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Stockholders' Meeting. RALEIGH, N. C., January 10th, 1888. The annual meeting of the stockholders of the North Carolina Home Insurance Company will be held at their office on Wednesday, the 1st day of February, A. D. 1888, at 12 o'clock m.

Fertilizer Analyses at the Experiment Station. NO. 1. PRELIMINARY REPORT. (Official.) RALEIGH, N. C., Jan. 18, 1888. It is deemed advisable to issue this preliminary report before any fertilizer analyses are sent out by the Experiment Station in order that every one who is interested in the forthcoming analyses will be able to recognize what difficulties have to be met in the varied requirements incident to the regulation of fertilizer control.

1. That owing to the late period at which the analyses have heretofore appeared, the benefits to the farmers who wish to consult these analyses before purchasing their fertilizers for the spring sowing have not been as great as could be the case were these analyses given to the public at an earlier date.

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CONGRESS. PROCEEDINGS IN THE SENATE AND HOUSE. THE SENATE ADJOURNS TILL MONDAY—THE MELBOURNE EXPOSITION—OTHER NEWS BY WIRE.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 19.—SENATE.—Among the petitions and memorials presented today were the following: Asking that goods manufactured by convict labor shall be so marked; in favor of the postal telegraph system; for an international copyright law; for amendment of the patent laws; for the adjustment of the tariff so as to prevent unequal burdens; to develop the material resources of the country, and at the same time afford just compensation to labor, the latter being the action of the Chattanooga Chamber of Commerce; for liquor prohibition in the District of Columbia; and a resolution for amendment prohibiting the liquor traffic.

Mr. Hale, from the committee on appropriations, reported back the delayed deficiency bill, and stated that the amendments reported by the committee were but few in number, and that he would ask the Senate to pass the bill next Monday.

Mr. Hawley offered a resolution directing the Secretary of the Interior to report a plan of action thought by him to be needed for the disposition of the public timber lands so as to secure the preservation of the natural forest lands at the head waters of navigable rivers, and to put within the rights of settlers a legal means of providing themselves with timber for building their homes. Adopted.

After agreeing to the motion that adjournment today shall be till Monday, the Senate, at 12:40, on motion of Mr. Sherman, proceeded to the consideration of executive business.

The Senate continued in consideration of executive business till 4:35, when it adjourned till Monday.

HOUSE. Mr. Seney, of Ohio, from the committee on judiciary, reported the bill to regulate practice in causes removed from State courts. House calendar.

In the consideration of the morning hour the House resumed in committee the consideration of the joint resolution accepting the invitation to the United States to participate in the Melbourne Exposition, the pending question being an amendment offered by Mr. McAdoo, of New Jersey, reducing the appropriation from \$50,000 to \$5,000.

presided over the House of Representatives. Mr. Breckinridge, of Kentucky, seconded the resolution in an eloquent speech, after which it was adopted and the House at 4:30 adjourned.

WASHINGTON NOTES. Washington, D. C., Jan. 19.—The Senate this afternoon ratified the extradition treaty with the Netherlands. The greater part of today's executive session was devoted to the consideration of extradition treaties.

The seal of secrecy has been removed from a long list of confirmations by the Senate, most of them of nominations for promotion in the army and navy and postmasters. Among the confirmations are the following: P. S. Hunter, collector of customs, Pappanhook, Va. Postmasters—H. A. Pope, Manchester, Va.; H. A. Jordan, Ferdinand, Fla.; W. G. Stone, Charleston, Miss.; J. F. Kullo, Cuthbert, Georgia; John P. Redding, Barnsville, Ga.; W. T. Broyles, Dayton, Tenn.

Train Robbers. East St. Louis, Jan. 19.—Train robbers were found last night in an attempt to rob an express train on the Washab and Western road at Cooley's Lake, twenty-four miles east of Kansas City.

Paralyzed in Court. DAYTON, O., Jan. 19.—Margaret Grundish, having a case in court, was paralyzed during the progress of the trial yesterday afternoon. She suffered a second stroke during the night and died at 4 o'clock this morning.

Miner Ordered to Stop for Storms. MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Jan. 19.—A Journal Pierre, Dakota, special says: Trains have been ordered to wait the abatement of the storm.

OUR MOUNTAIN REGION. ANOTHER COLD WAVE—"BLOW SNOW" FILLING THE ATMOSPHERE. Cor. of the News and Observer. ASHEVILLE, N. C., Jan. 18. Another cold wave is on. What is known locally as "blow snow" is filling the atmosphere this morning under the action of a high nor'west wind.

Rev. Dr. Bays left this morning for Tate Springs for the benefit of his health. He was accompanied by his family.

FIRST SKIRMISH ON THE SUBJECT OF REVENUE REFORM. IN THE WAY AND MEANS COMMITTEE—VICTORY FOR THE REFORMERS—OTHER TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 19.—The first skirmish of opposition lines on the subject of revenue reform took place today in the ways and means committee, resulting in a slight victory for the tariff reformers. Chairman Mills, who has been indisposed for a day or two, was unable to attend and Mr. McMillin, of Tennessee, presided.

A formal motion was made by him to refer to the appropriate committee the various bills referred to the committee that have been received from the Public Printer. It was adopted.

Mr. McKinley, of Ohio, then moved to take up and consider his bill repealing the tobacco tax. Some discussion ensued, from which it appeared that the Democratic majority was averse to considering any specific reduction bill at this time, preferring to take up that class of bills in connection with the general reduction bill which is the intention of the committee to present to the House.

Unprecedented Cold in Texas. CHICAGO, Jan. 19.—A special from Burnett, Tex., says: Reports are beginning to come in from the wheat districts of serious damage to that cereal and it is feared every field of wheat in Burnett, Wilson and other counties along the Colorado river has been destroyed by the severe frost.

Liability of an Insurance Agent to His Cor. of the News and Observer. The question of how far an agent of an insurance company can go of his own accord, in disregard of his principal's instructions, is a matter of considerable interest.

THE PACIFIC RAILROADS. PRESIDENT CLEVELAND'S SPECIAL MESSAGE TO CONGRESS CONCERNING THEM. On Tuesday the President sent to Congress a message transmitting the Pacific railroad reports. The House ordered the message and reports to be printed.

After reviewing the circumstances under which the Commission was appointed and the duties prescribed for them by act of Congress, the President says the Commissioners have been unable to agree upon how these roads should be treated respecting their indebtedness to the United States or to unite upon the plan best calculated to secure the payment of such indebtedness.

A TRIUMPH. FOR THE WOMAN SUFFRAGISTS. THE BALLOT GIVEN THEM IN WASHINGTON TERRITORY—OTHER NEWS BY WIRE.

OLYMPIA, January 19.—At a late hour last night Governor Semple signed the bill giving the ballot to the women of Washington Territory.

Death of a Noted Horse. LEXINGTON, Ky., Jan. 19.—Milton Young's stallion, Pizarro, by Adventurer, dam Milliner, by Rataplan, valued at \$15,000, died last night of pneumonia.

Fifteen Buildings Burned. ALBANY, Ga., Jan. 19.—A fire at Thomson, Ga., today destroyed fifteen buildings. Loss about \$30,000.

Winston News. COR. OF THE NEWS AND OBSERVER. WINSTON, Jan. 18, 1888. Snow, sleet, sleet, sleet and sunshine. The grand five-S combination has made the highways, both in town and country, almost impossible to travel, yet people travel, and despite the terrible condition of the roads, and the miserable weather, farmers continue to crowd the warehouses with the golden weed.

There is no abatement in prices of tobacco. Every grade is eagerly taken at good figures, and the sale is characterized by the liveliest interest. I am told that extensive preparations are being made for a large crop next year. There will no doubt be an increase in acreage, but I do not think, after the serious experience of farmers last year, that they will ever crop themselves again.

Mr. Hitchcock has been here several days prospecting with the view of establishing a chair factory on an extensive scale. I understand he is quite favorably impressed with the town, the people, and, so far as he has been able to learn, with the resources of the country. He is especially impressed with our educational and church advantages. The chair factory would give employment to about 200 hands, and would in various ways prove of great benefit to our community.

Mr. A. G. Carter, one of the proprietors of the City Hotel here, was married in Atlanta a few days ago to Miss Lucia Wallace, of Millen, Ga., a very pretty and accomplished young lady. There was some romance connected with the marriage, but everything passed off beautifully, and they are happy.

Wanted. A family Washington gambler, it is said, will soon go to preaching. He would have begun it ten years ago, but he has only just now found a cure for his cough. It is Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup.

Sound Sticks, Clear of Knots. The Raleigh News and Observer sends down a draft of gubernatorial sticks, clear of knots, we find our townsman Clement Manly, Esq., Charles F. Warren, Esq., of Washington, James Edwin Moore of Martin and W. D. Pruden. Two venerable and accomplished editors, fathers of the Charlotte Democrat, and Creevy of the Economist are also in the lot.

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