

CAROLINA NEWS

Interesting items from various Parts of the State

Glimpses of Life and Progress in Land of the Sky.

Notes Gathered for the Gazette and Selections from Latest North Carolina newspapers

Hickory will soon be able to talk as far north as Boston and as far west as Omaha and St. Louis by long distance telephone.

Work has been resumed on the Linville River railroad, which is building eastward from Cranberry into the Blue Ridge and Linville range country.

Revenue Officer Cooper, of this city, met with an unpleasant reception while on a trip among the moon shiners of the South Mountains last week.

The old Silver Hill lead mine ten miles east of Lexington, in Davidson county, has been purchased by an English syndicate, and it is said the mine will soon be in operation again.

This season Mr. Baxter has gone into a more extensive business, and established an apiary of sixty colonies at the head of Vandemere creek, Pamlico county.

RETREAT ASSOCIATION

The Mountain Retreat association, at Mountain Retreat, near Black Mountain, are laying out a new section of about 500 lots.

RATES TO NEWBORN FAIR

On account of Eastern Carolina Fish Cyster, Game and Industrial fair, Newbern, N. C., the Southern railway will sell special round trip tickets.

HEADACHE

Advertisement for Cascarets, a cathartic medicine. Includes text: 'Each my wife and myself have been cured of head aches and they are the best medicine we have ever had in the house.'

Poisoned

Was Happened to a Case - Example and The following happened to Charles Morris, general storekeeper, North Carolina Avenue, North Carolina. Several years ago...

Hood's Sarsaparilla

Hood's Pills are the only pills to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla.

Two Narrow Buildings

Philadelphia may not be able to boast the tallest buildings in the world, but she surely has her share of the narrowest.

From outside to outside of the walls the structure is exactly 5 feet wide. It is 150 feet deep, and there are four stories.

Another narrow building is at Market and Letitia streets. It is five stories high and 6 feet 8 inches wide.

Natural Power

Dwellers in hilly countries do not seem to appreciate the advantages that may be gained by the use of the mountain streams that abound in such regions.

For Sale in Henderson County, N. C.

A good farm of 125 acres, in the valley of French Broad river, one mile from depot, 22 miles from Asheville to Brevard.

FIVE SNOWSTORMS AT ONCE

A Startling and Grand Panorama That Moved Before Virginia City.

"Virginia City," said Sayre Noble, a Nevada ranchman, "is pretty well up in the world, as any one who knows who has ever been there, and there are few localities in all the Rocky mountain region from which a wider range of country can be taken in at one view."

No Wonder Jim Went

An excited middle aged lady bonneted into the local police station the other day and accosted the inspector on duty.

CASTORIA

Advertisement for Dr. Geo. H. Lambert, Veterinarian Surgeon. Graduate of McGill University. Office Willow st. Phone 18.

SPAIN AND THE TREATY

Prompt Ratification Expected by the Cortes

WASHINGTON, Feb. 7.—Secretary Hay will formally notify the Spanish government through the French embassy tomorrow that the treaty of Paris has been ratified by the United States senate.

It will then be incumbent upon the two governments to exchange ratifications and this, under the terms of the treaty, must be performed in Washington "within six months from the date thereof (Dec. 10, 1898), or earlier, if possible."

It will be necessary for the Spanish government to send a minister to Washington to effect the exchange, and it is understood that the minister from the United States will be the final act in the drama in which the United States and Spain have played the leading roles since the destruction of the Maine.

War Authorities Confer

State and war department officers were in consultation today on the legal status of General Otis, in view of the protocol which binds the American forces to maintain the status quo in the Philippines till after the ratification of the treaty by Spain and the United States.

The fact that the treaty must be ratified by both parties to the contract was momentarily lost sight of by many persons yesterday in the first flush of excitement over its ratification by the senate, and it was commonly remarked by army officers and others in the department that the Philippines "now being American territory," General Otis was at liberty to handle the Filipinos as he would an Indian outbreak or railroad riot.

The fact, however, is that the Philippines do not become American territory till after the treaty has been ratified by the Spanish Cortes. This will not hamper General Otis in maintaining order and following up his victory of Saturday and Sunday. It was said at the state department today that although the Americans are still bound by the protocol, there is nothing in that document to prevent the American commander from maintaining order in the island and he, in fact, is compelled by the terms of the protocol to do so.

Jurisdiction at Manila

This politic statement of the legal authorities of the department was supplemented by the brusque remark of one of the army officers, who was a party to the conference, that "General Otis' jurisdiction extends beyond the outposts 19,000 yards with the sights up, whenever he happens to be."

THE HARPER'S ROUND TABLE

Large advertisement for Harper's Round Table magazine. Lists various articles including 'Forward, March!', 'Gavin Hamilton', 'Some Short Stories', 'Scouting on the Plains', 'Wolves vs. Discipline', 'A Dandy at His Best', 'Stories of the War', 'The Rescue of Redway', 'A Scared Fighter', 'A War Correspondent Afloat', 'Articles on Sport and Travel', 'Alaskan Fisherman', 'Art of Fly-Fishing', 'Tree-top Club-Houses', 'The Editor's Table', 'The Camera Club', 'The King's Treasure-Ship', 'An Exchange of Ships', 'The Gunshot Mine', 'The King's Treasure-Ship', 'The Rescue of Redway', 'A Scared Fighter', 'A War Correspondent Afloat', 'Articles on Sport and Travel', 'Alaskan Fisherman', 'Art of Fly-Fishing', 'Tree-top Club-Houses', 'The Editor's Table', 'The Camera Club', 'The King's Treasure-Ship', 'An Exchange of Ships', 'The Gunshot Mine', 'The King's Treasure-Ship'.

Why not be well?

If you are suffering with any disease of the Kidneys, Bladder or Urinary Organs, Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy will make you well again.

It quickly cures men and women of inability to hold urine, and they are not compelled to get up often and make water at night. It removes the scalding sensation in passing it, and, when taken according to directions, it invariably cures pains in the small of the back.

One case is that of JOHN J. NEILL, of 2011 North Eighth Street, Philadelphia, Pa. In 1889 he began to suffer indescribable miseries from Stone in the Bladder. An eminent physician said a surgical operation was necessary.

Favorite Remedy is a perfect Blood and Nerve medicine. It restores the liver to a healthy condition, cures the worst cases of Constipation, and all diseases peculiar to females. It cures Scrofula, Salt Rheum, Rheumatism. Your druggist will sell you a regular full-sized bottle for \$1.00.

Sample Bottle Free.

Those sufferers who wish to try Favorite Remedy before buying should send their full postoffice address to the Dr. DAVID KENNEDY CORPORATION, Rondout, N. Y., and mention this paper. A free sample bottle will be sent them prepaid, together with full directions for using. This is a genuine offer, and all our readers can depend upon it.

Trade supplied by Dr. T. C. Smith.

Advertisement for McElreey's Wine of Cardui. Includes 'CITY MARKETS' section with prices for various goods like lemons, pears, apples, grapes, etc.

Advertisement for THE DIXIE Restaurant and Confectionery. Located at 36 South Main St. Offers oysters, game, and a lunch counter.

Advertisement for THE SUN newspaper. Contains news and opinions. Price 5c a copy, \$2 a year.

Advertisement for Old Papers. Clean and unutilized for sale at the Gazette Publication Office.

Advertisement for Harrisburg Boiler. Ball & Sheppard, Phone 88.