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PART ONE.

Price 5 Cents.

OESTREICHER & CO.,

51 Patton Avenue.
Dry Goods and Millinery

SPECIAL CLEARING SALE

— OF —

WOMENS' SUITS.

A choice lot of Womens' Tailor made suits, fly front and light fitting effects made of choicest materials and latest shades.

All our \$14.00, \$15.00, \$15.50 and \$18.00 suits, special closing price

\$10.48

All \$10.00, \$11.50 and \$12.00 suits, closing price

\$6.48

OESTREICHER & CO.

51 Patton Ave.

Fresh

Peeled Mushrooms in their own juice.

1 pound cans, \$1.00.

Equal to Mushrooms fresh from the cellar. Directions on each can,

G. A. GREER,

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL FANCY GROCER,
53 Patton Avenue

Use Grant's Talcum

on baby's skin. It is absolutely pure, with a delicate heliotrope odor. In tin box, 10 cents; 3 boxes, 25 cents.

When you need a fever Thermometer buy it here. Reliable makes only, at fair prices, with privilege of exchange.

The Bowden Lithia

is absolutely pure, and for drinking purposes is not surpassed. See book of testimonials.

GRANT'S PHARMACY,

24 S. Main Street, Asheville, North Carolina

TOLBERT'S APPEAL

He Wishes to Return to His Home in Phoenix.

Declares He Was Never Opposed to White Supremacy.

And Asserts That the New York Independent Misquoted Him.

Wants to Come Back to His Home and Live in Peace With His Neighbors for the Rest of His Days.

Columbia, S. C., May 6.—Through the editor of the weekly paper published at Greenwood, R. R. Tolbert, the republican nominee in the last election for congress from the Third district of South Carolina, and the present contestor of Congressman Latimer's seat, has sent to his former neighbors of Phoenix a statement. He wishes to return, and makes promises for the future, while claiming to have been misrepresented in the past. He says:

"If a year ago I could have foreseen what was going to occur, I would not have accepted the nomination for congress. I have always been a republican and was never afraid nor ashamed to declare republican principles, but I have never knowingly given any man advice that would tend to make him other than a good citizen. I have never been afraid of negroes holding office, or in favor of any man, white or black, exercising the right of suffrage unless qualified. I am a believer in white supremacy. When I was nominated for congress I wanted to make as good a showing as possible, and wanted to refute the statement that republicans were receiving nominations for office solely for the purpose of getting money out of the national campaign fund."

Tolbert repudiates the interview with him published in the New York Independent, wherein he was made to allude to the people of Greenwood as "white trash."

"I have been misrepresented and misunderstood, and I want to get right before the people of my home. I have been a republican from principle, but if any one can convince me that I am wrong I will speedily abandon the party. I want to go back to my home with my wife and children, and live there in peace till the end of my days. I want to have the friendship and good will of my neighbors. I don't ask anything more, and I will not be satisfied with anything less."

PROBABLY IN NEW YORK.

Jeffries-Fitzsimmons Fight May Be Decided Before Lenox Club.

New York, May 6.—There is still considerable mystery relative to the final selection of the battle ground for the Jeffries-Fitzsimmons fight. While the general opinion is that the battle will take place in the west, reliable information is to the effect that the fight may be decided before the Lenox Athletic club here. It is stated that Fitzsimmons has settled his differences with that organization.

NITRO GLYCERINE EXPLOSION.

Two Men Blown to Atoms in California Powder Works.

San Francisco, May 6.—By an explosion of the nitro-glycerine house of the California Powder works at Pineole today, two men were blown to atoms.

Mountain Park Hotel and Bath

HOT SPRINGS, N. C.

Thirty five miles west of Asheville on the Southern Railway. A modern resort in every particular. Best nine hole Golf course in the South. For further particulars, address

BAYLES' HANGING INVESTIGATED

Nothing of Importance Elicited.—Kelley Also Held for Assault.

Nyack, N. Y., May 6.—The hanging of Richfield Bayles (colored) at Tallmans, N. Y., on April 18 to make him confess to robbing Martin Kelley (white) of sixty-one dollars was investigated before Judge Bannister here today. Bayles, who was hanged until in a pretty bad condition, and beaten and kicked, and who is now in jail awaiting the action of the grand jury, charged with larceny, was not present in court, but the affidavit made by him was placed in evidence. Several witnesses were examined, but nothing was elicited of importance. The judge, however, held Kelley for the grand jury to answer to the charge of assault.

THE ORIZABA MAY BE LOST

Encountered a Gale Thursday—Due in Havana Yesterday.

Norfolk, Va., May 6.—A despatch was received by the weather bureau this evening from the Kitty Hawk life saving station, on the North Carolina coast, stating that a man had picked up a cork jacket about a mile north of the station, which has the name of the steamship Orizaba on it. The Orizaba sailed from New York for Havana and Mexican ports May 3 last. She should have passed Kitty Hawk May 4. She would probably have kept at least fifteen miles off shore.

There was a stiff easterly gale blowing fifty miles an hour off the coast May 3. It is regarded as highly improbable, however, that any accident has befallen the Orizaba. Seafaring men believe the jacket was lost overboard. The New York agents say they have no fear for the safety of the Orizaba. She is due at Havana today.

MRS. WHITNEY DIES.

As a Result of Injuries Received at Aiken Last Year.

New York, May 6.—The wife of ex-Secretary of the Navy Whitney died at her home in Westbury, L. I., today of paralysis, which was the result of injuries received while riding to hounds in 1898 at Aiken, S. C.

BASEBALL GAMES YESTERDAY.

At New York— R. H. E.
New York 3 7 2
Washington 2 7 1
Batteries: Meekin and Warner; Dineen and McGuire.

At Boston— R. H. E.
Boston 10 16 3
Brooklyn 12 15 3
Batteries: Nichols and Bergen; Kennedy and Farrell.

At Philadelphia— R. H. E.
Philadelphia 3 13 3
Baltimore 11 13 0
Batteries: Fraser and Douglass; Miller and Robinson.

At Chicago— R. H. E.
Chicago 10 11 5
Cleveland 5 11 3
Batteries: Taylor and Chance; Hill and Suggen.

At Cincinnati— R. H. E.
Cincinnati 11 15 2
St. Louis 0 11 2
Called on account of darkness at the end of the eighth inning. Batteries: Dammann and Peitz; Jones and Criger.

At Pittsburg— R. H. E.
Pittsburg 10 19 1
Louisville 5 11 3
Eleven innings. Batteries: Payne and Bowerman; Dowling and Kittridge.

RALEIGH TO RALEIGH

Big Gun Presented to the City by the Cruiser.

Presentation Speech Made by Captain of the Gallant Ship.

Great Cotton Mill Is Being Erected in Wilmington.

Capital Stock a Quarter of a Million Dollars—Three Hundred Men Will Be Given Work.

Wilmington, N. C., May 6.—Wilmington is to have another big cotton mill. It is being directed by a \$250,000 stock company, headed by E. C. Holt. The company has one hundred acres of land, and it is expected that the capital stock will be at least doubled within a few years. For the present there will be 1,500 spindles and 500 looms operated. The plant will be completed by January 1, 1900, and will give employment to 300 operatives.

The formal presentation of the Nordfeldt cannon to the city of Raleigh by Captain Coghlan, of the cruiser Raleigh, occurred in the Orton hotel this morning. Captain Coghlan said: "I present you the gun received from the Spanish cruiser Reina Christina. We hope you will accept it in the spirit in which it is given, and not for the intrinsic value of it, but as an expression of the love and esteem of the officers and crew for the people of Raleigh."

The trophy was accepted on the part of the city by R. M. Sims. Dinner was tendered to the officers of the Raleigh this evening. Tonight they were entertained by the Cape Fear club. The cruiser will probably weigh anchor for Charleston about Monday.

SHERIFF YOUNG ARRESTED

For Failing to Resist Strikers Who Seized Train at Wardner Junction. Spokane, Wash., May 6.—Sheriff Young, of Soshone county, Idaho, was arrested today charged with neglecting his duties in failing to resist the mob of strikers who seized the train at Wardner Junction, Idaho, on which the sheriff was a passenger.

Menstruation made Regular and Painless, and Pains in Sides, Hips and Limbs cured by Simmons' Pink Pills

ANNOUNCEMENT.

We beg to inform our customers and the public that in addition to our metric Merchant Tailoring Department where the greatest care and study are exercised to insure a perfect fit at the lowest possible prices. We have just opened a first-class Gent's Furnishing Department where you will find first class goods and the latest styles. Your patronage kindly solicited.

H. GELMAN, Proprietor.

J. C. WILBAR, Manager.

Paragon Building, Haywood street, corner College street.

New Phone 245.

Purina Health

Flour
Glutan,

Entire Wheat
Makes

Brain Bread
Fresh

— AT —

Snider's,

On the Square

TORNADO IN TEXAS WORKS DAMAGE

Great Damage to Property and Some Loss of Life.

Dallas, Tex., May 6.—It is reported here tonight that a tornado has just swept over parts of northern Texas and Indian Territory, causing great damage to property and killing and injuring several. The storm was especially severe in Tom Bean and Fannin counties, Tex., and in the Chickasaw nation.

GIGANTIC STEEL AND COAL COMPANY

Of the Carnegie and Frick Interests in British Isles and United States.

New York, May 6.—It is reported tonight that the purpose of the pending consolidation of all the Carnegie and Frick steel and coal interests is to form an international company, the steel and iron interests of England, Scotland and Wales being amalgamated with the Carnegie company in this country, to form the biggest corporation the world has ever known. It is intimated that Carnegie's present European trip has this in view.

EMBEZZLEMENT CASE

Against Lawrence Pulliam Will Be Tried This Week.

The case of Lawrence Pulliam, charged with having embezzled \$5,000 from the National bank of Asheville, during December, 1893, will be brought up for trial in the federal court Thursday or Friday of this week. The papers of indictment in the case were practically arranged yesterday afternoon. While about fifteen witnesses will be summoned in the case it is not believed that more than a few hours will be consumed in taking the evidence. A number of the witnesses will be summoned from distant points.

Those who are in a position to know say the evidence will be overwhelmingly against the defendant.

TELEGRAPHIC POSTSCRIPTS.

Peace is now re-established in Venezuela.

The Duke of D'Arcos the newly appointed minister to the United States, left Madrid Friday for his new post at Washington.

The legislature of Texas has finally passed the bill making it a felony for any official agent or employe of a railroad company in Texas to discriminate in rates by giving rebates to shippers.

The Rev. Samuel H. Kellogg, an American Presbyterian missionary, was killed by falling over a precipice while cycling in the Himalayas a few days ago.

Mr. Theodore Wiese, who conducts a press-clipping bureau at Chicago, received an order from the anti-imperialist league of Boston, to examine the letters from soldiers in the Philippines, published in papers throughout this country, for the purpose of seeing what complaints the volunteers made. Up to Friday Mr. Wiese had clipped three thousand letters from volunteers in the Philippines, and in only three instances was fault found with anything or anybody and a wish expressed by the writer to return home.

FOR SALE,

A judgement against Miss Maud Wells and Robert L. Neilson, for the sum of \$19.25. Apply to D. A. Leahy, Asheville, N. C.

Do the Bed Bugs Bite You? One bottle of Nonpareil Furniture Polish will kill a bushel of bed bugs if properly applied; will make old furniture look like new. For sale by Mrs. L. A. Johnson, 27 North Main street.

THE BEST

Fruits

Candies

Cigars

And

Stationery

Can be found at

KEELING'S

Opposite Postoffice.

MERRY'S DISGUST

At the Treatment of Our Government in Nicaragua.

The Minister Quits Bluefields With a Threat.

If Necessary Will Return "With Three Men of War."

Advised Americans to Pay Duties to Third Party Until the Courts Give Their Decision.

New Orleans, May 6.—Advices received here from Bluefields report conditions there unchanged. The British cruiser Prosperine arrived during the week. Her orders place her at the disposal of the British consul. After a short stay at Bluefields the Prosperine went to Greytown. Her captain says he was instructed to watch that the Nicaraguans carry out the instructions of the consul.

Minister Merry is disgusted at his inability to receive news from Washington by telegraph. He has notified the authorities that unless he could hear from home he would leave on the cruiser Detroit for Colon to enable him to communicate with Secretary of State Hay, and, if necessary, he would return with three men of war. As the conditions were unimproved Minister Merry sailed on the Detroit.

Before leaving he advised Americans to pay the duty in dispute to a third party to be held until the courts decided whether it was legally due. The merchants do not wish the advice and view it as a abandonment of the American contention, and also say Merry's departure will be viewed by the natives as a backdown, and will result in subjecting the Americans to humiliations and persecutions, which will render remaining there impossible.

WILL COAL AT COLON.

Cruiser Detroit Arrives at Port Limon on Her Way From Bluefield.

Washington, May 6.—Secretary of the Navy Long received a despatch from the commander of the cruiser Detroit today announcing the arrival of the Detroit at Port Limon, Costa Rica, en route to Colon for coal.

ARRIVES AT COLON.

Colon, May 6.—The cruiser Detroit arrived here today.

EXTRA SESSION OF CONGRESS?

Washington, May 6.—Representative Henderson of Iowa, one of the prominent candidates for speaker in the next house, says that there is some slight probability of congress being called together in October. Still, nothing has yet been decided in regard to the time for calling the session, if, indeed, there will be an extra session. So far as he knew an early meeting of the new congress was therefore more of a possibility than a probability.

200 Pairs Worth 90c

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60cts PER PAIR

We have just closed out a large manufacturers' stock of extra heavy Sterling Silver Link Cuff Buttons which we are offering for 60 cents per pair as long as they last. This class of button we have always sold heretofore for 90 cents and \$1.00 per pair.

Arthur M. Field

Leading Jeweler,

Church Street and Patton Avenue Asheville, N. C.