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The information contained in a despatch from Washington to the Gazette today that Mr. Harkins will continue in the office of collector of internal revenue for this district for another four years will be welcome news to Mr. Harkins' host of friends. It will also be especially welcome in Asheville because it sets at rest all talk of the removal of the revenue office from this city.

San Francisco is menaced with bubonic plague. The city board of health has made a gallant effort to protect the city but the city authorities fought the measures of quarantine and sanitary precaution that were instituted by the board. An attorney for a large fruit packing establishment enjoined the board from putting into effect quarantine which interfered with the packing establishment and the newspapers abused the board of health.

Those skeptical persons, and there are such even among physicians themselves, who are inclined to belittle medical science and achievement should read up the history of the extermination of yellow fever on this continent. One hundred years ago New York and Philadelphia had yearly epidemics of this disease, even smaller cities like New Haven did not escape the scourge.

Here are some significant figures from a recent statement of the treasury department has prepared of the value of the imports and exports of the United States, by ports, for the past ten years which shows that while the great bulk of the trade still passes through New York, many of the Southern cities are rapidly coming to the front in this regard and that the south has an increasing interest in foreign trade.

Bon Marche

Warm Weather Needs

A new lot of very pretty FANS just received. Jap Fans from 3c to 50c. French Fans from 25c. to \$2.50, the line has been marked at prices to sell quick.

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kets and in such other ways as seemed desirable. Committees have been sent to South America and to China and to Japan to inquire into the possibilities of increasing our trade with those parts of the earth, and it is doing all in its power to attract business to this country.

President Search thinks that foreign hostility to our trade extension has brought a new problem into our commerce. He does not think that this hostility should be met by the abandonment of the protective tariff. He would rather have the protective system maintained, but mitigated by reciprocity. He would make concessions to foreign countries in return for similar concessions to us.

Mr. Search talked also about shipping subsidies. He was convinced that the subsidy bill before the congress in the winter was an excellent measure, and he believed, too, that a majority of the senators and representatives were in favor of it.

"Now," says the Brooklyn Eagle, "such advocacy of subsidies and reciprocity as this must be reckoned with. One does not need to defend or to attack either policy, but rather to study the trend of thought. Our export trade is growing by leaps and bounds and the balance in our favor is so great that we have ceased to be called a debtor nation, and increasing attention is being attracted to the exporters and to their demands, and the ultimate granting of them in some form or another.

There has been a steady falling off in the percentage of export trade controlled by New York for the past ten years, and a corresponding increase has been noted in favor of Newport News, New Orleans, Galveston and Baltimore. Last year, for instance, the exports from New Orleans were \$115,800,000, the highest figure in the history of the port, except 1892, and an increase of nearly \$30,000,000 over the preceding years.

\$122,000,000, securing for that city undisputed right to the title of second place among the exporting ports of the United States. This place has heretofore been held by Boston, but for the nine months of this fiscal year her exports were \$40,000,000 less than those of New Orleans.

Baltimore has gained both in imports and exports. Its percentage of the total imports and exports of the country was, in 1900, 8.28 per cent. In 1897 it was 8.15 per cent, and in 1895, 7.6 per cent., representing a steady gain. Newport News' record is remarkable, the total exports from there having more than doubled in the last five years. From a total of \$13,000,000 in 1895 the exports of the port jumped to \$21,000,000 in 1897, \$30,000,000 in 1898 and to \$34,000,000 in 1900.

Galveston has increased its exportations materially, especially in cotton, wheat and flour, the figures for last year being something like \$7,000,000 more than those for the preceding year. In connection with the great growth of New Orleans and Newport News as shipping centers, it is pointed out that in addition to being made exporting points for grain and cereals from the Northwest, they have a constantly increasing volume of local business. The South is not only exporting raw cotton, but is also sending out manufactured articles of its own products.

There is a call for 80,000 men to work in the wheat fields of the west. Harvest hands are needed so badly that the west is actually imploring unemployed men to come out there to work for a time. Wages vary somewhat according to locality, but a man who can do a good day's work can count upon making \$3 a day.

This for an ordinary working day of ten hours. Often enough, though, men will go into the wheat fields soon after 4 o'clock in the morning and will stay there until the light fails, between 8 and 9 o'clock at night. For these sixteen hour days \$5 and sometimes \$6 a day are paid by the managers of the great wheat farms.

Kansas is by no means the only state from which appeals to the Eastern unemployed have come, according to an evidently well informed writer in a New York paper. The whole Northwest wants men to work during harvest time. Last year, and the year before, grain rotted in the shocks and in the stacks because men could not be hired to handle it.

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NEWS OF THE STATE BY WAY OF RALEIGH

A Heavy Sentence Will Probably be Imposed on the Men—Cotton Mill Operatives—Four Non-Union Machinists Roughly Handled—The Weekly Crop Bulletin—An Electric Company Incorporated.

Raleigh, N. C., June 11.—The trial of four scabs brought here by the Seaboard Air Line for the larceny of women's apparel from a disreputable resort is set for this morning at 10 o'clock. At that hour the woman withdrew the charge and they were released. Last night one of the scabs claims that he was assaulted near Johnson street station by four men and considerably done up. Warrants will probably be issued, as he says that he recognized one of his assailants.

The crop bulletin for the week ending June 10th says: "All reports indicate that the past week has been very favorable both for farm work and for the growth of crops. The temperature averaged about normal and the days were generally warm without extremes, but cool nights prevailed toward the close of the week. The light showers which were quite general about the 6th or 7th were very beneficial, softening the soil which had begun to be hard to work. The amount of sunshine was abundant. Farmers took advantage of these favorable conditions to push work as much as possible; many fields have been cleaned of grass and are well cultivated, but the amount of work to be done was so great that grass has not all been subdued, and another week of fair weather is required. Crops still average from two to three weeks late, but have made considerable growth and show renewed vigor."

"Chopping cotton progressed very rapidly, but is not yet finished. Where fields have been cleaned the crop shows good stand and better color, but large areas are still very grassy, and some fields have been abandoned or will be plowed up for corn. Cotton seems to be almost the smallest for the season on record. Corn is doing fairly well and has regained color where cultivated; grassy fields show little growth, yellow color, and very poor stands. Much corn was planted in lowlands throughout the State during this week. The bulk of the tobacco crop has now been transplanted, and the crop is starting off well with good stands. Wheat and winter oats are ripening rapidly; cutting will become general next week, averaging ten days late. There is much complaint of scab and rust, but the damage is not widespread enough to materially lessen the favorable outlook for all the cereals. Spring oats are very fine. Gardens are vegetables have improved. Digging Irish potatoes has commenced, and shipments are going forward from eastern sections. Rice has a good stand and looks well. While some fruits promise fair yields, it appears that the apple crop will be almost a failure, on account of the fruit falling from the trees."

At the Vance cotton mills in Salisbury 150 operatives have gone on a strike. All the strikers, who are union men to a man, were discharged immediately. Hitherto there has been no trouble there.

Rev. T. Neil Johnson has entered upon his duties as field secretary of the Baptist State Sunday School Board.

The Teachers' Assembly begins its session at Morehead this evening and the attendance promises to be unusually large.

The Greensboro Electric Company was incorporated to-day, capital \$250,000, to establish a street car system. Northern capitalists are the promoters.

AGUINALDO'S SUCCESSOR. Emilio Zubano Proclaims Himself Governor of Tabayas and the Philippines.

Washington, June 11.—Emilio Zubano, of Tabayas province, has proclaimed himself the successor of Aguinaldo and Governor of Tabayas and the Philippines, according to a copy of a Manila paper just received at the Department. Emilio is said to have always been a rather theatrical surrealist and to have sworn to fight the Americans down to the last hole. The publication does not take the Filipino's announcement seriously and warns him that he will find that the office carries with it certain grave responsibilities which will sooner or later result in heart failure and a sudden demise.

POLICY SHOPS RAIDED. New York, June 11.—Agents of the Anti-Policy Society, an organization which has been in existence six weeks and has Captain F. Norton Goddard for its president, made their first raids this afternoon, descending upon seven alleged policy shops. The raids were quite sensational, some men being arrested at the muzzle of revolvers, and the smashing of doors, rushes of insiders to get out and the outsiders to get in furnishing exciting incidents. The places swooped down upon were all down town.

A BOER COMMANDER SURRENDERS. London, June 11.—Lord Kitchener reports to the War Office under date of Pretoria, June 11th, as follows: "Commando van Reenenburg and his commando have surrendered at Pletersburg. One hundred men have come in, and others are following."

ACCIDENT ON THE OREGON. Honolulu, June 5, via San Francisco, June 11.—The battleship Oregon arrived here May 30th, bound from the Orient to San Francisco. As she was dropping her anchor off port the chain broke, seriously injuring Chief Boatwain J. E. Murphy, one of the men at the anchor. One leg was broken and Murphy was dashed against some machinery, receiving a dangerous gash on the head.

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PERSONALS. Eben Coffin is visiting relatives near Waynesville. Col. E. M. Kilpatrick, of Asheville, Thursday night here on his way to Ducktown, where he has valuable property.—Murphy Scout. Mr. W. J. Gault went to Asheville, N. C., yesterday. Mr. T. H. Bryant, of Asheville, N. C., is in the city. Mr. C. A. Moore, of Paoli, left for a visit to Asheville, N. C., yesterday.—Spartanburg Herald. Miss Margaret Parker, one of the sweet girl graduates of the Normal, went to Swannanoa yesterday to visit friends. Miss Edna Turner, one of the Pupils of the Normal and Industrial, left yesterday afternoon for her home in Statesville. Miss Annie Guder was in the city yesterday, en route from eastern points to Waynesville. Mr. and Mrs. Vanderbilt, who arrived yesterday afternoon, were accompanied by Talbot Root of New York. H. G. Hester, secretary of the New Orleans cotton exchange, is at the Battery Park hotel. Wayne Ray has returned from New York.

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BURGLARS IN HER ROOM Miss N. O. Body, Columbia, Cal., who is stopping on Main street, saw something which she has been hunting for for years—a burglar under the bed. About 8 p. m. she with a few friends went to the drug store to get some soda, and carried a while. On returning to her room about 10 she heard someone snoring under her bed. Looking under discovered a man. With presence of mind, she did not make an outcry but quietly going down stairs notified the policeman who was passing. Lon Jones was the offender. He had recently broken jail in Raleigh and is an old bird. He has been in Asheville for nearly a week. He said he went to the pantry and ate a biscuit and piece of cake which were so nice that he knew they were made with Rumford Baking Powder and could not hurt him, so he ate up all in sight then went up to Miss Body's room to hide so as to rob during the night. He will be taken back to Raleigh in the morning.

NEED STEAM? The Place to Get It is From Selected Food. It is good to know the kind of food those with weak stomachs and hearts can get along with for when a man or woman is a little below par, an easily digested food is the thing that goes right to the spot. A man in Kirkville, Mo., tells how he got out of trouble by using Grape-Nuts Food. He says, "My trouble was intense suffering in the stomach. It was called gastralgia, but no medicine gave any permanent relief. In June of last year I began to grow much worse in every respect. I was terribly constipated and the stomach pains were severe. I ran down until I weighed only 100 pounds. I had to give up my business for my nerves were completely unstrung and I could not sleep more than two or three hours during the night, and that only by snatches during a lull in the pain. I tried almost every kind of food, but finally was put on Grape-Nuts and in a little while it began to make its worth known. I began to sleep better nights, my strength gradually came back and I gained in weight rapidly until a little while ago I weighed 165 pounds and have been a well man for months with never a touch of the old trouble. My bowels are perfect, the nervous trouble has gone. You can realize I can appreciate the value of Grape-Nuts Food. Don't publish my name but you can give it in private correspondence and I will take pleasure in answering the letters." This is another evidence of the practical worth of Grape-Nuts Food in cases of weak stomach and bad digestion. It is the most scientifically made food in existence and contains absolutely nothing but the selected parts of the field grain so cooked and prepared as to admit of almost immediate digestion and assimilation, carrying with it the elements furnished by the All Wise Creator for rebuilding the nervous system, the soft part of the brain and the solar plexus. When one gets from food what the body needs, it is easy to get well and keep well.

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION Notice is hereby given that the firm of Carr & Ward will be dissolved Friday June the 14th, 1901, at twelve o'clock, noon, and that fixtures and lease for two years with privilege of five will be sold to the highest bidder on that date. The purchaser of same to take stock of goods at cost. 94-118

INDUSTRIAL CONVENTION (Continued from first page.) trade with the Orient. He quoted statistics showing that the purchase of cotton stuffs in the United States by China last year amounted to \$8,000,000. He also spoke on the great trade of the United States with Japan. He said the cry everywhere was "commercial expansion," which, he declared, was better than territorial expansion. Is the race to become extinct while our women hunt for work higher than that which God gave them? It is infinitely lower work. What Woman's club or Woman's column can match the home which the wife and mother makes beautiful and sacred for her husband and sons? What are a thousand canvases to a live child with its fair dimpled body and living soul? June Ladies Home Journal.

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