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This Date in History—March 8.

- 1790—Simon Cameron, statesman, born in Lancaster county, Pa.; died 1880. 1810—Edwin Percy Whipple, author, born in Gloucester, died 1882. 1822—Famous naval encounter in Hampton Roads, the Confederate ironclad ram Merrimac played havoc with the wooden Union ELIOT BURRITT fleet. 1870—Elihu Burritt, the learned American blacksmith and apostle of peace, died at New Britain, Conn.; born there 1808. Burritt began the study of ancient languages while working at the forge. In early manhood he made use of his learning by editing and lecturing, and established papers devoted to anti-slavery, peace and self culture. The basis of an international association of peace advocates was developed by his efforts. Emancipation by compensation was the end for which he labored devotedly with all his strength and slender means. 1857—Henry Ward Beecher died in Brooklyn, born in Litchfield, Conn., 1813. 1858—David Hunter Strother (Porte-Crayon) died in Charleston, W. Va.; born 1816. 1860—John Ericsson, builder of the Monitor and noted inventor, died in New York; born in Sweden 1803. 1866—The Cincinnati and Louisville packet Longfellow collided with a bridge at Cincinnati and sank in three minutes; eight lives lost. 1867—Mrs. Henry Ward Beecher died at Stamford, Conn.; aged 53.



without exciting an unpleasant suspicion. It is hardly to be doubted, however, that the senator appreciates this fully and is sincere in his support of Judge Ewart.

As was expected Zola will write a book in prison. He says in an interview, "You ask me if I shall spend my time in literary work. In what else do you think? You do not suppose I shall be put to making slippers? I have no literary projects at present beyond the only thing that is nearest to my heart and that is to tell the whole world the whole truth about this dreadful affair." This will no doubt be the greatest piece of "realism" the master of realism has offered the world.

The scientific and mechanical journals are giving their readers much valuable information bearing on the Maine disaster and its possible consequences. The Scientific American has an illustrated article on torpedoes and mines. It shows how difficult it would be to launch a controllable torpedo in a crowded harbor without discovery, it being necessary to have either flags or lights upon it in order to direct its course from the shore. The same objection is shown to hold good against the Whitehead torpedo, the one most generally used in warfare and which is launched by one vessel against another. The Scientific American says, "It may safely be said that if the Maine was destroyed by external cause it was not a torpedo but some form of submarine mine that wrought the mischief." It shows how dangerous to friend as well as to foe would be a submarine automatic mine in Havana harbor that could be exploded by contact, and concludes that if a mine were used must have been one which could have been fired from the shore. The Locomotive Fireman's Magazine has an article with fine cuts of a great number of our war vessels, showing their modes of action and giving the resources of our navy very completely.

TOPICS OF TODAY.

The last Georgia legislature appropriated \$10,000 for a textile school to be established in association with the Technological Institute, with the proviso that \$10,000 additional be raised by private subscriptions. Accordingly the president of the institute is now receiving such subscriptions and the commissioners in charge of the new undertaking are sanguine as to the prospects of early success. In the absence of such a school the cotton mill industry in the South is now too dependent on the North for its supply of superintendents and expert heads of departments, while Southern talent has a restricted field for its employment due to the little diversity of industries.

To many it is surprising that in the recent shipment of men for the navy native born Americans are conspicuous by their absence, when comparison with other nationalities is drawn. Comment is also excited by the official reports showing that the personnel of our navy is, so far as birth is concerned, far from being representative of American citizenship. Modern war vessels do not call for sailors. They are engines of death in which the art of sailorizing has little place. A knowledge of heavy gunnery, electricity, machinery, etc., is more essential than splicing, reefing and setting skysails. And the man who possess such knowledge needn't work for \$17.50 a month. The American seaman passed with the sailing ship.—Chicago News.

ZEB VANCE CLUB.

Early Sunday morning Policemen J. A. Lyerly, Bradley, Noland and Taylor made a raid on a negro gambling den in the basement at the Murdick hotel and captured fifteen negro and three white gamblers. For some time it has been suspected by the officers that gambling was going on here and upon a former occasion the gamblers were discovered up stairs, the officers placing the ladders to the windows and peeping in, but before warrants could be secured the offenders had dispersed. Late Saturday night a considerable noise was heard from the outside of the building, and on going around to the rear the officers peeped through the cellar, over wood, coal, boxes, barrels and etc., until they could see through a hole in the door. The door was securely fastened, but the officers determined to get in, so while the negroes threw craps and amusement ran high the policemen worked at the latch. After over an hour's work the door was swung open and the stairway and other doors blocked. Only three of the prisoners escaped. The miscreants were taken to the lock-up. They had a hearing yesterday morning before the police justice and fined \$5.00 each, except two men, who got off with \$2.50 each. Much credit is due the officers for breaking up the worst gambling den in Asheville.

NOT ALLOWED TO MARRY IN HASTE. Yesterday afternoon a young man well dressed and of a rather prepossessing appearance entered the register of deeds office and applied for license to wed. He gave his name as Straw Evans, and that of his intended bride as Sallie Rich. He stated that they were from Waynesville and desired to be married as soon as possible. Not ten minutes before the young man's application the register of deeds had received the following telegram:

Waynesville, N. C., March 7. Register of Deeds, Buncombe County, Asheville: Refuse to issue marriage license to Straw Evans and my daughter, Sallie Rich, she is under age. JOHN RICH.

The license was refused. W. L. Freeman, who has for one year been in the employ of J. F. Austin as line-man for the Western Union Telegraph Company, has resigned his position and has accepted a position with A. M. Goodlake as meat cutler in North Asheville market. He invites his friends to come and see him. 34-17

MEETING OF CONFEDERACY TONIGHT.

There will be a number of very interesting talks delivered at the court house this evening before the Confederate Veterans. Sons of Veterans and Daughters of the Confederacy by Col. W. W. Stringfield, Capt. G. S. Ferguson, Haywood Parker and Maj. Robert Bingham. The public are cordially invited to be present. The president of the Asheville chapter of the Daughters of the Confederacy requests every member, as far as possible, to attend. The Veterans will form at their hall at 7:45 and march to the court house. The Sons of Veterans will form at the same time in a body in front of the First National bank building.

EPWORTH LEAGUE MEETING.

There was a meeting last evening of the special committees of the Epworth League and a literary course for the next few months was mapped out. "Man's Value to Society," "Southern Writers," "Life of Christ," "Mind of the Master," will be the studies for some time. On Monday evening next the time will be devoted to the study of Wesley's school and college life.

Enthusiastic practices are going on at the golf links every day. Visitors who desire to witness the games can do so by obtaining cards from members of the club. The tournament next week promises to be of much interest.

POSTSCRIPTS.

Mr. Ketchum of New York, has introduced a bill in the house of representatives authorizing the New York Connecting railroad to construct and maintain a bridge across the East river, between Ward's Island and Long Island, at Hell Gate and its approaches on Bronxkill and Little Hell Gate. The bridge is to carry two or more tracks for steam or electric motive power, and to be for foot purposes also. The one across East River at Hell Gate is to be not less than 140 feet above mean high water channel, and those over Bronxkill and Little Hell Gate not less than 80 to 100 feet respectively.

The Chicago Times Herald says: Dr. Edwin Klebs, professor of pathology and bacteriology in the post-graduate medical school, has discovered the cause of yellow fever. As a result of a series of experiments extending over two months, he has isolated the amoeba, which is, without doubt, responsible for the disease, and he has been able to trace through a number of stages in the various organs of the body.

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Advertisement for F. F. Bainbriege. Text: "If you read Go to Bainbriege's Racket Store ditto. If you write ditto. If you have nothing to do ditto. If you want good engraving ditto. If you want wedding presents ditto." F. F. BAINBRIEGE, Late of San Antonio, Texas, 18 South Main St.

Advertisement for W. B. Williamson & Co. Text: "You can be certain to get a Baby Carriage that will suit the style of your baby at the Furniture and Carpet House OF W. B. Williamson & Co. 16 PATTON AVENUE. ASHEVILLE, N. C."

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Advertisement for McPHERSON & CLARK. Text: "McPHERSON & CLARK DEALERS IN Stoves, Tinware and House Furnishing Goods, Sanitary Plumbing, Steam and hot water fitting, hot air furnaces, tin and slate roofing and galvanized iron cornice. 45 College Street Telephone 133."

Advertisement for THE CHEAPEST FIREWOOD. Text: "THE CHEAPEST FIREWOOD For Sale Through ALL COAL DEALERS AND ALL GROCERY STORES which have a 'phone."

Advertisement for Racket Store. Text: "Racket Store 30 South Main Street. It requires a great deal of excitement to satisfy our cravings for something new; in fact, to some people there is nothing new; the whole world has grown old; everything in sight has been seen so often there is no beauty in them. They look as wise as owls and hoot at anything we may say or do and are trying to look away over behind the moon and stars or five miles deep in the earth. They turn loose all that is near them except their own hobby; and when I meet one of these fellows I always think of Thompson's coat which it was said was the biggest foot in the world because he swam the river to keep out of a shower of rain. They ought to go together. The people I want to interest are those who want to be interested as to how and where they can get their white goods for children's spring dresses and aprons. Our store is decorated with just such goods as I have mentioned at a price no reasonable person will object to. Come and see us before this job of white goods are all gone. We are perfectly aware that it is utterly impossible to please everybody. You could not do that yourself but you can do the best you can and all reasonable people will appreciate your effort. Mr. A. P. Roberts, formerly of Jupiter but now of Weaverville is a true and tried friend of the Racket Store and he says Our News is a little gem. Francis Asbury Bird of Glen Ingle, N. C., now 87 years old, says the Racket Store News brought him in to see our shoes that he had heard so much about. He bought a pair and we are sure he will be pleased with his first purchase of us. Mr. F. H. White of Proviso, N. C., had the misfortune to lose his house by fire January 31. Loss about \$250. While you wait for something to turn up you will get turned under and then fuss about it. W. G. Burgen of Swannanoa, N. C., says he wore a pair of our Miles Sample Shoes six months and they are good yet. You see our shoes are all made out of leather. If you want to sleep good buy for cash and stay out of debt."

Advertisement for J. M. Stoner. Text: "J. M. Stoner SEND YOUR STONE ORDERS TO THE Balfour Quarries. All Kinds Furnished. Crushed Stone for sale and delivered at Asheville Depot at reasonable charges. W. B. TROY, BALFOUR, N. C. \$4.00 WONDER! The New EUREKA Camera, a genuine Kodak, made by the Eastman company. It holds six glass plates, 3 3/4 by 3 1/2 inches in size. It has a fine lens, takes splendid picture and those sold are delighting the purchasers. B. H. COSBY, The Reliable Jeweler, 27 PATTON AVENUE. Walter S. Cushman, (Successor to Cameron & Cushman.) Real Estate Broker, 17 Paragon Building. Corner of Patton avenue and Haywood St. ALL KINDS OF REAL ESTATE TO SELL AND TO RENT. FURNISHED HOUSES."

The board of inquiry should have been denominated the board of quietus.

The Atlanta people found Anna Held not so very naughty after all and are disappointed.

The government at Havana knows that the people must be amused or they will make trouble, hence these Sunday bull fights.

Boston milliners protest against the anti-theater hat ordinance. The aldermen have been petitioned to let the ladies wear bonnets and the petition has been referred to the committee on public improvements.

The administration was very prompt in refusing to accede to Spain's "suggestion" for the recall of Consul General Lee. The suggestion was doubtless thrown out only as a feeler. Spain wished to know if hearts of clubs are our long suit in the near deal.

"The formation of the hay trust may have the effect of increasing the sale of the bicycle," says the Washington Post, and the sale of the bicycle has the effect of increasing good roads. Can it be that such a baleful trust as the hay trust must be, will help along a good cause?

Uncle Sam has a long pocket book, but it does seem to us, in view of the need of powder, shot and ships, that he could have drawn the line a little closer on Butler's investigation of Ewart. That was a war episode that really didn't need the summoning of all the reserves.

Butler has staked considerable on his fight against Ewart. As a political trickster he will not be in a pleasant position if he loses and Ewart is confirmed. If he wins it will be extremely interesting to observe where the plum drops. It could not fall into Senator Fritchard's hands.