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## FORTY MEN KILLED GOVERNOR'S SALARY

### A Terrible Disaster Occurs in Russian Coal Mine

## FIRE ADDS TO HORROR

Forty men were killed today in a coal mine near Russian, on the Atlantic coast. The disaster occurred in the afternoon of January 19th, when a fire broke out in the mine, and a gas explosion followed, killing the men who were working in the mine.

Senator Bassett introduced a bill to prohibit showing prize fight pictures in moving picture shows, and called attention to the fact that the bill had been introduced in the Senate on January 18th. He explained that the bill was introduced in the Senate on January 18th, and that it was expected to be passed by the Senate on January 20th.

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CREATORE SEEMS TO FAIRLY TEAR THE NOTES FROM THE INSTRUMENTS. WILL APPEAR IN THE SCHOOL AUDITORIUM ON JANUARY 24TH His Band is Composed of Fifty-Two Pieces Not in Lyceum Course.

Reserved seats, which include all seats in the auditorium except one row in the front; also two rows under the balcony, and last row in the balcony, 15.00. The seats excepted will be sold at 75c for general admission. Seats on sale at Hardy's Drug Store today at 6 p. m. If you want a good seat, come first.

## CREATORE HERE NEXT TUESDAY

Before an audience of 5,000 people Creatore made his bow to Richmond on Monday night and was accorded such a reception as no musician has ever before received in that city.

The Evening Journal says: "The exquisite and overmastering excellence of the classical productions of Creatore's band last night at the city auditorium took the large and enthusiastic audience of Richmond's most cultured musicians almost off its feet and evoked stormy and continuous applause."

Wherever Creatore and his band have appeared on this tour they have been received with such enthusiasm as no other band has ever been accorded in the South.

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enthusiasm and usually as an exacting one as can be found anywhere. Though all the numbers were favorites and generously endorsed by the audience, one stands out; namely, the last one grand selection "Carmen," head and shoulders above them all, for nothing short of the word sublime can describe its reading. It was this that brought everyone to his feet."

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## CHURCH SERVICES NEW QUARTERS MARCH FIRST

Where All Can Worship Morning and Evening DELIGHTFUL MUSIC

All Strangers Cordially Invited to Attend—The Music to be a Feature—The Program for Tomorrow is to be Especially Attractive—All Seats Free.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH—Rev. J. A. Sullivan, pastor. Sunday school, 9:45 a. m., Mr. E. Willis, Superintendent. Morning worship, 11 a. m. Sermon subject: "Make Mention of me to the King."

Evening worship, 7:30 p. m. Sermon subject: "A Black Blot in a dark life."

Subsides Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Ladies Aid Society Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Prayermeeting Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

The doors of the church are always open wide to welcome strangers and visitors. The choir will practice after the prayermeeting service Wednesday evening.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—Rev. H. B. Searight, pastor. There will be the usual services at 11:00 a. m. and 7:30 p. m., conducted by the minister. Sunday school at 3:00 p. m., C. M. Brown, Jr., Supt., Offering for Barlow Springs' Orphanage.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH—Rev. E. H. Broom, pastor. Preaching by the pastor, Rev. E. H. Broom, at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. All are cordially invited. Strangers welcome. Members are kindly urged to attend both services.

Sunday school, E. R. Nixon, superintendent, at 3 p. m. Prayermeeting Wednesday at 7:30 p. m.

ST. PETER'S CHURCH—Rev. Nathaniel Harding, Rector. Morning prayer with sermon at 11 o'clock. Evening prayer and sermon at 7 p. m. Sunday School meets at 3 o'clock, E. K. Willis, Jr., superintendent.

All are cordially invited to be present. Seats free and good music.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH—Rev. Robt. V. Hope, pastor. Preaching morning and evening by the pastor. Bible school, 3 p. m., A. F. Gurganus, superintendent. Special music Sunday morning and evening. All invited to any and all services. Seats free.

Cotton Market Seed cotton, 5.60. Lint Cotton, 14.25. Cotton seed, per ton, 32.00.

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and can be used in the house or on the porch—Tuesday or any other day or every day—for any kind of household ironing or pressing work. Always ready.

Heat quickly and stay hot even on heavy wet ironing. The heat can be regulated to suit the work—from linens to table cloths. The air jacket heat insulation of the cover prevents the heating of the hand, and the handle is always cool.

The Electric Iron saves time, fuel, energy—the most economical iron to use—the leading labor-saving device for home workers. Is perfectly clean—"floats" over the work and gives the smooth or glossy finish that pleases. And it lasts a lifetime.

We are offering this iron on a free trial basis. Tell the manager of the Electric Light plant today that you wish to try the Electric Flatiron. (Hundreds of thousands have bought this way) and receive our handsome, nickel-plated six-pound electric flatiron with a "pull off" attaching plug, 3 feet of approved asbestos conductor cord and socket attaching plug. A non-heating three-deck stand is sent free with each iron.

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## THE GEM THEATRE

LOOKING FOR AMUSEMENT? The best place to spend the odd hour in the evening is at this UP-TO-DATE MOVIE PICTURE SHOW

A DIXIE MOTHER—A Vitaphone Feature Film—A great picture. Showing something of what it meant to have lived in the South during the Civil War of 1861-'65, and to have suffered and endured for the "Lost Cause."

A CHRISTMAS CAROL—By Charles Dickens (Dramatic). THE MOUNTAIN WIFE—A Star Drama. PHAROAH; or ISRAEL IN EGYPT. (A Biblical Drama.)

### Semi-Annual Display of Spring and Summer Suitings Shown by the Globe Tailoring Co., acknowledged builders of The Best There is in Tailoring James E. Clark Co. THE HIGH-ART COUTIERS

### MAYOR'S COURT

Two Cases Were Disposed of Before The Mayor This Morning

Two cases were tried before Mayor Sterling at the City Hall this morning.

Vale Dudley was indicted for retailing. After hearing all the evidence he was bound over to the next term of Beaufort county superior court.

Jim Terterton was indicted for being drunk and disorderly. Fined \$2 and cost.

Only One at a Time.

Only one girl for him, he asserts. A sweet sentiment and sublime. Only one dear little girl for him, Only one dear girl at a time.

## J. K. HOYT WASHINGTON'S GREATEST STORE

### SATURDAY LAST SALE DAY

\$15.00, 17.75 and \$10.50 20.00, 25.00 and 19.75 Coat Suits at \$14.75

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J. K. HOYT Washington's Greatest Store

## SATURDAY'S THE LAST DAY OF THE B G \$40,000 COST SALE

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