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Lives that were full of happiness, Others that teamed with sin; Shadowy phantoms of bygone days On a suffering soul torn full their gaze,

And we long for the "Might have But the longing is vain, for the past is

And a passing present is all we know. Futurity's riddle we may not read, But the pains of the past with its lust and greed, Should tell us the way to go.

Prince and pauper are peers in death, Their ashes are blown where their feet once trod, Out of the past with its weal and Into the future of doubt we go, Christian and Pagan to face one God! -Denver News.

SUNDAY SELECTIONS.

- Trifles make up life. But trifles magnified destroy life's happiness. - Love is the highest word. It is the synonym of God.—Lamartine.

find out what he is able to do.-Hab-- There was never yet a truly great man that was not at the same time virtuous.—Franklin.

- Think nothing too small to do for God. Also, as surely, think nothing too large to undertake which the Spirit bids you do. - The blood shed by our brothers

in the performance of duty does not wash away for us the same duty.— Rev. G. C. Shepptrd. - The first virtue is to restrain the tongue. He approaches nearest

the gods who knows how to be silent, even though he is in the right."-Beth - Disease of the mind blots out the light of reason; disease of the body blots out the light of physical life; dis-ease of the soul blots out the light of

eternal Hope. - We are apt to make charity an obligation which rests upon the rich

alone, but nothing can be universal and yet contingent upon circumstance. Charity is a virtue that belongs to the rich and the poor alike. - Presbyterian Journal. - Great occasions do not make

heroes of cowards; they simply unveil them to the eyes of men. Silently and imperceptibly, as we wake or sleep, we grow and wax strong, we grow and wax weak, and at last some crisis shows us what we have become.

- Comparatively few appeals for money should be heard from our pulpits. There is a better way of organizing the missionary and benevolent activities of a church. While people should be taught to give, it is not wise to address a begging appeal to a man every time he enters a church door .- Watchman.

- Stanly Enterprise: Our correspondent at Faith Rowan County, says that J. T. Wyatt, at that place, has a gourd that holds one and one third bushels of wheat, Mr. Wyatt has a limited number of these seed and will send one to any person sending the necessary postage.

- Monroe Enquirer: One of the most novel cases of larceny we have heard of comes from a farmer who reports that the seeds were stolen from his cabbage plant bed a few days ago. The top soil was all raked off by the thief and carried away to another plant

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NEWS FROM RALEIGH

The State Board of Agriculture Met and Elected Various Officers.

THE C. F. AND N. RAILROAD.

To be Built to Fayetteville-New Cotton Mill-North and South Carolina Rallway-Insurance Commissioner Young-Negro Troops.

[Special Star Correspondence.] RALEIGH, N. C., March 9. Insurance Commissioner Jas. R.

Young was sworn in yesterday before Judge Brown, and this morning he assumed the duties of his office. His office will be in the Capitol, on the third floor. Mr. W. W. Wilson, of this city, will be his chief clerk. As soon as he can close out his business at Henderson Mr. Young will reside

A recruiting station for enlistment in the regular army will be opened here at once by Maj. Chas. L. Davis, U. S. A.

Twenty cars carrying the Tenth Immunes, colored, from Macon to Washington, passed here this morning over the Seaboard. The train ran in two sections. These troops have been musered out.

C. F. and N. Railroad.

The Cape Fear and Northern railroad will, it is announced, be built on to Favetteville. Some twenty miles have been completed at the Apex end of the road, and trains will be run over it next week regularly.

Work will begin at once, Col. John S. Cunningham says, on the \$100,000 cotton mill incorporated by the Legis-lature just adjourned. Much of the brick to be used has already been burned. The mill will be completed

sometime during the Fall.

The survey of the North and South Carolina Railroad, chartered by the recent Legislature, has been com-menced. This road will run from Virgilina, on the North Carolina-Virginia line, through the State by way of Roxboro and Wadesboro, to Sout Carolina. At present it will probably be built only from Virgilina to the copper mines in Caswell county. There is already a large force of hands employed at these mines and much ore is ready for shipment. It is proposed to erect a smelting furnace at the mines, the nearest furnace of the kind now being in New Jersey.

The State Board of Agriculture met this afternoon at 4 o'clock for the Unless a man works he cannot of the Agriculture by various officers o transact such business as may be

eemed necessary. The following are the newly elected nembers of the board: Col. John S. Cunningham, of Person; Mr. S. L. Hart, of Edgcombe; Col. J.B. Grimes, e of Pitt; Mr. R. H. Jones, of Wake; of Pitt; Mr. R. H. Jones, of Wake; Mr. Dill, of Jackson; Mr. Bunch, of Guilford; Mr. J. W. Bailey, of Wake; Mr. J. A. Stephens, of Wayne; Mr. A. T. McCallum, of Robeson; Mr. W. D. Smith; Mr. W. A. Heart, of Bertie; Mr. G. W. R. Weston, Bunches Mr. J. Luther World of Supercombe; Mr. Luther Waugh, of Surry;

J. B. Coffield, of Martin. The following is the list of the offi cers in the department: Secretary and auditor to Board, resident inspector, resident inspector's clerk, five itinerant inspectors, mail ing clerk, assistant mailing clerk, janitors, usher to museum, curator to museum, State chemist, four assistant State chemists, clerk to Analyti-

cal Department, two stenographers

and typewriters, night watchman, engineer, immigration agent, clerk to immigration agent.

The Board of Agriculture organized by electing Col. John S. Cunningham chairman and Mr. T. B. Bruner secretary. Mr. Bruner's term of office begins June 15th, the day the term of J. . Ramsey, the present clerk, expires. No other officers were elected to day. The per diem of members is fixed at \$4.00 during the actual sitting of the

board and not while on the way to and from the meetings. Died at Rex Hospital.

Representative Trotman, of Gates died at Rex Hospital this morning a 12.55, of pneumonia. His death was not unexpected, as he had been unconscious since Tuesday and the physicians had given up all hope.

Mr. Trotman was taken sick with the grip week before last and took to his bed a week before last Sunday. It developed into pneumonia and he was removed to Rex Hospital last Friday, where he was given the best attention possible by physicians and skilled nurses. His daughter, Miss Hattie, arrived here last Monday and was a constant attendant at his bedside. Mr. Trotman was about 60 years of age and made a faithful Representative. It was known among the members of the Legislature yesterday that the end was near and under the last resolution passed by the Legislature \$100 is available to defray the funeral

The body was taken home this mornng on the 11.45 Seaboard Line train

[Special Star Telegram.] Nearly all the members of the Legislature have left the city. In all 2071 bills were introduced at this session. The largest number ever before known

was 1889 in 1897. will hear argument in the penitentiary suit next Tuesday. If Capt. Day wins Wilber F. Stone, of Colorado; S. S. Sinsh, of Kansas; William W. Murhe will be unable to get money to run ray, of Tennessee; Thomas C. Fuller, the penitentiary.

RALEIGH, N. C., March 10 .- The trustees of the A. and M. College will meet for organization on Monday.

Keeper of the Capitol Burns claims he is in office for two years more, and refuses to give way to Mr. Cherry, the newly elected keeper of the Capitol. The courts will be appealed to.

The assistants in the office of the Enrolling Clerk have presented chief clerk Norell with a handsome table

Wake Superior Court is still in session. The summons docket was called The twenty-third annual State Convention of the Young Men's Christian Association is in session at Trinity Church, Durham. On the programme for to-night is "The Army and Navy, Camp Fire Tales from those who were there," by Howard Caldwell, General

Secretary, Wilmington. Bureau of Labor Act.

By a mistake either in drawing or copying the bill repealing the Bureau of Labor act and establishing the Bu-reau of Labor and Printing, the Legis-lature has added to the duties of the lature has added to the duties of the commissioner (Mr. Lacy) that of being tax collector for Bryson City. This is done in these words: "And shall perform all the duties prescribed in Chapter 15, Public Laws of 1897." Now, Chapter 15 is "An Act for the relief of A. H. Elmore, former tax collector for the town of Bryson City." The chapter meant is 251, which is "An Act to provide for the inspection and regulation of mines."

or more faithful representatives than did New Hanover in Messrs. Roun-tree and Willard. They were recog nized leaders-the one in matters of law and the other in questions of

Status of Clerks and Employes.

By an oversight the resolution providing for an adjournment of the Legislature until June, 1900, had nothing to say in regard to the pay of clerks and employes. And now it is claimed and the Auditor has so ruled, that by a strict construction of the law the will be entitled to draw pay for that time. The clerks, however, say they will make no such claim and it is doubtful whether the courts would sustain them if they did. It would take \$159,000 to pay the clerks and em-ployes for this time. The Legislature cost \$66,500, as far

as can now be ascertained; that of 1897 cost \$70,760, while the one in 1895 limbed up to \$72,266.

[Special Star-Telegram.] The State Board of Agriculture held nother meeting to-day. No officers were elected, as had been anticipated, the Board having decided to defer all active work unril after the next meeting, on April 26th. A committee, composed of three members of the Board and Pros. Holmes and Secretary Bruner, was appointed to receive bids and specifications for an annex to the museum, and to make report at the next meeting of the Board.

The three members of the Fish Committee (Coffield, Grimes and Capehart) were instructed to correspond with the proper authorities at Washington relative to the establishment of a fish-hatchery in Albemarle sound. Mr. Capehart explained that such action was necessary to the fishing interests of the State.

A resolution was adopted that no member of the Roard should hold any office, save in the actual line of duty as a member of the Board. This is aimed at three of the Fusion members of the Board, who are also fertilizer inspectors, and at J. C. L. Harris, who is a member of the Board and also attorney for it. They must now either resign from the Board or resign from the offices they hold under it.

RALEIGH, N. C., March 11. At a meeting of the executive committee of the Board of Agriculture last night, Dr. Carter, who has been employed by the A. and M. College, was elected stock inspector on the quarantine line. His election is temporary, and is for the purpose of locating the boundary of the infected district. An effort will be made to get certain parts of the State released the quarantine.

N. C. Bar Association.

A meeting of the executive com-mittee of the North Carolina Bar Association has been called to de cide upon the time and place for Association's annual meeting. Charlotte, Asheville and Morehead have invited the Association. The date of the meeting will be some time in June, July or August. The executive committee will select a non-resi dent member to deliver the annual address at this meeting and five members of the Association will be chosen to deliver other addresses.

Matrimonial Event. The engagement is announced of Miss Mabel Green, daughter of Col Wharton J. Green, of Fayetteville. and Mr. George Elliott, son of Mr. Warren G. Elliott, President of the Atlantic Coast Line. The marriage will be solemnized at Favetteville April

19. and will be a social event of great interest to their friends here and else where. City Water Supply. The Board of Aldermen have ordered a change in the route of piping from the water works to the city. As it

now runs it passes directly under the Caraleigh Phosphate Mills, and the water has thereby become so contaminated with sulphuric acid as to be almost unfit for use. [Special Star Telegram.] A call was issued to-day for a meeting of the Democratic Executive Com-

miltee of Raleigh Monday night, to fix a time and place for city primaries. The election will be held the first Monday in May, under the new election law. Charters were granted to corpora-

tions to-day as follows: Revolution Cotton Mills, of Greensboro, with capital stock of \$300,000. The incorporators are E. Sternberger, M. H. Cone and Caesar Cone. Sampson Tobacco Warehouse Co., of Clinton, with capital stock \$5,000. John Slaughter Co., Goldsboro, for manufacturing and selling hardware and general merchanpise, capital stock \$4,500. Parker and Falkner Furniture Co., of Goldsboro, capital stock \$5,000.

APPOINTMENTS.

Justices of the United States Court of Private Land Claims.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star. WASHINGTON, March 11 .- The President to-day made the following appointments:

of North Carolina

To be Chief Justice of Court of Private Land Claims, Joseph R. Reid, of Iowa; to be associate jus-

WARM WIRELETS.

The Senatorial deadlocks in Pennsylvania, Delaware and California remain unbroken. One hundred colored solders of the I wenty-fourth infantry at Fort Russell, have volunteered to go out as

shovellers to rescue a passenger train with 43 passengers, snowed in at Iron Mountain station for sixteen days. The British bark Siddartha, from Jacksonville, January 16th, for Liver pool, was abandoned on February 22nd. Her crew were saved by the Danish bark Verdando, from Paramaribo, January 15th for Amsterdam.

After a struggle lasting nearly fifteen hours, the American chess players came out with flying colors against the Britishers in the cable chess match which was begun in London and Brooklyn Friday morning and concluded yesterday, the score being six note to the Foreign Office yesterday to four.

Rev. J. H. Caldwell, D. D., a member of the Wilmington (Del.) Methodist Episcopal Conference, died at his residence, in Dover yesterday, aged 78 years. He came to Delaware in 1872, after having served different charges in the Methodist Episcopal Church South

ter 15, Public Laws of 1897." Now, Chapter 15 is "An Act for the relief of A. H. Elmore, former tax collector for the town of Bryson City." The chapter meant is 251, which is "An Act to provide for the inspection and regulation of mines."

No county in the State had abler crime.

CUBAN ASSEMBLY IMPEACHED GOMEZ.

Removed Him from His Command As General of the Cuban Army.

CHARGED WITH DISOBEDIENCE

Because He Accepted Proposition of President McKinley-Three Million Dollars Not Sufficient - Gomez Stronger Than Assembly.

By Cable to the Morning Star. HAVANA, March 11.-The Cuban Military Assembly, in public session

this afternoon, impeached General Maximo Gomez and removed him from his command as General-in-Chief of the Cuban army. The first ballot taken resulted in twenty-six votes being cast in support of the motion to impeach and remove General Gomez, against four in opposition. The meeting lasted from two o'clock until

General Gomez's only supporters were General Cespedes and General Nunez. The original motion which was introduced by Senor Manuel Sanguilly, provided for the abolition of the grade of general-in-chief, but an amendment was offered to this by Senor Aguerro which read, "To abolish the grade of general-in-chief and to remove General Gonez for failure in his military duties and disobedience to the Assembly.'

Declared a Traitor.

Senor Aguerro declared that Gomez was insubordinate and should be punished, and Senor Sanguilly insinuated that the general was a traitor to Cuba. Much passion was evident in the speeches, in some of which Gomez was declared to have been de linguent in his duties and disobedient because he had accepted the proposition of Robert P. Porter, President McKinley's special emissary, without consulting the Assembly, because he had taken upon himself the arrange ments for the payment and disarming of the Cuban troops, independent of the Assembly, and because he had de clared to the Assembly that he would observe its rulings in so far as he considered them beneficial to Cuba. Want More Money.

The Assembly again declared that the \$3,000,000 was insufficient, and that it has not yet accepted the proposition. The discussion of this question will soon be taken up now that Gen. Gomez has been removed.

Senor Gonzales de Quesada, who accompanied Mr. Porter to Cuba, was ttacked by Senors Gualberto Gomez Sanguilly and Aguerro, who declared that he had acted in bad faith and had deceived them. Senor Aguerro likened the present condition confronting the Assembly to those that confronted the French Chamber when it was proposed to impeach President MacMahon. Colonel Mora and General Nunez declared that the present step was useless and would make the Assembly ridiculous in the eyes of the world. To-morrow General Gomez will be officially notified of the Assembly's action.

Gen. Gomez Stronger Than the Assembly. General Gomez is believed to be stronger than the Assembly in the affections of the Cuban army. Many privates are anxious to leave the army and go to work, especially when they are able to obtain money to start them

in life anew.

The position of the Assembly is notably weak, as the military administration support General Gomez, as do also the planters and property-owning element, who are tired of the Cuban army, which subsists half upon charity and half upon contributions levied by means of threats.

Gen. Gomez Enjoys the Situation. General Gomez received at Molinas this evening a telephone message announcing to him the Assembly's decision. He answered calmly, "All right; I enjoy the situation." He then came to Havana to keep a dinner engagement with his daughter at the house of a friend.

General Carrillo, of General Gomez's staff, as commander of the Sixth Cuban Army Corps, it is reported, is now engaged in writing a document discharging from the Assembly those members who represent that corps, declaring that they obtained their

posts as army representatives illegally.

Excitement in Havana. The news of the action of the As-sembly is all over Havana, and the cafes around the plaza are filled with excited men discussing the subject. The general expression is one of censure of the Assembly. The next meeting of that body will be held on Monday.

The surrendered arms of the Cuban troops will, in accordance with an agreement between Governor General Brooke and General Gomez, bestored at Havana and Santiago, in the general custody of the United States, but under the immediate charge of Cubans in the employment of the military government. Every Cuban soldier must give up his arms, even if they were bought by himself, or else he will receive no money advanced by the United States.

SERIOUS AFFRAY.

At the Examination of Witnesses in Contested Election Case.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star. RICHMOND, VA., March 11.-A special to the Dispatch from Bristol, Va., says while ex-Congressman James A. Walker, contestant for the seat of Judge Rhea, in the 56th Congress, was cross-examining Rhea's witnesses, he became involved in a quarrel with William A. Hamilton counsel for Rhea. Walker shot Hamilton in the abdomen, and Hamilton may die. Walker was shot in the arm and shoulder, but not seriously wounded. He and one of his friends here have been arrested. It is not known who wants the President to Send Him to the

ITALY'S ULTIMATUM.

To Which the Chinese Government Will Probably Yield.

By Cable to the Morning Star. evening, making a request to take back the Italian dispatch asking for a con-cession and notifying the Foreign Of-fice to accept it as a demand, adding that he was willing to enter into friend ly negotiations as to the details, but insisting upon an answer within four days. This note was couched in courteous terms, but the Chinese regard in the nature of an ultimatum, to which they will probably yield.

The Warner Brothers Company, manufacturers of corsets, have made a general advance in wages of from 10 to 20 per cent. Fourteen hundred hands are employed.

AMERICANS WILL ATTACK FILIPINOS.

Preparations Are Being Made for an Advance of General Otis' Forces.

IT WILL TAKE PLACE SOON.

Skirmishing Near Manila Continues-The City Not a Safe Place for Officers' Families - Aguinaldo Opposes Release of Prisoners.

By Cable to the Morning Star. MANILA, March 11, 3,15 P. M.-Exensive preparations are being made for a general advance of the American forces. The movement will probably take place soon. All is quiet, how ever, along the line. At daylight the rebels were caught

working, on enfilading a trench at Caloocan, and were shelled by a battery. Desultory firing also took place at San Pedro Macati. The United States cruiser Charleston has relieved the armed transport Buf falo, off Paranaque. The last batch of Spanish soldiers numbering 885 men, excepting a few

barked on board the transport Buenos Ayres to day.

Not Safe for Officers' Wives. WASHINGTON, March 11.-The War

who are in the hospitals, were em-

Department to day issued the following cablegram received from General "Manila is not a safe place for offi cers' families. Great difficulty is experienced in caring for those now here, and their safety is one of the chief causes of anxiety. Officers' families should remain in the United States

(Signed) "OTIS." Under such conditions the Secretary of War regrets that no more familie of officers or enlisted men will be per mitted to accompany troops. Fami lies of officers and all non-commis sioned officers for which quarters are legally provided will be permitted to retain their quarters at the posts from which troops depart, according to the publications of the memorandum circular dated Adjutant General's office January 19th, 1899.

Spanish Prisoners, MADRID, March 11.-It is reported here that Aguinaldo had redoubled his opposition to the release of the Spanish prisoners now in the hands of the insurgents because General Polavieja, now Minister of War, caused Dr. Rizal, who drew up the statutes in the Philippine League, and was, therefore, practically the instigator of the

NEW RAILROAD SYSTEM.

revolt in the islands, to be shot in De

In Competition With the Southern, the Seaboard Air Line and the Atlautic Coast Line.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star. RICHMOND, VA., March 11 .- A Danville special to the Dispatch says it develops there, from reliable sources, that the North and South Carolina railroad, recently chartered by the former State, and which, it was given out, was to be a local road to develop copper mining and milling interests, is really intended to connect the Atlantic and Danville road and the Plant system. The idea is to form a link across North Carolina that will give a system in competition with the Southern road, the Seaboard Air Line and the Atlantic Coast Line. Mr. Newgas, the owner of the Atlantic and Danville, is credited with being the prime mover in the new road and is said to be heavily backed by English

CALIFORNIA BANKS.

capital.

Collapse of a State Bank Leads to the Pailure of Other Institutions.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star. SAN LUIS OBISPO, CAL., March 11 .-The closing of the County bank was followed to-day by the suspension of the Commercial bank of this place. The liabilities of the County bank amount to \$439,000 and the assets are placed at \$650,000. The Commercial bank is well connected with other concerns and it is predicted that its suspension will only be of a temporary

PASO ROBLES, CAL., March 11 .-The Bank of Paso Robles did not open its doors to-day. The failure of the County Bank at San Luis Obispo, and inability to realize on assets fast enough to meet the depositors' demands, are the causes assigned for the suspension, which it is thought will be temporary. The cashier asserts that the deposits, which amount to about \$100,000, will be paid in full.

SCHOONER ANNIE E. REYNOLDS.

Wrecked on Chesapeake Bay-Captain and Six Men Drowned.

By Telegraph to the morning Star. ALEXANDRIA, VA., March 11.-The Potomac river steamer Wakefield, which has arrived here, reports that the schooner Annie E. Reynolds, from Plymouth, N. C., for Alex-andria, was wrecked near Point Lookout, on Chesapeake Bay, during Tuesday night's storm, and Captain B. L. Hill and crew of six men are said to be lost. The schooner was loaded with lumber. A trunk belonging to one of the crew and a piece of timber on which a sailor had written the supposed fate that awaited the vessel, were washed ashore.

GEN. JOSEPH WHEELER.

Philippines.

By Cable to the Morning Star. WASHINGTON, March 11.-General Joseph Wheeler saw the President today concerning his future status. Subsequently he said that while the question of his remaining in the army had not been definitely decided, it was probable that he would not remain in he service. He thought the President would be unable to find a place for him, and he was not pushing the

matter.
"But I would like to remain in the service," he said, with animation, "and to be sent to the Philippines, where there is some fighting. I would not care to so much to stay in the army if I had to remain in this country."

Bids were yesterday opened in the quartermaster's department in New York for transportation of troops from their stations to San Francisco, whence they will go to Manila. The troops are four companies of the Thirteenth infantry and two batteries of the Sixth artillery, now at New York. Rust Proof Oats.

Discovery of a Portion of the Remains of Mrs. Theresa Becker. By Telegraph to the Morning Star

CHICAGO, March 11 .- By the discovery of a portion of a human body and a torn scrap of black dress goods, under the barn floor at August, A. Recker's home, at 517 Rockwel. street, the police are at last satisfied that they have found the key to the mystery surrounding the murder of Mrs. Theresa Recker. The police now declare that without doubt the butcher killed his wife in the barn and disposed of the remains after, cutting them up, by burning or throw-ing them in the Chicago river.

CHICAGO MURDER MYSTERY.

QUEEN VICTORIA.

The Royal Party Left England for a Continental Tour.

By Cable to the Morning Star LONDON, March 11.—Queen Victoria started for the continent to-day. The sea was calm. The Princess of Wales, Princess Victoria of Wales and Prince Charles of Denmark, also left England this morning, by way of Dover and Calais, on their way to Paris, where they will spend two days They will then go to Marseilles and embark on the royal yacht Osborne for a Mediterranean cruise.

STORM CAUSED COLLISION.

Three Men Killed and Others Wounded in a Railroad Wreck. By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

LINCOLN, NEB., March 11 .- A blind ing storm of snow and wind was the cause of a collision on the Burlington Railroad two miles west of Lincoln this evening, resulting in the death of three trainmen and the injury of four others. The collision was between a switch engine and an eastbound fast freight. The dead and injured, all of whom live in Lincoln, were brought to the city. The injured, it is thought

Congressman W. L. Greene, of the Sixth Nebraska district, died suddenly of heart failure at Omaha, yesterday.



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