

MISSIE WARREN'S DEATH

Major Newell's Wife and General Tom Thumb's Sister-in-Law.

Minnie Warren, the youngest, brightest and prettiest of Mr. Barnum's dwarfs, died in Middleboro, Mass., on Tuesday evening, in childhood. She was the youngest of a family of eight children, all of whom except herself and her sister Lavinia, now Mrs. Tom Thumb, were of ordinary size. When Minnie was eleven years of age she joined the Tom Thumb troupe, and for fifteen years she traveled almost continually, visiting nearly all the civilized parts of the globe. She was 40 inches in height, and never attained a weight to exceed 45 pounds, being considerably shorter and more slender than Mrs. Thumb. She was 27 years of age at the time of her death. To a pretty face she added pleasant disposition and winning ways, and she became the fast favorite of Mr. Barnum as well as of the public. When Tom Thumb was married to Lavinia Warren the general opinion was that Commodore Nutt would take Minnie for his bride, but the little Commodore had set his affections on Lavinia, and his little heart was blighted when General Thumb won her from him.

"Never mind, Commodore," the jovial Barnum said, "Minnie Warren is a better match for you. She is younger than you, while Lavinia is several years older."

"Thank you, sir," the Commodore said, "I would not marry the best woman living. I don't believe in woman, anyway."

Time lessened Commodore Nutt's grief, and he partly renewed his attentions to Miss Minnie. But, after his first disappointment in love, it is said he became a fast young man, and Minnie, like a wise young body, discouraged his advances.

A few years ago Barnum found another biliputian, Major Newell, who was recommended by Gen. Grant, Jr., and added to the Tom Thumb combination. The major was bright and intelligent, and he and Minnie became great friends. About a year ago they were married, and they lived happily together with Gen. Thumb and wife in Middleboro. Their last tour together was in the Western States, from which they recently returned.

When Mr. Barnum was in the city recently he let out the secret, which had been closely kept by Minnie's family, but the memory of the spurious Thumb baby led many to regard the story as a Barnum hoax. But the New Haven women soon discovered the purchase of little bits of muslin, lace and flannel by members of the Warren household, and secrecy became impossible. A lady friend who visited the Warrens described the little garments as "too comical for anything." Dulis' patterns were used, and the little slips and wrappers were made one-sixth of the size of garments for ordinary babies.

Mrs. Newell is described as looking forward to maternity with great anticipations of happiness and no misgivings. Her husband, however, had gloomy forebodings, and expressed the greatest solicitude. Her death was a great shock to her family. The child died at birth, it weighed five pounds and ten ounces. Four hours later the mother died from exhaustion.

Mrs. Newell's death caused deep sorrow in Middleboro, where she and her sister were much loved. Much sympathy is expressed for Major Newell, who is overwhelmed with grief. Mrs. Newell is to be buried in Middleboro this afternoon.

The announcement of Mrs. Newell's death was received with many expressions of regret by the members of the old Museum company in this city. Mr. Barnum is now with his show in Indiana. His son-in-law, Mr. Hurd, who is full of reminiscences of the Liliputian family, is in business in this city and is spending the summer at Mr. Barnum's home in Bridgeport.

A gentleman who was with Mr. Barnum for several years says that Major and Mrs. Newell were the smallest wedded pair that ever lived. One smaller couple is mentioned by Marco Polo in his travels in Tartary. They were each 25 years of age, and twelve and eleven inches in height respectively. They married by order of the Khan, and their fourth son was six feet two inches in height. There are some doubts as to the correctness of Polo's figures.

Gen. Tom Thumb and wife have grown corpulent in the last few years, and neither appears so diminutive as in their younger days. The General has been wealthy, but has lived extravagantly and spent a fortune in yachting and other sports, and possesses only a moderate competence. He is 41 years of age.

A TENNESSEE TRAGEDY.

Two Persons Murdered and Several Wounded.

NAZEVILLE, Tenn., July 24.—In an affray this morning between Samuel Hicks and Edwin, Nathaniel, Jere and Jones Baxter, sons of Judge Nathaniel Baxter, Democratic nominee for reelection as judge of the circuit court, Hicks and Jones Baxter were fatally shot. The former received several shots from the Baxter's, and his skull was fractured in two places by blows from the muzzle of a pistol in the hands of one of them. Jones Baxter received only one shot, which entered his body near the heart, and from some party unknown. Hicks expired in a few minutes, and Jones Baxter in about an hour. Jere Baxter received a slight wound in the hand. Nathaniel Baxter in the foot, and a negro girl thirteen years old, was struck in the thigh by a stray shot, which inflicted a painful but not fatal wound. The affray grew out of remark derogatory to the father of the Baxter-by-Hicks, in a speech at a meeting of candidates for county offices on the independent ticket the evening previous. The Baxters gave a bond for \$20,000 for their appearance on Monday week.

FROM ALL PARTS OF THE WORLD.

Comments on the Peace Treaty.

THE TURKS SATISFIED WITH ENGLAND'S POSITION.

Gambetta's Views.

ITALIAN ANNEXATION AGITATION.

LONDON, July 25.—The Times, in a leading editorial article yesterday morning, said—"The confidence with which Lord Beaconsfield and his colleagues have worked together is equally honorable to each of them, and it is appropriate that their services have been recognized on the part of the crown by similar honors. There appears to be every reason to believe that the approval thus expressed of the work of the Congress at Berlin will be confirmed by the mature judgment of all impartial critics.

"The passing irritation which has been so intemperately expressed in Italy is evidently disapproved, not merely by the government and the best statesmen of the country, but by the better judgment of the nation at large. It is rebuked everywhere else, and will doubtless soon give way to juster views. From other countries we receive evidence of increasing satisfaction, and the hasty rhetoric which assumed that every other nation was offended by the course we had taken is likely to be promptly refuted.

"A letter which we publish this morning from Constantinople, gives a striking account of the heartiness with which the people of Turkey have welcomed our occupation of Cyprus and of the hopes they entertain that it will prove the starting point for gradual introduction of good administration in the rest of the Sultan's dominions of Asia. Complete confidence appears to be felt by the Sultan's subjects in the justice of our rule and our desire for their welfare, and it is anticipated that in a short time the recovered prosperity of Cyprus will be so conspicuous as to furnish an irresistible impulse to the introduction of similar principles of administration in the adjacent Continent."

EIGHT MILES UNDER WATER.

The Remarkable Feat of a Diver near New York.

New York, July 24.—The attempt of Robert Russell, the champion diver, to walk eight miles in five hours, under water, took place on Long Island Sound to day, at South Brother and Ricker's island. Russell made the attempt for a wager of \$1,000. At 11:30 a. m. he put on a diving suit weighing 210 pounds. A boat with judges, air-pumps and life-line accompanied him. He walked sixty-five feet under water over a measured course one-sixth of a mile in length, which he had to traverse forty-eight times. Russell is five feet nine inches in height, and weighs 150 pounds. He recently accomplished the same feat at Bridgeport, Conn. He made the first mile in 35 minutes, which was 2 minutes ahead of time, as his average time was 37 minutes to the mile. He made the second mile in 39 minutes. On the third, one of his stakes under water broke, and he had to come to the top. It took him 47 minutes to make the third mile, having to stop 10 minutes by the accident. The fourth was made in 47 minutes, the fifth mile in 30, the sixth in 29, and on the seventh he fell against a rock and injured his hip. He made the eighth mile in 39 minutes, and finished 23 minutes ahead of time, covering eight miles in 4 hours and 37 minutes. He was completely exhausted at the finish.

CAROLINA.

Barboro Southerner: Gen. Clingman's out in another letter—but, but, we told him he'd write himself out of the U. S. Senate.

Goldsboro Messenger: Our radical candidates boldly proclaim that they will not support O'Hara.

C. M. Busbee said in his address that Adam was the first Odd-Fellow.—Torchlight. But he got Eve'n pretty soon.—Barboro Southerner.

Goldsboro Messenger: The political gatherings in this county are all very largely attended. The outlook is all that the Democrats could desire. We will not only hold our own, but increase our majority.

Elizabeth City Economist: The lightning struck the telegraph wire near E. City, on Saturday, shivered two or three posts and produced a report in the office that did not act as a nerveless anodyne on the operators.

Greensboro Patriot: The "oldest inhabitants" say that there has not been such a drought in this section within twenty years. Even the evergreens are withering while the gardens and corn-fields look as if a little conflagration had walked over them.

The Albemarle Greys is the name of a military company recently organized at Edenton with the following officers: For Captain: W. B. Shepard, For 1st Lieutenant: C. W. Cason. For 2nd Lieutenant: (Jr) R. E. Perkins. For Surgeon: Dr. W. J. Leary.

Goldsboro Messenger: The canvass in Greene county is progressing satisfactorily to the Democrats. Capt. Darden is making vigorous, telling speeches. The election of J. F. Parrott for the Senate is generally conceded. The Rads. have put up W. E. Ormond against him, the best they could.

Raleigh News: A colored youth, Thomas Young by name, made an early visit to

Devereux's meadows yesterday, taking with him his fowling piece. He was creeping up on some small birds, when suddenly, with a rush and whirl of wings a gigantic fowl rose in the air near him. Trembling with excitement, he brought his gun to a level and fired at the creature, bringing it down. His prize proved to be an enormous blue heron, five feet high and with a spread of wings of six feet. The bird was very fat, as usual, its weight being ten ounces. Wasn't it ten pounds?—REVIEW.

Raleigh News: James E. O'Hara, Chairman of the Board of Commissioners for Halifax county, has recently had said board to allow himself five hundred, and two other lawyers one thousand dollars each, total two thousand five hundred dollars, to defend the county in a suit for salt bonds, said bonds having long since been declared invalid by our Supreme Court in Leak vs. Commissioners of Richmond county. This is a last grab for the O'Hara.

North State Press: One Bill Brown, on Thursday last, attempted to commit rape upon a child about 9 years of age, by the name of Jackson, living about 4 miles from town. Brown went to the house for the purpose of borrowing a shovel and finding no one at home but the child, committed the deed. He had a hearing before the magistrate on Saturday and the evidence was so conclusive of guilt, that he has been committed to jail to await the Superior Court.

Greensboro Patriot: The Directors of the Fayetteville R. R. met yesterday at Franklinsville to determine the route it should run—and after due deliberation and consultation with the friends of the Factory route determined to locate upon the straight line via Ore Hill, as far as Matthews'. The difference in the cost by the straight line from Matthews' to this place, and via the factories is estimated to be \$100,000, which Randolph will be required to raise to secure the location. A considerable number of people were there and were appealed to for help by Dr. Worth and were also addressed by J. H. Myrover, of Fayetteville.

Raleigh News: The interior of the new Post Office building grows daily more beautiful. The doors have been hung, and are of yellow pine, handsomely designed and highly polished. The metal work of the doors is bronze, and is sub-an in all white elegant. The glazer's work is completed on the first floor. The iron pillars are now being a gray color. The number of visitors to the building, attracted by descriptions of it, is growing large. The discomforts of the present tiny office will soon be things of the past.

Murfreesboro Enquirer: The Green-back Labor Party has organized in Pasquotank county, and nominated its ticket for county officers. We look upon it as one of the worst moves that has ever been made to defeat the redemption of the country. As we have said, if there is anything to be accomplished it must be done by united effort, and every split among the people is suicidal to party interests. Gentlemen, there are but two parties in this country. Which will you take; the one that has plundered the country for the past sixteen years, or the one that promises and brings about redemption in your midst?

Charlotte Democrat: Gen. Clingman has written another letter about the Senatorial election, in which we think he unnecessarily assails Gov. Vance. We published, some weeks ago, the views and historical statements of Gen. Clingman in regard to elections for U. S. Senator, because we considered them fair and proper and truthful, but we shall not publish the General's last letter for the reason that we do not think it will tend towards harmonizing and uniting the Democratic party. For the same reason we have opposed the pledging of candidates for the Legislature in favor of some particular individual for office. All the quarreling about U. S. Senator now in advance of the meeting of the Legislature is out of time and out of order.

A Big Wheel Burst.

PITTSBURG, Pa., July 24.—The twelve-foot fly wheel in Painter & Son's hoop mill burst about 7 o'clock this evening and completely wrecked the building, an iron clad structure 50x100 feet. The employes foresaw the danger and fled before the wheel burst. The accident was caused by the breaking of the governor belt.

THE NEW RAILROAD.

[Charlotte Democrat.] The Winston & Mooreville Railroad Company was organized at Mocksville on the 17th inst., by the election of the following Board of Directors: C. H. Wiley and S. E. Allen of Forsythe, A. M. Booc and W. C. Wilson of Davie, Isaac Harris of Iredell, and—Lawrence of Rowan.

The road is to be narrow gauge and run direct from Winston to Mooreville on the Charlotte & Statesville Railroad, crossing the Western N. C. Railroad about 13 miles above Salisbury or near Rowan Mills. Mr. James O. Moore, the engineer, estimates that it can be built and equipped for \$6,000 per mile. It will develop a rich section and advance the prosperity of the people along the line and adjacent country.

Notice.

FROM THIS DATE all merchandise must be removed from the Wharves of the New York and Baltimore Steamers the day before the arrival of succeeding Steamer, otherwise the goods will be stored in warehouse, subject to drayage, storage, insurance, &c. July 15 A. D. CAZAUX, Agent.

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100 WELL BROKEN HARNESS AND SADDLE HORSES For sale. (Can suit anybody in style, speed and action.) NORTHROP & CUMMING. July 8

Capt. Galloway's Appointments. Capt. Swift Galloway, Democratic Candidate for Superior Court Solicitor, will address the people at the following places: Wilmington, Friday, July 26th. Point Caswell, Saturday, July 27th. Goldsboro, Monday, July 29th. Beaufort, Tuesday, July 30th. Hookerton, Wednesday, July 31st. The citizens are most respectfully and earnestly requested to meet as above stated.

The Thermometer.

From the United States Signal Office at this place we obtain the following record of the thermometer, as taken this morning at 7:31 o'clock:

Augusta, Ga.....81	Memphis, Tenn.....79
Cairo, Ill.....79	Mobile, Ala.....84
Charleston, S. C.....80	Montgomery, Ala.....81
Cincinnati.....81	New Orleans.....81
Corsicana, Tex.....78	New York.....73
Havana.....84	Savannah, Ga.....82
Fort Gibson, C. N.....76	Shreveport.....79
Galveston.....86	St. Louis, Mo.....79
Indianola.....86	St. Marks, Fla.....80
Jacksonville, Fla.....83	Vicksburg, Miss.....83
Knoxville.....79	Washington, D. C.....77
Lynchburg.....79	Wilmington, N. C.....76

Consumption Cured.

An old physician, retired from practice, having had placed in his hands by an East India missionary the formula of a simple vegetable remedy, for the speedy and permanent cure for consumption, bronchitis, catarrh, asthma, and all throat and lung affections, also a positive and radical cure for nervous debility and all nervous complaints, after having tested its wonderful curative powers in thousands of cases, has felt it his duty to make it known to his suffering fellow-men. Actuated by this motive, and a desire to relieve human suffering, I will send, free of charge, to all who desire it, this recipe, with full directions for preparing and using, in German, French, or English. Sent by mail, free by addressing with stamp naming this paper. W. W. Sherar, 149 Powers' Block, Rochester, New York. July 16-18

COMMERCIAL NEWS.

WILMINGTON MARKET JULY 26-1891 M. I.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Steady at 20 1/2 cents. Sales of 200 casks at that figure.

ROBIN—Quiet at \$1.20 for Strained and \$1.22 1/2 for Good Strained—an advance of 2 1/2 cents on yesterday's quotations. No sales reported.

TAR—Firm at \$1.60.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—Steady at \$1.00 for Hard, \$1.75 for Soft and \$2.00 for Virgin. Sales of receipts at quotations.

COTTON—Firm. Sales of 10 bales at the following official quotations:

Ordinary.....	8 1/2	Cents
Good Ordinary.....	9 1/2	"
Strict Good Ordinary.....	10 1/2	"
Low Middling.....	10 1/2	"
Middling.....	11	"
Good Middling.....	11 1/2	"

DAILY RECEIPTS.

Cotton.....	50 bales
Spirits Turpentine.....	560 casks
Robinson.....	1,198 bbls
Tar.....	11 " "
Crude Turpentine.....	811 "

MARINE NEWS.

ARRIVED.

Steamer A P Hurt, Worth, Fayetteville, Worth & Worth.

Steamer W. W. Robeson, Fayetteville, Williams & Murchison.

Steamer North East, Paddison, Point Caswell, Paddison.

Steamer J S Underhill, Latham, Smithville, O G Parsley & Co.

Steam-yacht Passport, Harper, Smithville, Geo Myers.

Steamer E. A. Shelly, Philadelphia, Harris & Howell, with 120 tons iron for Atlantic Coast Line.

CLEARED.

Steamer A P Hurt, Worth, Fayetteville, Worth & Worth.

Steamer North East, Paddison, Point Caswell, Paddison.

Steamer J S Underhill, Latham, Smithville, O G Parsley & Co.

Steam-yacht Passport, Harper, Smithville, Geo Myers.

Nor barque Jerben, Svendsen, Bristol, Eng, Alex Sprunt & Son.

Exports.

Bristol, Eng.—Nor barque Jerben—1,600 casks spirits, 230 bbls rosin.

Miscellaneous.

EXTRA INDUCEMENTS!

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Miscellaneous. REVOLVER FREE Seven-shot Revolver with box cartridges. Address, J. Bown & Son, 136 & 138 Wood st., Pittsburgh, Pa. July 16 4w.

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To the Voters of New Hanover County.

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First National Bank.

THE DAWSON BANK IS NOW CONSOLIDATED with this Bank. The Depositors of the former are notified that their deposits and certificates are assumed by THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK. DIRECTORS: E. E. BURRUSS, JAS. DAWSON, JAMES SPRUNT, ALFRED MARTIN D. G. WORTH. OFFICERS: E. E. BURRUSS, President. JAS. DAWSON, Vice President. A. K. WALKER, Cashier. WM. LARKINS, Asst. Cashier. H. M. BOWDEN, Teller. June 12-1891 Star copy.

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