of the money.

A sign in the streets reads: "Cerveza, $5 un Vasito." The hesitating tourist reads it out: "Beer, $5 a glass." Then he wonders what sort of enormously wealthy country he has struck for his misfortunes and begins to believe that the old tales of the Spanish days didn't exaggerate in the least.

Unless the little word "oro," meaning gold, follows any statement about money the tourist should divide by 100. Five dollars without this qualification means five cents. Cabs at $100 or $120 an hour mean civilized rates of $1 to $1.20.

In the billiard parlor paying $50 an hour isn't as extravagant as it seems when it is divided by 100. Also, reducing the sum total of paper money to its value in gold it comes to $10,000,000, which is more in keeping with the size of the country.

It all began some years ago when Colombia was solvent. Then the money was worth what the face value declared it to be. When the first of a long series of revolutions of recent times came on the government ran shy of money in the treasury.

A report to that effect by the Treasurer got the reply: "Print some more." It is like the shares of a fake gold mining concern. There are bound to be plenty as long as the printing presses hold out. They kept on printing the money until eventually there was so much that the value fell to about 200 to 1. That is if a man had a bank note of 100 pesos it was worth just 50 cents in real money.

Even now the same fatal facility in printing money exists, but the present government has set to work to make the money worth more nearly what it calls for. Some day it may return to its face value.

The Colombians have no confidence in their own paper. They avoid taking it in exchange for gold, if possible. A draft on England or the United States, payable in gold, circulates practically as real money.

It changes from one hand to another with indorsements multiplying, until finally it is necessary to add an extra slip of paper to carry the surplus of names. The owner doesn't want to cash it in for the paper money, because the exchange varies so from day to day that he may lose money by changing.

In Colombia the morning greeting of merchants isn't "How are you?" but, "How is exchange?" Some days a gold dollar is worth 100 pesos, other days it may be up to 195. Then, again, it may fall under 100, but it hasn't done that recently.

An English mining company recently wanted to get a draft for 6,000 pounds cashed. That meant $30,000 gold or $3,000,000 paper money. The draft was presented at the Banco Central.

The bank had to do some tall scratching to get together this sum. The mining company got a request not long after that to be good enough thereafter to give about a month's notice when it wanted any such sum of money. One of the men in the company said he had an idea that another such request would mean that the government would have to cable to England, where the money is printed now, to have the printers run off a lot of the stuff. The company had to have the native money to pay off its helpers, otherwise it would have been very loath to let so much gold go.

It is a country where counterfeiting would naturally be supposed to be one of the lost arts. When the government made its own money instead of having it printed abroad whatever counterfeits there were were so much better made than the government money that they passed current very readily. Every one recognized them as counterfeits, but few persons cared; they were much better engraved than the government money.

There is a story told about a zealous customs officer who one day detected a large quantity of counterfeit money being brought in by a man who came from Germany. He seized the lot and wired to Bogota to the central government to know what he should do. He was rather surprised to get back a rush answer that he should let the money come in. The government was willing to welcome a lot of well made money without paying for it.

It takes a lot of money to make a real sum. Travelers have to carry a big pocketful. For instance, a man going by steamer from Puerto Colombia to Santa Marta was standing at the rail on a windy day when his coattails blew aside. In a hip pocket was seen what is called a roll big enough to choke a cow. He had a lot of twenty-five peso bills laid out flat and tied with a cord about the middle.

"Gee, what a cinch for a pickpocket!" said a New Yorker who saw the exhibition of wealth.

"If a man bothered to steal that truck he'd be prosecuted for insanity," said a not too loyal Colombiano.

It makes an amusing sight to see one of the small Colombian children, without a stitch of clothing on, hurrying out of a house to a store with a bill of large denomination, possibly 100 pesos, clutched in a chocolate colored hand.

"It doesn't look safe to send a child out with so much money," said a kindly disposed American woman, catching sight of the "100" on the note. Then she got some information and added: "Well, even a dollar is a lot of money to let a child have."

In an office one day a man pointed to his valise standing open on the table.

"Look here," he said. "See what trust I have in my servants. It isn't every man who would dare go away and leave $2,500 lying in a bag that's open."

The listener gasped and went to look in the bag. Sure enough there was the equivalent of $25 worth of real money, as the foreigner soon gets to call anything that isn't paper.

Even in the matter of small coins the Colombianos keep up the deception. There is a piece made of lead chiefly, what is called "cocobola" money down there. There is marked "Five Pesos, p m." The "p m" means "papel moneda" and is to indicate that the supposed $5 is really worth five cents. If they marked the coin to read five cents gold it would be the right value. California with the "no coin smaller than a nickel" boast is quite outdone down in Colombia, where the peso is the smallest.

The entire South American continent is accustomed to eccentricities in the management of its financial concerns. For instance it is told of Uruguay that they have a very neat little device in discounting.

As almost every one knows, the gold dollar of the United States is not 100 per cent. gold. It couldn't very well be and still be a circulating medium. The Republic of Uruguay profited by that fact, which also is the case in all countries where there is a gold standard.

The gold dollar of Uruguay is a superfluous coin of such fineness that it is actually 100 per cent. gold. It does not circulate, except in the mind of the Treasurer of the country. Consequently every gold coin of every country is discounted in Uruguay against that wonderful imaginary piece of money.

Peru and some of the others have from time to time repudiated parts of their currency. Perhaps that is what Colombia yet may do.

"As matters stand," one resident said, "the money isn't pretty enough for wallpaper and it isn't of much use for anything else."

There is some remarkable gold money in circulation in Colombia. There are coins of Spanish Kings dating back to the seventeenth century. These are doubloons, which pass current at the value of $16. French and other gold also is to be found in Colombia. There is also a small amount of gold money of the republic in circulation. That is genuine and is worth what it purports to be. Most of the persons who get a chance at one of these coins are apt to bury it.

ORDER OF TRANSFER RECEIVED

Salisbury Infantry Company Now Formally Part of the Coast Artillery Corps—Negro Fined For Selling Cocaine—Mr. W. P. Rose to Locate in Oklahoma City as Architect—Brief Salisbury News Items.

Observer Bureau,
421 North Main Street,
Salisbury, Jan. 18.

Capt. Walter R. Cox has received general order No. 1 from the adjutant general transferring the local company from the First Infantry to the coast artillery corps, North Carolina National Guard. The company spent ten days at Fort Caswell last summer participating in the coast defense manoeuvres and was officially commended for the manner in which all duties were performed.

The State now has a corps of coast artillery composed of the Wilmington, Newbern, Greensboro and Salisbury companies, and the first military commission to be signed by Governor Kitchin was the one appointing Major Barker, of this city, as commander of this new force. Major Barker was captain of the Salisbury company at Fort Caswell last June and was promoted to major by Governor Glenn on the recommendation of the army officer in command of Fort Caswell.

The last Congress passed an appropriation to equip militia coast artillery armories with range finding apparatus, etc., and the company here will soon begin practice with these instruments. The corps is to be a militia reserve to the regular garrison at Fort Caswell and will have ten days in camp there every summer, receiving practical instruction in range-finding, ship-tracking, target practice with the coast defense guns, etc.

Captain Cox has just made requisition for a gallery target practice outfit, which is furnished by the War Department, and as soon as it arrives the company will take an indoor course in rifle practice.

James Hale, colored, was this afternoon fined $25 by Esquire D. M. Muller for selling cocaine to a colored woman, and on failure to pay was sent to the roads. During the trial it developed that whiskey was also sold at the restaurant and the proprietor, named Thompson, was arrested and will be tried to-morrow if he doesn't forfeit a $100 cash bond.

The committees on name and constitution and nominating of officers for the proposed charity organization have done their work and will report at a meeting of all interested in the movement, which meeting will be held Tuesday night in the court house.

Burton Craige, Esq., has gone to Rutherfordton, where, as special master, he will take testimony in the Broad River Lumber Company suit against J. Middleby, involving a large timber deal.

Mr. G. Ernest Julian has gone to Elm City, where to-morrow morning he is to be married to Miss Lucy Norville. The couple will come to Salisbury the latter part of the week.

Mr. C. G. Snider, secretary and treasurer of the Coca-Cola Bottling Works, has given up his position and will leave soon for his old home in West Virginia. Mr. Snider has been here four years and has many friends who are sorry to see him leave.

Mr. John W. Bostian, one of Salisbury's oldest and best-known salesmen, has moved to a farm near town and will try his luck farming.

Messrs. W. P. Rose, of Greensboro, and W. C. Maupin, of Salisbury, have returned from a trip to Oklahoma City. Mr. Rose decided to locate at that place and will return the first of next month and open a noffice as architect.

GRAND JURY AT WORK.

Over Two Hours Spent in Examining Witnesses at Washington, But Nothing is Given Out For Publication—Charles P. Taft Will Testify To-Day.

Washington, Jan. 18.—Although the Federal grand jury sat for about two hours here to-day, occupying all its time presumably in the examination of witnesses and evidence dealing with alleged libelous matter published in The New York World and The Indianapolis News concerning the purchase of the Panama canal rights from the French company, District Attorney Baker would give no information as to when the grand jury might be ready to make a report.

Charles P. Taft, brother of the President-elect, will appear to-morrow before the grand jury.

Delevan Smith, of The Indianapolis News, a cousin of Vice President Fairbanks, is to appear on Wednesday. R. L. Farnham, member of the law firm of William Nelson Cromwell, who was Mr. Cromwell's right-hand man in the negotiations which resulted in the purchase of the Panama canal by this government, arrived here to-day but he refused to discuss the matter.

Almost immediately after his arrival to-day Mr. Taft went to the White House, but after his interview with President Roosevelt, he said the Panama canal matter had not been the subject of the talk, it having been mentioned merely in a casual way.

Over $900,000 Contributed to Relief Fund.

Washington, Jan. 18.—The Italian relief fund of the American Red Cross Society to-day passed the $900,000 mark, $52,000 being the total of the day's contributions. Of this amount $26,000 came from the New York State branch, $12,000 from the Missouri branch and California's branch sent its regular daily $10,000 remittance.

A HORRIBLE HOLD-UP.

"About ten years ago my brother was held up in his work, health and happiness by what was believed to be hopeless Consumption," writes W. R. Lipscomb, of Washington, N. C. "He took all kinds of remedies and treatment from several doctors, but found no help till he used Dr. King's New Discovery and was wholly cured by six bottles. He is a well man to-day." It's quick to relieve and the surest cure for weak or sore lungs, Hemorrhages, Coughs and Colds, Bronchitis, La Grippe, Asthma and all Bronchial affections. 50c. and $1. Trial bottle free. Guranteed by W. L. Hand & Co.

AMUSEMENTS

"MADAME CALVE."

Calve, the incomparable, the world's greatest dramatic soprano, comes to the Academy of Music, Friday evening, January 29th.

The correspondent of The New York Herald has had an interview with Mme. Calve. He declares she is in excellent health and that there is not the slightest truth in the statement that her voice has been effected.

As a matter of fact, she is preparing for a five months' tour of the world, for which she has signed the contract with John Cort, "and I am looking forward," she told him, "to the greatest triumph of my lifetime. I am going to give the world another Calve," she continued, "a Calve whom they do not know. The first part of each of my concerts will be purely and severely classical. I shall sing Handel, Schubert, maybe Palestrina. I shall sing oratoric music, in a word, al the grand old melodies, religious and theatrical, which have stirred the hearts for centuries. And then in the second part I shall sing folksongs, the songs of England, of Ireland, of Scotland, the folksongs of Norway, Iceland or Sweden; the folksongs of Russia, of Spain, of Italy, or Germany and of Austria. Each song that I sing will be sung in its own language. I will not sing translations. You can imagine how hard I have been working. I have learned fifty or sixty songs, some of them in languages of which I know nothing. But I know the songs, you see. I have studied them word by word, and line by line. We singers have ears as well as voices, and we can catch an accent when we sing better than we speak than. For instance, I would hardly dare to you, an Englishman, to speak the title of 'Within a mile of Edinboro town,' yet listen when I sing the words to you, you do not hear that I was born in Madrid, do you?"

I certainly did not, for as she sang, Mme. Calve might well have been born within a mile of Edinboro town itself. Then came a verse of "Caller Herrin," and she was Calashiels incarnate. "Yes, I shall sing Scotch songs and Irish, and I shall try the hardest task of all, that of singing 'Home, Sweet Home' and 'The Last Rose of the Summer,' before English speaking audiences."

Manager Crovo, of the local playhouse, wishes to inform the music-lovers of this city and surrounding towns, that he will receive mail orders for seats from now on. It is expected that a capacity house will greet the famous star and her company when she appears here.

HEARST'S AGENT ARRESTED.

Governor Haskell, of Oklahoma, Charges Special Agent of the New York Publisher With Conspiracy to Defame the Governor—Valuable Papers Seized and Turned Over to the Court.

Guthrie, Okla., Jan. 18.—On a warrant sworn out by Governor Charles N. Haskell, charging conspiracy to defame the Governor, Scott MacReynolds, attorney and special agent for William R. Hearst, was arrested to-night. Armed with a search warrant, also sworn to by Governor Haskell, MacReynolds' rooms at the hotel were searched by Sheriff John Mahoney and Orville T. Smith, private attorney of the Governor.

Papers were seized. They are said to pertain to the $600,000 libel suit instituted by Governor Haskell against Mr. Hearst.

MacReynolds immediately demanded of the county court the whereabouts of his papers. They were found in the private office of the Governor. They were turned over to the court.

MacReynolds had collected a vast amount of data in confidence. To-night he declared Governor Haskell's purpose in obtaining his arrest was to obtain this information.

Governor Haskell said: "Mr. MacReynolds has been in the State almost constantly for nearly three months, at times assisted by one or two other men from the East and by a certain person from Ohio, and three or four people of our own State.

"Recently I learned that they were disappointed at not finding anything truthful to use against me, whereupon they began offering large sums of money to persons to aid in manufacturing false statements. In several instances, I am reliably advised, they have used the expression 'We have the money and are willing to give it to you if you will help us.'

"It is not Hearst alone, but there are other interested parties in the conspiracy, and with the main purpose of injuring me, they combined their efforts."

Claim sFlag Was Insulted.

Washington, Jan. 18.—Representative Hitchcock, of Nebraska, to-day introduced a resolution calling on the Secretary of State for any information he may have concerning an encounter in the city of Prague, Bohemia, on or about December 1st, last, between the police authorities and certain citizens bearing an American flag. It is claimed that after a struggle the police seized adn publicly tore the flag into strips and trampled it in the mud.

Mr. Hitchcock wants the Secretary to inform the House what steps have been taken to obtain apology or reparation for the insult to the flag, if such there was.

Moonshine Stills on the Increase.

Atlanta, Ga., Jan. 18.—An increase in the number of moonshine whiskey stills destroyed in Alabama, Florida and Georgia during the past six months was reported to-day by the United States internal revenue department here. Three hundred and ninety-seven illicit stills were destroyed in the three States and about 2,000 gallons of whiskey seized. Eighty per cent. of the stills destroyed were in Georgia.

First Wedding in Village in Eight Years.

London Standard.

For the first time in eight years the wedding bells rang yesterday after the morning service at the Parish church of Lindsell, Essex, which has been almost deserted owing to the dilapidation and decay of the cottages. Two laborers who have been waiting in this "Sweet Auburn" for cottages for some two years led their brides to the altar, and the few villagers left made the occasion a memorable one.

Rheumatism

This is often a disease of the blood, though not always. It attacks usually the joints and tissue and causes a deposit of uric acid. In its acute stage it is one of much pain and suffering, sometimes affecting a large part or even all the body. When near the heart it is dangerous to life. We are thankful to say there is a proper treatment—Dr. King's Sarsaparilla—internally, to eradicate the poison from the blood. Dr. King's Nerve and Bone Liniment—externally, to give life to the stiffened, painful joints and tissue. Sold by Burwell-Dunn Retail Store.

IF IT DISAPPEARS, IT'S ECZEMA

How to Tell Whether a Skin Affection is an Inherited Blood Disease or Not.

Sometimes it is hard to determine whether a skin affection is a sign of a blood disorder or simply a form of eczema. Even physicians are often puzzled in their diagnosis. The best way for any one afflicted is to go to R. L. Jordan & Co., or any good druggist who handles pure drugs and obtain 50 cents worth of Jaxtan. Apply this, and if the itching stops at once and the trouble is cured in a few days it may be set down as having been eczema, as this is the way Jaxtan acts in the worst case of eczema, and in curing acne, herpes, blotches, tetter, piles, salt rheum, rash, barber's and other forms of itch, scaly scalp, and all surface skin affections.

Those who will write to the Emergency Laboratories, No. 32 West Twenty-fifth Street, New York, can secure, by mail free of charge, a supply sufficient to cure a small eczema surface or clear a complexion overnight and remove pimples in twenty-four hours.

Earth Continues to Tremble.

Messina, Jan. 18.—Slight earth shocks continue to be experienced here at brief intervals, showing that the earth has not quite settled. The quakes are not being registered by the observatories in the immediate vicinity, which is evidence that the movements are local only. General Mazza has given instructions that all papers, documents or other property found in the ruins of the American consulate be turned over to Stuart K. Lupton, the new consul of the United States. A strong undulatory shock this afternoon caused much alarm here, and resulted in the fall of the remnants of a number of shattered walls. So far as is known no one was killed.

Arrested For Forging Check on Burlington Man.

Special to The Observer.

Shelby, Jan. 18.—E. B. Hicks, who is charged with forging a check on a party in Burlington, is in custody here awaiting the arrival of an officer from that place. Hicks was an employe of the bridge force of the Seaboard Air Line Company which is erecting a large bridge two miles west of here. The arrest of Hicks was a great surprise to his friends here.

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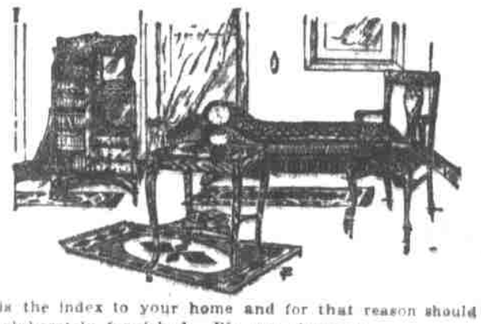

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