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See them again.

I dropped an angry word
But yesterday:
And like a swift-winged bird,
It flew away.
I followed on its track
To bring it home;
But though I called it back
It would not come.

But last night in my dream,
I seemed to see,
The lost hours and the word
Come back to me.
Now, standing on the brink
Of the unseen,
With sadden'd heart I think.
What might have been.

—E. T. WRAY.

SUNDAY SELECTIONS.

— No boy can be ashamed of running away from temptation. It is the bravest thing to do.

— The preacher who wants to put his sermons into his people's hearts must first put his own heart into his sermon.

— If we would be true citizens of God's Kingdom we must not have the culture which avoids suffering.—*Bishop Candler.*

— It is with human character, very often, as it is with the torch; the more it is shaken, the more it shines. —*W. W. Newton.*

— We talk too flippantly about "essentials" and "non-essentials" in morals. There are no unimportant things in conduct, no "non-essential" duties.—*Rev. Jenkins Floyd Jones.*

— Christ is styled the finisher of our faith, as well as the author of our faith. There is as much necessity for the Spirit to keep up our graces as there is to bring forth our graces.—*Secker.*

— I have heard a grave Divine say that God has two dwellings; one in heaven, and the other in the meek and thankful heart; which Almighty God grant to me and my honest scholar!—*Izaak Walton.*

— Let us be content to do little, if God sets us at little tasks. It is but pride and self will which says: "Give me something huge to fight, and I should enjoy that; but why make me sweep the dust?"

— A man goes to bed willingly and cheerfully, because he believes he shall rise again the next morning and be renewed in his strength. Confidence in the resurrection would make us go to the grave as cheerfully as we go to our beds.

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THE ODD FELLOWS.

Officers Elected by the Grand Lodge in Session at Raleigh.

GRAND COUNCIL OF RED MEN.

Wilmington Selected As the Next Place of Meeting — Corporation Commission.

Jim-Crow Cars—Ruling As to Telephones and Telegraph.

[*Special Star Correspondence.*]

RALEIGH, N. C., May 11.

The Grand Lodge of Odd Fellows, which has been in session here, adjourned to day.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

Grand Master—Dr. Jno. A. Stevens, of Clinton.

Deputy Grand Master—Marous W. Jacobi, of Wilmington.

Grand Warden—Robt. W. Murray, of Greensboro.

Grand Secretary—B. H. Woodall, of Raleigh.

Grand Treasurer—Richard J. Jones, of Wilmington.

Grand Representative to Sovereign Grand Lodge—Past Grand Master B. S. Royster.

Trustee of Orphanage—Chas. F. Lumsden, vice W. C. Douglas, term expired.

The Grand Master announced the appointive officers at the installation of the elective officers, which took place this morning. The installation of officers was the only business to come before the lodge, which adjourned immediately afterward, many of the members leaving by the morning trains.

The constitutional amendment affecting the workings of the Orphan Home at Goldsboro was taken up and, on motion, action was indefinitely postponed.

A resolution was offered reducing the salary of the Grand Secretary to $50 per month. This was referred to the Finance Committee.

Winston was selected as the next meeting place of the Grand Lodge. There were several towns placed in nomination, namely Charlotte, Goldsboro, Winston, Asheville and Raleigh. Winston won on the first ballot.

In lots of ten the initiation fee was reduced from $10 to $2 and $1 was fixed as the cost for each degree.

The per capita tax for the support of the Grand Lodge was fixed at 80 cents and for the support of the Orphanage at 60 cents annually.

Local Lodges were by resolution permitted hereafter to set aside 5 per cent. on their income as a special fund.

The Corporation Commission.

Notwithstanding the fast the last Legislature, by an oversight, failed to insert in the Revenue Act the clause levying a license tax on Building and Loan Associations, these companies are coming forward and paying the tax levied in the former Revenue Act. It was found on investigation that the Corporation Commission could under the law tax these associations just as insurance companies are taxed. It is to prevent this that they are now paying the old tax without protest.

New Insect Pest.

A new and very destructive insect has been discovered in peas in the trucking district aronnd Newbern. In compliance with a number of requests from those who are having their crops injured by them, the Agricultural Department to-day sent Prof. W. F. Massey, of the A. and M. College, down there to investigate the new pest. Prof. McArthur has been sent from Washington City on a similar errand.

A colored lawyer here, E. A. Johnson, is writing a history of "The Negro in the Spanish-American War."

Raleigh's new Chief of Police, J. H. Mullen, filed bond and entered upon his duties to-day.

The Great Council of Red Men met in annual session here to-day.

The Capital Club gave its May german to-night. One regular club german is given each month.

Adjourned meetings of the stockholders of the Raleigh and Gaston and the Raleigh and Augusta railroads were held here to-day for the purpose of ratifying the consolidation of the roads with the Seaboard Air Line.

[*Special Star Telegram.*]

Red Men's Council.

The Great Council of Red Men today elected officers as follows:

Great Sachem—John R. Davis, Wilmington.

Great Senior Sagamore—H. L. King, Raleigh.

Great Junior Sagamore—James Smith, Rocky Mount.

Great Prophet—Col. J. T. Anthony Charlotte.

Great Chief of Records—W. Ben Goodwin, Elizabeth City.

Great Keeper of Wampum—T. T. Whitcomb, Elizabeth City.

The following are the appointive chiefs: Great Sannap, W. H. Lane, Wilmington; Great Mushennewa, D. G. Roper, Edenton; Great Guard of the Wigwam, J. M. Bishop, Raleigh; Great Guard of the Forest, J. F. Keeter, Henrietta. The trustees elected were as follows: J. M. Bishop, Raleigh, three years; J. E. Keeter, Henrietta, two years; E. P. H. Strunck, Wilmington, one year.

The next council of the Red men will meet in Wilmington, on the 13th of May, 1900.

The Corporation Commission

orders that the present rates for transmission of telegraphic messages shall be the established rates. This puts an end to the suit now in court over the new fifteen-cent rate ordered by the last railroad commission. The present telephone rates were also adopted, namely: For places of business, $30 to $18; for residences, $18 to $14. Existing express rates were also adopted.

On Monday, trains No. 23 and 78, on the Atlantic Coast Line, were exempt from the Jim Crow car law. To-day the exemption was taken away, and the Coast Line must provide separate cars on all its trains.

At a meeting of the executive committee to-day it was decided to hold the next State fair, beginning October 24th. Mr. Joseph E. Pogue was elected secretary and Capt. C. B. Denson treasurer.

— Concord *Standard*: About nine weeks ago, during a mad dog scare, Mr. David Earnhardt's dog was bitten by a dog supposed to be mad. It became necessary for Mr. Earnhardt's to kill his dog. On Sunday Mr. Jno. Earnhardt's horse took sick and since that time had numbers of convulsions until it died to-day (Friday). Dr. Griffin, our veterinary surgeon, attended the case and pronounced it a genuine case of hydrophobia.

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TAXING RAILROADS.

A New Assessment of Properties to be Made by the Corporation Commission.

OTHER NEWS FROM RALEIGH.

Compulsory Vaccination—Naval Reserves. State Guard—Board of Internal Improvements to Elect Directors of the A. & N. C. Railroad.

[*Special Star Correspondence.*]

RALEIGH, N. C. May 13.

Mayor Powell this morning sent Isaiah Blake, a white man, to jail for thirty days, for refusing to be vaccinated. He offered no defence and when the commitment was made out, he asked to be allowed to take it himself to the sheriff. He was allowed to do so. Blake is a cotton mill operative and professes sanctification. He has promised the Mayor, policeman and deputy sheriff and jailor to pray for them "and all the rest of this wicked world."

Some half a dozen individual members of the State Guard have written to the Adjutant General notifying him that they will attend the military jubilee in Washington May 22, 23 and 24. No entire company in the Guard has as yet signified its intention of going.

The latest accessions to the penitentiary are three convicts from Lenoir—all one year each.

Corporation Commission.

For the past two days the Corporation Commission has been looking into the question of the taxation of railroads in North Carolina with a view to making a new assessment of railroad property. This assessment will be made in June, and it is certain that it will show a very large increase over the present valuation.

Prof. Massey reports that the insect doing so great damage to peas around Newbern is the common green fly. It has never before been known to attack peas. Tobacco dust or stems will kill it.

Superintendent Mebane requests county boards desiring county institutes this Summer to notify him at once.

Naval Reserves.

Governor Russell has been notified by the Secretary of the Navy that the Naval Reserves battalion of North Carolina will receive $2,328.15 as their share of the naval militia fund of the Federal government. The money will be used for equipping the Naval Reserves with guns, haversacks, canteens and ammunition. The government furnishes uniforms outside of this appropriation. The Reserves will be armed with Lee magazine rifles of the very latest pattern. They already have a large Hotchkiss gun.

Lieut. O. H. Dockery, Jr., U. S. A., is here to-day, on his way to Columbus, Ohio, where he is ordered to duty at the recruiting station.

Sheriff Jones' Shortage.

The County Commissioners have not yet completed the examination of Sheriff Jones' accounts, and so the exact amount of his shortage cannot yet be stated. An official statement by the examining committee is promised next Tuesday. An agent of the Fidelity and Deposit Company, in which his bond is given, is here looking after his company's interests.

[*Special Star Telegram.*]

Atlantic & North Carolina Railroad.

The Board of Internal Improvements has been called to meet here Wednesday, May 17th, for the purpose of electing directors of the Atlantic & North Carolina Railroad. They will immediately elect a president and make a demand on the old board for books and papers. If the demand is refused, a new suit will be started. The point decided by the Supreme Court in its recent decision was that the directors were chosen before the law was ratified. They acted on February 24th, whereas, their term of office did not begin till March 9th. Any action at that time, the court holds, was an infringement on the rights of the old board. Nothing is said as to what the board might do now.

The man put in jail here to day for refusing to be vaccinated weakened this afternoon and agreed to be scratched. The cause of his surrender was that the mayor changed his sentence from thirty days in jail to thirty days on the roads.

— She—What made them think the sailor stuck to his post? He—"Because his eyes are glued to the spot."—*Yonkers Statesman.*

NEWS FROM RALEIGH.

The Vance Monument—Competing Sculptors—Salaries of Capitol Employes. Magistrates Must Qualify.

[*Special Star Correspondence.*]

RALEIGH, N. C., May 12.

The time for receiving bids for the Vance monument has been extended from June 1st to July 1st. This was done on account of delay in getting good pictures of Senator Vance, from which the sculptors could work. Three good photographs have finally been obtained, and three copies of each of them are furnished each of the twelve competing sculptors. They will be required to furnish models complete with their bids on July 1st. One of the sculptors is a woman.

It is a fact not generally known that the Legislature reduced the salary of the keeper of the capitol to a figure considerably below that received by some of his subordinates. The keeper formerly received $850. He now gets $600. The janitor of the capitol building gets $625, and the janitor of the Supreme Court building gets $667. Both of these employes are appointed by the keeper and subject to his orders.

It would be well for magistrates appointed by the last Legislature to remember that they must qualify by June 1, else their successors will be appointed by Gov. Russell. In many of the counties few of the new magistrates have as yet taken the oath.

ADMIRAL DEWEY.

Will Leave Manila Within Ten Days for the United States on the Battleship Olympia.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

MANILA, May 13.—Admiral Dewey will leave for the United States as soon as he can arrange his business and give full instructions for the management of the fleet to his successor, probably within ten days.

The United States cruiser Olympia, upon which Admiral Dewey will make the voyage home, will sail a leisurely trip, stopping at Mediterranian ports for some time to give the admiral, the officers of the ship and the crew an opportunity for rest. Like all the Olympia's company, Admiral Dewey is much run down by his long stay in a tropical port without change and under the rigid conditions incident to a war footing. The voyage may occupy four months.

The Olympia will proceed from Manila to Hong Kong, where a fortnight will be spent in transforming the mud color with which she was painted to white, having up to this time been unable to comply with the department's order to take on white paint. At Hong Kong the cruiser will be coaled and provisioned for her further journey.

Admiral Dewey expects to retain his position on the United States Philippine commission.

— Wilson *News*: Day before yesterday a horrible death occurred at Lr. W. P. Bullock's in Old Fields town ship. One of his daughters, ten or twelve years old, was caring for a child of 15 months of age in the yard. The child crawled and toddled to a pot of boiling water in the yard, falling over into the boiling water and before it could be rescued was so horribly scalded that it died.

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FLAG OF TRUCE FROM AGUINALDO.

The Wily Filipino Leader Asks for Conference With Philippine Commission.

AFFAIRS AT SAN FERNANDO.

Preparations for Another Movement to Disperse Filipinos—Rebel Lines Too Close for Comfort—Transportation of Supplies Difficult.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

MANILA, May 13, 12:30 P. M.—Aguinaldo has issued orders that all foreigners must leave the insurgent territory within forty-eight hours. There are only a few commercial men there, mostly English and Germans. Aguinaldo believes that by refusing them the rights of non-combatants he can force their governments to recognize the belligerency of his so called government, in order that they may treat for the safety of their subjects.

A Filipino priest, who had talked with the Tagal General Treas, has brought to Father McKinnon, chaplain of the First California regiment, a copy of a letter written by Aguinaldo to General Treas, asking his opinion as to the advisability of surrendering, saying: "I fear that the long warfare that will be necessary to conquer the United States will drain the country's resources too much."

Another Flag of Truce.

MANILA, May 13.—The Filipinos have resumed the attempt to induce the Americans to discuss the situation. Reyes, a young lieutenant on the staff of General Gregorio del Pilar, came to General Lawton to day under a flag of truce. He was accompanied by a barefooted bugler. The two were escorted to Manila by Captain Sewall, of General Lawton's staff.

Reyes told Major General Otis that Aguinaldo desired passes for a military commission to come to Manila to confer with the American Philippine commissioners. General Otis replied that passes would not be necessary, as unarmed commissioners could enter the American lines. He would leave the matter, he said, in General Lawton's hands. Lieutenant Reyes returned this evening to Bacolor.

Situation at San Fernando.

The curtain will go down in a few days on the fighting in the island of Luzon. Working men are preparing for another act in the drama which will necessarily disperse the Filipinos.

The rebels are entrenched so close to San Fernando as to make life in that city uncomfortable while they remain in their present position. The armies of the United States have advanced so far that the question of transportation has become the great problem. To solve it, engineers are repairing the Bagbag bridge, so that it will be safe for the passage of trains and give railroad connection between Manila and San Fernando. In the meantime supplies shipped to Calumpit have to be hauled fifteen miles to Maj. Gen. McArthur at San Fernando, and twenty miles to Major General Lawton at Bacolor by bullock carts, and every cart has to be ferried separately on a raft across the Rio Grand two or three times. The roads are rough, and after the daily showers, which are forerunners of the rainy season, so soft that it is impossible to make more than a mile an hour. The few mules that are here have been found to be greatly superior to bullocks for this work. The latter die unless they are given frequent baths, and the heat has killed so many that carting is now all done by night.

Pretended Friendly Natives.

The policy of humane warfare has its disadvantages. Among the thousands of pretended friendly natives who have been returning to their homes behind the American armies, there are some who have taken advantage of the generosity of the conquerers to make the zone unsafe unless Americans go well armed and in parties. Soldiers going about alone are frequently fired upon from houses or behind bushes. During the past week it has been found necessary to send guards with wagons and ambulances, and several attempts have been made to wreck trains by placing obstructions upon the railway track.

Advices at the Navy Department.

WASHINGTON, May 13.—Admiral Dewey cabled the Navy Department from Manila that he had reconsidered his plans respecting the Boston, and had concluded to allow the cruiser to come to the United States at once. The admiral said nothing further as to his own return to the United States.

The officials of the Navy Department expressed some surprise at the announcement through the Associated Press cablegram from Manila that Dewey will occupy four months in the cruise, for this period is at least twice the time that would be required to make a straight cruise homeward. However, it is supposed that he desires to delay his arrival in the United States until the hot weather of Summer has passed, being already debilitated from his long exposure to the enervating heat of the Philippines.

Spaniards Attacked.

MADRID, 13.—An official dispatch from Manila says the insurgents attacked the Spaniards at Zampianga, on the Island of Mindanao, but were repulsed. Two Spanish officers and three men were wounded and one man was killed. The insurgents cut the water supply at Zamboanga.

Encouraging Aguinaldo.

NEW YORK, May 13.—Former minister to Siam, John Barrett, returned on the steamship St. Paul to-day. Mr. Barrett has spent most of his time in the Philippines. Mr. Barrett said:

"I left Manila on the 18th. The American people do not appreciate the influence that has kept the insurgents fighting. It is purely and solely the agitation that is being waged in the United States. There has not been a speech made in Congress or any other matter of note concerning the Philippines that does not become known to Aguinaldo and his soldiers. As soon as anything detrimental to the aggressive policy is published it is immediately cabled to Hong Kong, while it is received within twenty-four hours by members of the Philippine junta and within two days is in the hands of Aguinaldo and his officers.

"The attitude of Mr. Atkinson has fallen flat among the American soldiers. The first paper that was issued in Boston, when received by the troops in Manila, was greeted with jeers and scorn, and the remark was freely expressed that it was a shame that anything so un-American could be perpetrated. The followers of Mr. Atkinson, including Mr. Bryan and several Senators opposed to annexation, cry out at the loss of life in the Philippines. They are themselves to blame for the increase in loss of life, because they encourage the Filipinos to fight by their seditious utterances. It is no exaggeration to say that if there is any influence to keep the natives from surrendering it is from the Americans and their sentiment, which they evidently hope will become so strong that the troops will be called home."

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Statement That Changes in Connection With the Property Will Not Disturb Relation of Rates.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, May 13.—Vice President Finley, in alluding to the Atlantic and Yadkin Railway, makes an official statement to the effect that the changes in connection with the property, effective to-day, will not disturb the relation of rates as between communities proper on that line, including Greensboro and Wilmington, and that in consequence of this there need be no disturbance in the basis of distribution of trade which these communities now enjoy. A circular issued by Vice President Finley announces the appointment of J. M. Culp, traffic manager, and other circulars announce the appointment of Messrs. W. A. Turk, general passenger agent, and T. C. Powell, general freight agent.

FEDERAL PRISONERS.

Investigation of Complaints of Ill-Treatment in the State Prison at Raleigh.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, May 13.—Maj. Strong, general agent for the Department of Justice, has returned from Raleigh, N. C., where he investigated complaints of ill-treatment of prisoners in the Federal jail. While Attorney General Griggs declines to discuss the nature of the report on the case, it is understood that five prisoners were found to have been whipped, but that the prison officials cannot be prosecuted, as they have not violated any law.

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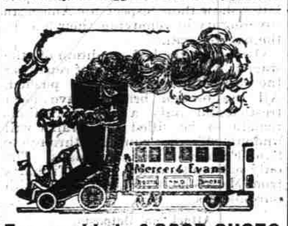

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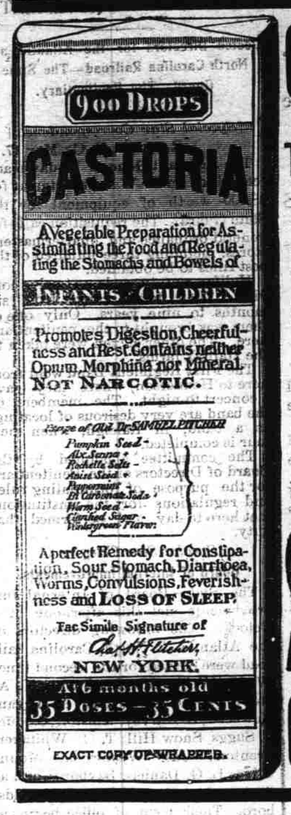

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