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No counting streams of Malak's eyes
Can build its hundred eyes to sleep

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A TERRIBLE WRECK

ON THE SOUTHERN RAILROAD NEAR DANVILLE, VIRGINIA.

Fast Mail No. 97, Falls Off a Trestle and Nine Lives Are Lost. A Woman Who Witnessed the Wreck From Her Home May Die of Fright.

(Special to the ARGUS.)

Danville, Va., Sept. 27. Train No. 97, the Southern Railway's fast mail, plying between New York and New Orleans, plunged over a trestle north of this city this afternoon, killing 9 men and injuring 7 others.

The train was running 60 miles an hour, and jumped the track on the trestle at a tangent. The train ran along some distance on the cross ties then fell to the water below, a distance of 75 feet.

A woman, in a delicate condition of health, witnessed the wreck from her chamber window. She fell to the floor unconscious and it is not believed that she will live.

NORTH CAROLINA'S CONTRIBUTION TO AMERICAN CITIZENSHIP.

Raleigh News-Observer.

North Carolina has given her life blood most freely to the building up of other States. To-day 236,037 native born North Carolinians reside in other Commonwealths. She has contributed to American citizenship the best that the nation has to show. In the colonial period her people stood boldly for liberty, self-government, freedom from excessive taxation and official tyranny. In adopting the Constitution she stood for all the amendments which were afterwards accepted and which now form the constitutional basis of our liberties.

It was her sons, Andrew Jackson and Thomas H. Benton, who wiped out all traditions and tendencies of monarchy and aristocracy, and planted deep in American soil the tree of Democracy.

It was her son, James K. Polk, who annexed Texas and extended the American Republic from the Atlantic to the Pacific.

It was her son, William A. Graham, who opened the doors of Japan to civilization, and thus made a beginning of final settlement of the Asiatic question.

It was her son, Andrew Johnson, who had the North Carolina grit to jeopardize his great office, by opposing the coercive measures of Reconstruction directed against an integral part of the Union.

It was her son, Richard J. Gatling, who promoted peace by inventing the death-dealing Gatling gun.

Her sons have done great deeds, and thought great thoughts wherever they have gone. No statesmen have surpassed them in integrity, purity, and patriotism. No soldiers have equalled them in steadfastness, endurance, and fortitude. They were born North Carolinians and trained in North Carolina virtues. They loved the family fireside and all that the family fireside means. They still love it, and, though they dwell now in cities or on plains, they long to go to the State of their birth, and see again the people who live as they lived in their youth; to see again the Old North State, where people do not grow old before their time; where youth is buoyant and virile; manhood is strong and sturdy, and old age is full of dignity, honor and self-respect.

Each one needs real nourishment; then comes good health, strength and endurance. Without it, you waste away. Nearly every one eats food enough to furnish the necessary nourishment for the perfect support of life, but the food is not assimilated and there follows indigestion, weakness and emaciation.

A few days' use of Mi-o-na, the wonderful flesh-forming food, will nourish and restore health. Mi-o-na mingles with the food you eat, aids assimilation, tones up and strengthens the digestive organs and puts the whole system into proper physical condition.

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FAVOR LEASING THE ROAD.

BUT THEY DO NOT WANT THE SOUTHERN OR COAST LINE TO GET IT.

Said the Stockholders of the A. & N. C. R. R. at Newbern Yesterday—They Also Oppose Further Mortgage Debt.

Newbern, N. C., Sept. 24.—The stockholders and directors of the Atlantic and North Carolina Railroad met to-day at noon in the offices over the Trent river warehouse. Col. Joseph E. Robinson, of Goldsboro, was elected chairman and Messrs. George Green and J. B. Royall, secretaries. President James A. Bryan's report was received and adopted. It showed the road to be in a healthy condition. The year's business showed a net earning of four per cent. Reports from all other departments were received and adopted. The following resolution was offered by Dempsey Wood, of Lenoir county:

"Be it resolved, That no additional mortgage indebtedness be created upon the Atlantic and North Carolina Railroad for any purpose whatever."

The resolution was adopted. The following resolution was introduced by Mr. Wood, of Lenoir county:

"Be it resolved, by the stockholders, that it is the sense of the stockholders holding and controlling the private stock of the Atlantic and North Carolina Railroad Company, that it is to the best interest of the road, the State and the private stockholders alike, that said road be leased."

"Be it further resolved, that when this meeting adjourns it adjourns to meet on Thursday, December 10th, 1903, at Newbern, to further consider the above recommendation in conjunction with the representatives of the State's interest in said road."

The vote stood 805 for, and 152 against.

REAL NOURISHMENT FOR ALL.

Mi-o-na Makes Thin People Fat—J. H. Hill & Son Will Return Money If It Fails.

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PROHIBITION PROSPERS.

A GREAT DAY OF PROGRESS FOR THE CAUSE IN GOLDSBORO YESTERDAY.

The Baptist Church Thronged Last Night to Its Utmost to Hear Rev. R. C. Beaman's Thrilling Arraignment of the Liquor Traffic.

Daily Argus, Sept. 28.

The high water mark was reached yesterday in the Anti-Saloon campaign in our city. The Rev. R. C. Beaman, of Durham, was the central figure of the day. In the morning he preached an eloquent and powerful sermon in St. Paul's M. E. church, from the text, "Who Gave Himself For Our Sins" etc., Gal. 1:4. The large auditorium was well filled.

While the ushers were taking up the morning offering Mrs. William Douglas sang a beautiful solo, which moved the hearts of all her hearers to deeper religious sentiment.

The sermon was an eloquent and forceful presentation of the central theme of the text, the gift of God's love in the person of our Saviour.

The interest of the day, however, centered in the Mass Meeting held at eight o'clock last night in the First Baptist church. By half past seven the people began to enter the building, and by eight o'clock the floor, the gallery, and all the Sunday School room available were crowded to their utmost capacity. The services were entirely informal. Some singing by the efficient choir, a brief prayer by the Rev. M. Bradshaw, and a sentence or two of introduction constituted the preliminaries. Mr. Beaman is a man of commanding presence and of fine appearance on the rostrum. He spoke last night for one hour and fifteen minutes, and during the entire discourse held his audience in rapt attention. It was a large caliber, rapid fire-cannon from beginning to end, before which the walls of the enemy crumbled. He said he did not come here to bandy epithets with saloon men nor their friends, that he made no war on individuals, but upon the saloon as an institution, and this he discussed from three points of view: the business the humanitarian, and that of the home.

All his propositions were plainly and fairly stated, and such was the unerring power of his logic, the aptness and force of his illustrations, and the abounding pathos of the whole, that it is inconceivable that any man present, who loves Goldsboro and seeks intelligently to promote the city's welfare, who appreciates the nobler virtues of manhood, would vote on the eighth of October for the saloon to continue in Goldsboro. He gave trustworthy authority for the statement that if the money which laboring men pour into barroom tills in this country within the space of ten years were devoted to the purchase of homes it would provide every homeless man and woman in all this broad land with a comfortable home; that the same amount devoted to the purchase of the railroads of this country would make the laboring men, in our mines, in our factories and fields, the owners of every mile of rail over which bounds the hissing locomotive, drawing its loads of merchandise or of human freight. He made a conservative estimate of the amount of money that, if the saloons are permitted to run in Wayne county, will be spent in them for liquor within the next ten years, and proved conclusively that it will be sufficient to buy and furnish homes for every man and woman in the county who own no homes to-day.

The issue with us is clear cut. Let

no citizen of Goldsboro mistake it. It is sober business intelligence, thrift and prosperity; the cultivation of humanitarian principles, and the preservation of the home, with all that these things imply, or it is the continuation of the saloon with all its destructive influences.

For which will you vote on October 8?

FIFTEENTH AMENDMENT.

Carmack Talks of Possible Introduction of Measure For Its Repeal.

Nashville, Tenn., Sept. 26.—The American will say to-morrow:

Senator E. W. Carmack, in an interview here to-day, said, when asked about the publication that he would make an effort to secure the repeal of the Fifteenth Amendment:

"I am sorry that the impression has been created that I am preparing to agitate this question in Congress."

"A reporter was discussing with me an article I had written on the race question. He asked me if I intended to introduce a measure for the repeal of the Fifteenth Amendment. I replied that I had not thought of doing so, but added that I might do it just to bring on a debate. That was all."

"I confess that I have a great curiosity to hear the Fifteenth Amendment defended by the Republican leaders, who now take the position that the general principles of the Declaration of Independence are applicable only to white and not to colored men, and who hold that the brown man in the Philippines has no right that the white man in the United States is bound to respect."

"At the same time, I know that any progress toward the repeal of the Fifteenth Amendment depends on its not being made a partisan or sectional question. To make it such would be to check at once a healthy growth of public sentiment. It may well be that any direct effort on the part of a Southern man for its repeal would result in making this a sectional or party question. This must be avoided."

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THE HAYWOOD CASE.

SPECIAL VENIRE OF TWO HUNDRED AND FIFTY MEN ORDERED.

Trial Set For Thursday of This Week—Superior Court Began Yesterday With Judge Peebles On The Bench.

Raleigh Post.

Wake county superior court opened in this city at ten o'clock yesterday morning with Judge Peebles on the bench.

The most important action by the court during the day was the ordering of a venire of 250 men from which to draw a jury to try Ernest Haywood for the killing of Ludlow Skinner. This is the third term since the fatal afternoon in February when Skinner was shot. The first was in March and the case was then continued by Judge Justice to allow more time to prepare the case for the defense. Before the July term the habeas corpus hearing resulted in Haywood's release from prison. At the July term the case was continued for the defendant because of the illness of one or more important witnesses.

Nothing was said in court yesterday about a further continuance, and there was no resistance to the State's request for a special venire further than an expressed desire on the part of defendant's counsel to know if the State intended to try Mr. Haywood on a charge of murder in the first degree. The information was not given and the venire was ordered drawn from the box. The case is set for hearing Thursday, October 1st.

GOVERNMENT COTTON REPORT.

(Special to the ARGUS.)

Washington, D. C., Sept. 29. With generally seasonable temperature and practically no rain over nearly the entire cotton belt. Cotton has opened rapidly and picking has been actively carried on, a large part of the crop having already been gathered.

Cool nights and the very general prevalence of drought in the central and western districts have been detrimental and rust and shedding continues to be extensively reported, although rust is somewhat less prevalent in Georgia, and on the whole, especially in central and western portions of the belt.

Little or no top crop is promised. In Texas, the plant almost entirely ceased fruiting and in some central counties is dying.

In North Carolina the conditions have favored the maturity of late cotton, and in South Carolina premature opening has been checked. The weather map of September 29 shows that good showers fell over a large part of drought region of Texas and in Oklahoma during the past twenty four hours.

NEGROES ON THE NILE.

Tarcoma, Wash., Sept. 28.—Leigh Hunt, millionaire mining operator in Korea, has joined with Booker Washington in a wholesale colonization undertaking which promises to go a long way toward solving the negro question.

The project includes the reclamation of several hundred thousand acres tributary to the River Nile in the Soudan and the cultivation of the land by negroes who are to be taken from the United States.

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ITEMS OF INTEREST FROM DIVERS SOURCES.

The Latest Telegraphic News of the Day Boiled Down to a Focus For Busy Readers.

Wilmington, N. C., Sept. 28.—The German gunboat "Panther" is in the midst of a royal reception here from civil and military authorities, the staunch little war craft having passed up the river and anchored at the custom house wharf this morning.

Atlanta, Sept. 23.—Dr. W. P. Rushin, a prominent and well-to-do physician of Albany, Ga., has written to Gov. Terrell asking that he be allowed to serve the remainder of the life term for which his father, now 64 years of age, was sentenced 8 years ago for murder.

Lexington, S. C., Sept. 23.—Jas. H. Tillman, former lieutenant governor of South Carolina, was placed on trial here to-day in the Circuit court for Lexington county, under an indictment, charging him with the murder of N. G. Gonzales, editor of the Columbia State.

Chicago, Sept. 23.—The fair and pleasant weather that prevailed over the corn belt for the past few days was followed late to-day by a high wind and lower temperature. In North Dakota it is freezing and frosts are predicted for to-night in the Dakotas, Minnesota and portions of Iowa and Nebraska.

Buffalo, N. Y., Sept. 24.—Mrs. Jefferson Davis, widow of the President of the Southern Confederacy, is seriously ill at Castle Inn, in this city. Dr. Charles G. Stockton was summoned at noon when Mrs. Davis' condition alarmed those in attendance. Late this afternoon another physician was called in for consultation. Dr. Stockton, when leaving the hotel shortly before six o'clock, said: "Mrs. Davis is in a serious condition, but her illness is not of a nature that need necessarily prove fatal."

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