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## FOR SECOND TERM

**President Palma, of Cuba, is Inaugurated in Splendor**

## SPANISH MINISTER FELICITATES

**President of the Cuban Republic Sworn Into Office for the Second Time.**

Havana, By Cable.—President Palma was inaugurated at noon Saturday in the presence of the diplomatic corps in full uniform, cabinet officers, senators, congressmen, judges, heads of departments and the representatives of economic, agricultural and commercial associations. None of the Liberal members of congress attended.

The inauguration ceremony took place in the red salon of the palace. The oath of office was administered by the chief justice of the supreme court in front of a dais, on which were seated eight supreme court judges and the court officials. Over the central portion of the dais was suspended a canopy of red on which was the Cuban coat-of-arms.

President Palma, who appeared to be in excellent health, entered the salon as the bell of the palace was striking the noon hour. The guns of the Cuban fortress pealed forth a noisy welcome to the incoming administration, and this was reinforced by the screaming of many whistles, cheers from the crowd outside the palace and the crash of bands playing the Cuban national anthem. Accompanied by Vice-President Mendez Capote and the members of his cabinet, President Palma advanced down the aisle, flanked on either side by members of the diplomatic corps, judges of the local courts, congressmen and guests. When he reached the dais, the chief justice spoke briefly of the significance of the occasion. During the administration of the chief justice were barely audible above the noise of the celebration outside. Following the administration of the oath, President Palma spoke briefly in appreciation of the occasion and thanked those who participated in the inauguration.

Senor Gaytan de Ayala, the Spanish minister, who is now dean of the diplomatic corps, then advanced and read an address in behalf of all the members of the diplomatic corps, praising President Palma on the assumption of an office widely bestowed and thanking him especially for his efforts to increase friendly relations between Cuba and other countries. The address assured the president of the perfect confidence of all the powers represented at Havana.

The president, responding extemporaneously, said that he appreciated deeply the honor tendered him at such a moment.

"This nation," he continued, "feels encouraged and strengthened by such manifestations made in the name of the representatives of so many friendly nations. I consider your words a happy augury for the new presidential period which begins today. The great love you will be seen to bear fruit in a constant effort to further strengthen the relations, the cordial understandings and the bonds of sincere friendship fortunately uniting Cuba with the nations you represent. I raise my most fervent prayers to heaven for the happiness of all of you and especially, sir, for the prosperity of Spain and in the individual felicity of your august sovereign."

General congratulations then ensued after which President Palma went out on the balcony and repeatedly saluted the crowd in the Plaza and watched the troops file past. Later he gave a luncheon to the members of the cabinet and throughout the afternoon held a general reception.

The celebration of Independence day was enthusiastic, but frequent heavy showers during the afternoon marred the occasion.

## NORTH CAROLINA CROPS

**The Condition of North Carolina Crops For Week Ending Monday, May 23, as Given Out by the Department.**

The weather in general during the past week has been dry with warm days and cool nights. Most of the vegetation which was not killed outright has recovered under the influence of the warm weather and the abundant sunshine of the past seven days. The mean temperature for the State was about 77 degrees which is about 5 degrees above normal. The highest temperature reported was 96 degrees on the 18th in Halifax County; and the lowest was 45 degrees on the 16th in Henderson County. The rainfall amounted to practically nothing except in Buckingham County where 1.84 inch fell on the 19th. All crops are now badly in need of rain in the greater portion of the State; the ground is hard and dry which prevents plowing and the proper germination of seed.

A. H. THIESSEN,  
Section Director.

## Conductor Badly Hurt

Greensboro, Special.—A freight conductor on the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad, by the name of Thos. Parritt, from Faison, met with a serious accident in this city. He was standing on the rear end of the engine, when without warning the engineer applied the emergency brakes, bringing the train to a sudden standstill, throwing Mr. Parritt violently against a tall box about midway the car breaking three ribs, and otherwise injuring him internally.

## Funeral Directors to Meet at Asheville

Greensboro, Special.—The executive committee of the North Carolina Funeral Directors and Embalmers Association held a meeting in the office of Undertaker E. Poole here for the purpose of arranging for the annual meeting of the association in Asheville June 5-7. The executive committee is composed of J. Frank Morris, of Winston, president; W. L. Bell, of Concord, secretary; and E. Poole, of Greensboro, treasurer.

## Will Sue Greensboro

Greensboro, Special.—It is learned from an authoritative source that suit will be instituted in a day or two in the superior court of this city by the Greensboro Building & Construction Co., of Chattanooga, Tenn., to compel the payment of the \$12,000 claimed to be due on the contract for repaving Elm street with vitrified brick.

## Forest Fires in Craven

Newbern, Special.—Forest fires are again raging fiercely on the north side of the Neuse and the people of Craven are alarmed lest the flames destroy their village. The fire is located along the line of the Pamlico, tributary of the Neuse River. Sunday this city was filled with a great quantity of smoke and ashes from the fire. The fire is caused by the dry weather and has resulted in much damage.

## To Vote on Graded School

Greensboro, Special.—A vote will be taken for a graded school to be maintained by special taxation. Prof. L. H. Hobbs and Dr. Nixon lately made a talk here in behalf of the school. Greensboro is on a boom. New stores are going up and mills and brick manufacturing have been established.

## Petition in Bankruptcy

Winston-Salem, Special.—The Elkin Chair Company, at Elkin, has filed a voluntary petition in bankruptcy. The concern's liabilities are placed at \$7,000 and assets at \$5,000. The first meeting of creditors will be held at the office of Major J. E. Alexander, referee in bankruptcy, in this city on the 24th instant.

## Kills Negro at Coal Creek

Coal Creek, Special.—"Bud" Crippen, a negro, was shot and killed by Deputy Sheriff L. C. McGee. Deputy McGee attempted to arrest Crippen for carrying a pistol. The latter drew his weapon and fired twice at the officer, but both shots went wild. The officer returned the fire and a bullet took effect in the breast, killing Crippen. The negro came here from LaFollette and was said to have been drinking when the officer attempted to arrest him.

## Fayetteville's New Mill Assured

Fayetteville, Special.—The establishment of a plant by the Victory Print Cloth Manufacturing Company is now an established fact, all the stock having been secured. Meeting will be held Monday to secure a charter. Dr. H. W. Lilly and Mr. W. D. McNeill have gone to Charlotte to make arrangements for machinery.

## Chili Will Send Crusader to Jamestown

Washington, Special.—The American minister to Chili, Mr. Hicks, has notified the Senate Department that the Chilean government has accepted the invitation of the President to participate in the naval and marine expedition in Hampton Roads next year commemorating the centennial of the settlement of Jamestown. Minister Hicks writes that the Chilean navy will be represented by the cruiser Bapagadon.

## PROVISIONS OF BILL

**The Famous Rate Law in Its Amended Form**

## A FAIR AND CONSERVATIVE LAW

**The Provisions of the Bill as it Finally Became a Law-Plan of Court Review and Exceptions.**

The principal purpose of the railroad rate bill as passed by the congress at its present session is to permit the Interstate Commerce Commission to fix rates. The provision conferring this authority is found in the fourth section of the bill, and amends section fifteen of the Interstate Commerce Commission to fix rates. The provision conferring this authority is found in the fourth section of the bill, and amends section fifteen of the Interstate Commerce Commission to fix rates so as to accomplish that result. That section directs the commission to investigate complaints of unjust and unreasonable charges on the part of common carriers in the transportation of persons or property, or of regulations or of practices affecting such charges. It also authorizes an inquiry as to whether the rates or practices are "unjustly discriminatory or unduly preferential or prejudicial or otherwise in violation of the act, and in case any of these conditions are found to exist, the commission is empowered to determine and prescribe what will be the just and reasonable maximum rates, and what regulation or practice is just, reasonable and fair. Further, authority is given the commission to enforce its orders, and they are to go into effect within thirty days, and continue in force for two years, unless suspended, modified or set aside by a court of competent jurisdiction. Other powers conferred by this section are: To appoint joint rates, establish through routes and making joint rates and prescribe their distribution and to determine the compensation to be paid to shippers doing service for carriers.

**Award of Damages.**  
Section 16 of the present law is so changed as to provide for an award of pecuniary damages to complainants found entitled, and in case payments are not promptly made in accordance with the order of the court, the complainant may sue for the amount of the award, and the court may award costs and attorney's fees.

**Penalties.**  
A penalty of \$5,000 for each offense in disobedience of the order is imposed, and the penalty is to accumulate at the rate of \$5,000 a day in case of continued violation. Orders other than those for money judgments are to be enforced by the federal courts, through writs of mandamus or injunction, and in case of appeal to the supreme court, these cases are to be given precedence over all other cases except those of a criminal character.

**Court Review.**  
The bill was amended by the senate so as to give the United States circuit courts jurisdiction to entertain suits brought to annul or change the orders of the commission, and also to provide against the granting of interlocutory decrees without hearings, and making appeals from such orders direct to the supreme court.

Other provisions extend the definition of the word "railroad" so as to make it include switches, spurs, tracks, terminal facilities, freight deposit yards and grounds, and define "transportation" so as to make it embrace cars and other facilities for shipment or carriage, "irrespective of ownership or of any contract," the intention being to make the railroads responsible for all special carriers to furnish special car service upon reasonable request.

**Senate Amendments.**  
Senate amendments, include oil pipe lines, express companies and shipping car companies, under the head of "common carriers," and make them amenable to the requirements of the bill. Other senate modifications prohibit the issuance of passes or the granting of special favors to one class of passengers over another, prohibit railroad companies from transporting commodities produced by themselves or require companies of shippers; prohibit the granting or acceptance of rebates, and reinstate the imprisonment penalty for violation of the law.

There are also changes in the law relative to the reports to be required of common carriers, and a penalty of \$100 a day is imposed for failure to comply with the report requirement.

The commission is given access to the accounts of the companies affected by the act, but examiners are forbidden under penalty of heavy fine and long imprisonment from divulging the facts ascertained. Fines of \$500 for failure to keep proper accounts is provided. A falsification of accounts is made punishable by fine and imprisonment.

Circuit and district courts of the United States are given jurisdiction over complaints by the commission of failure to comply with its orders, and such orders are required to issue writs of mandamus compelling such compliance.

## THE WORK OF CONGRESS

**What is Being Done Day by Day by the National House and Senate.**

## Rate Bill Passes the Senate

After 70 days discussion the rate bill passed the Senate, the vote for its passage being practically unanimous.

**The Commerce Commission.**  
While the debate on the personnel of the Interstate Commerce Commission was in progress in the Senate Senator Tillman took the floor to make a statement on behalf of ex-Senator Chandler. His statement was generally expected since Senator Lodge's conveyance last Saturday to the Senate of the President's emphatic denial of some of the statements credited to Mr. Chandler by the South Carolina Senator.

Mr. Tillman read the portion of Mr. Chandler's memorandum of his conferences with the President which has heretofore been put to the public in a brief statement of his own saying that on Saturday the Senate had been started and mortified to hear the charges of an ex-senator denouncing the President as "a deliberate and unqualified falsehood." As he had been responsible for introducing the subject which had caused the attack on Mr. Chandler, he felt under obligations to place him right on the record. To that end he read the ex-Senator's statement.

**The Work in the House.**  
The House decided to vest in the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia the power to appoint the board of education having supervision of the schools of Washington instead of in the board of district commissioners, which is the present appointing power. Efforts were made to prevent the preparation of plans for the Great Lakes naval training station, but an amendment was agreed to providing for the employment of a consulting architect to prepare the plans and superintendence of the construction of the new buildings not to exceed 3 1/2 per cent. of the limit of cost of the plant which is fixed at two millions.

The House by a decided vote reaffirmed its faith in the navy department, defeating an amendment of Mr. Tawney, chairman of the appropriations committee, to limit the repairs on a ship to 10 per cent. of the cost, the vote of confidence coming after two hours hot debate on the Tawney proposition.

Having reached the section of the naval bill dealing with increase in the navy and realizing that considerable debate must ensue the House adjourned.

**Senator Bailey's Personal Privilege.**  
Senator Bailey took the floor in the Senate to make a further explanation of his connection with the efforts to secure an understanding between the president and the Democratic party, and the railroad rate bill, basing his statement on an article in the Chicago Tribune and the New York Tribune, charging him with bad faith in connection and giving ex-Senator Chandler as authority for that statement. He read the article and memorandum, beginning with a request from himself to the former senator for a copy of any statement that he might have made that justified this statement.

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## PRESBYTERIAN MEETING

**Forty-Sixth Annual Convention of General Assembly of the Southern Presbyterian Church Convened in First Church, Greenville, S. C.**

Greenville, S. C., Special.—The General Assembly of the Southern Presbyterian Church, officially known as the Presbyterian Church in the United States, met in forty-sixth annual session Thursday morning at 11 o'clock. The preliminary devotional exercises were conducted by Rev. T. W. Sloan, D. D., pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, after which Rev. J. T. Plunkett, D. D., of Augusta, Ga., retiring moderator, presided over a very strong and helpful session.

The election of a moderator for this session of the Assembly was taken up and much interest was shown in the nominations and election. Mr. W. W. Ball made the first nomination, his nominee being Hon. Allen G. Hall, of Nashville, Tenn. Mr. Hall is dean of the law department of Vanderbilt University, and Mr. Ball made a strong plea in favor of the election of a ruling elder to be a minister as moderator of this Assembly. He referred to the fact that only once in the history of the Southern Presbyterian Church has a layman occupied the moderator's chair. He referred also to the important questions to be considered and settled at this session, and urged the election of Mr. Hall upon this ground.

Rev. J. W. Steeg nominated Rev. J. W. Beacham, Rev. I. E. Rice nominated Rev. Joseph Johnston, Rev. A. J. McKelway nominated Rev. J. W. Steeg, Rev. J. H. Thorne nominated Hon. B. H. Young, and Rev. R. M. Green nominated Rev. W. E. Boggs.

Five ballots were cast before the moderator was elected, and the one elected was Hon. Allen G. Hall. Mr. Hall was conducted to the moderator's chair by Mr. G. W. Ball and Rev. G. B. Strickler and Dr. Plunkett congratulated him and the Assembly upon his election to this position, after which he delivered to him the gavel.

Mr. Hall expressed his appreciation at the confidence shown in him by the Assembly, and stated that his Assembly give him the support of prayer.

The report of the executive committee of home missions was in part: "Owing to a large general increase and several legacies for special work, the balance on hand March 31, 1905, and the two remarkable years preceding the last year, the financial position is ever exceeded by the spirit of the people. In some of our fields there have been large baptisms, and a hopeful spirit characterizes the laborers in the vineyard."

"The total in the hands of the treasurer during the year was \$122,237. The disbursements were \$102,241. The balance on hand March 31, 1906, being \$39,996."

"The expenditures were as follows: Support of four missionaries and 35 churches among the Mexicans; 61 ministers and 163 churches in Texas; 17 ministers and 52 churches in Arkansas; 16 ministers and 45 churches in Florida; 21 ministers and 52 churches in Indian Territory; 5 ministers and 12 churches in Georgia; 4 ministers and 19 churches in Mississippi; one minister and four churches in North Carolina; 3 evangelists and 10 churches in Tennessee; 6 ministers and 6 churches in Louisiana; 6 schools and 17 teachers in the Indian Territory, and 10 schools and 11 teachers in the mountains. The entire number of ministers and teachers supported in whole or in part was 197 and of churches and schools aided 329."

## NORTH STATE NEWS

**Items of Interest Gleaned From Various Sections**

## FROM MOUNTAIN TO SEASHORE

**Minor Occurrences of the Week of Interest to Tar Heels Told in Paragraphs.**

**Charlotte Cotton Market.**  
These prices represent the prices paid to wagons:  
Good middling . . . . .11-3-4  
Strict middling . . . . .11-3-4  
Middling . . . . .11-5-8  
Good middling tinged . . . . .11-5-8  
Stains . . . . .9-12 to 11-1-4

**General Cotton Market.**  
Galveston, firm . . . . .11-7-16  
New Orleans, firm . . . . .11-7-16  
Mobile, firm . . . . .11-1-4  
Savannah, steady . . . . .11-5-16  
Charleston, firm . . . . .11-3-16  
Wilmington, steady . . . . .11-1-4  
Norfolk, firm . . . . .11-5-8  
Baltimore, nominal . . . . .11-7-8  
New York, quiet . . . . .12-00  
Boston, quiet . . . . .12-00  
Philadelphia, steady . . . . .12-25  
Houston, steady . . . . .11-9-16  
Augusta, firm . . . . .11-1-4  
Memphis, steady, and nominal 11-7-16  
St. Louis, steady . . . . .11-7-16  
St. Louis, steady . . . . .11-7-16  
Cincinnati . . . . .11-5-8  
Louisville, firm . . . . .11-5-8

## THE 20th WEEK AT CHARLOTTE

Charlotte, Special.—The celebration of the signing of the Mecklenburg Declaration of Independence on May 20th, 1776, will occupy a full week. The outlook is for the biggest thing in this line that Charlotte has ever undertaken. All railroads leading into the city will run special trains, give reduced rates and other assistance to bring the crowds here. The city has made ample provision for their entertainment. The address by Hon. Champ Clark, the presence of the celebrated Marine Band, troop of United States Cavalry and other federal troops, and the presence of Governor Glenn, together with most of the State officers, Congressmen and other prominent people will make this celebration a memorable one in the annals of this progressive city.

## Engineers in Consultation

Winston-Salem, Special.—C. W. Haines, an engineer of large experience, was here in consultation with Col. O. H. P. Cornell, chief engineer of the Winston-Salem Southbound Railway Company. Mr. Haines was formerly with the Pennsylvania railroad, but now is with the Richmond, Fredericksburg and Potomac railroad and has recently been engaged in revising the grades and curves included in the grade-tracker the line between Richmond, Va., and Washington, D. C. The employment of Mr. Haines as consulting engineer is but another evidence of the fact that the Southbound Railway will be built, and when finished will be a first-class road. Mr. Haines went south this week for a trip over the lines.

## Topics for Tar Heels

The office of the superintendent of Public Instruction was informed last week that three districts in Rutherford county had voted local taxes for the public schools.

The commencement exercises of the State School for Blind and the Deaf will be held in the Assembly Hall, Raleigh, Friday morning, June 1. The annual concert will be given at eight o'clock Friday evening, June 1.

## The State Records

The State Librarian is sending out volumes 23, 24, and 26 of the State Record. Numbers 22 and 25 are being printed. Number 20 is the last of the volumes in the series. It seems not to be generally known but all the State Records, as well as the Colonial Records are placed in the offices of the clerks of court in the various counties and furnish invaluable reading for the public. Volume 16 contains the complete roster of the North Carolina troops in the Revolutionary war. Volume 26 contains a census of 1790.

## Atlantic Christian College Closes

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## Incorporation

The Shepard and Worrell Company, a mercantile concern, of Mount Airy, with \$10,000 authorized capital stock was chartered recently. The incorporators are J. S. Worrell, W. L. Sheppard and others.

The great Pee Dee Electric and Power Company filed an amendment to its charter, changing its name to the Rockingham Power Company, with a principal office in Wilmington.

## Lynched for Murder of Peddler

Tampa, Fla., Special.—A mob entered the jail at Inverness, Citrus county, got the keys from the jailer and took out Frank Jordan, colored, charged with robbing and murdering a white peddler named Sweeney, at Stage Pond, two weeks ago. The negro was lynched by the mob to a tree a short distance from town. There was no disorder, the mob doing its work very quietly.

## Current Events

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Eugene Foss and Consul-General Masou addressed the American Chamber of Commerce at Paris on tariff revision and reciprocity.

## THREE NEW BISHOPS

**Southern Methodist Church Is Strengthening Its Episcopacy**

**VERY ABLE MEN ARE ELECTED**

On First Ballot at Birmingham Dr. John J. Tigert, Secretary of the General Conference, is Chosen; on Second, Seth Ward, of Texas; and Twelfth, Dr. James Atkins, of Western North Carolina Conference.

Birmingham, Ala., Special.—Dr. John J. Tigert, secretary of the General Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, was elected a bishop on the first ballot taken by the Conference. No other bishop was elected on the first ballot.

The count of ballots showed the vote on the first ballot to be: J. J. Tigert, 100; J. C. Kilgo, 100; Seth Ward, 85; Collins Denny, 84; W. E. McCumravy, 74; James Atkins, 70; W. F. Tillett, 74; W. B. Murray, 51; E. W. Anderson, 24.

These were the leaders, with scattering votes for 48 others. Dr. Tigert at once resigned as secretary of the Conference, and Assistant Secretary A. F. Watkins was elected secretary. There was no election of a bishop on the second ballot.

A bishop of Texas, was elected a bishop on the third ballot.

At the afternoon session of the Conference, ballots, numbering four, five and six, were taken for electing a bishop to be elected by the present Conference, but no result following, a recess was taken until evening, when the contest was renewed. One hundred and thirty-seven votes being necessary to a choice, no one was chosen during the afternoon. The strength of 116 votes for Rev. Dr. J. C. Kilgo on the fifth ballot was the nearest approach to a decision that was recorded.

Pending the counting of the different ballots by the tellers, consideration of other business was deferred before the Conference. A resolution extending greetings to the Southern Presbyterian Assembly, in session at Greenville, S. C., was adopted. The matter of Church members being connected in any way or degree with the work of State dispensaries was also discussed, but no formal resolutions were passed upon the subject.

Dr. James Atkins, Sunday school editor of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, was elected bishop on the twelfth ballot.

## Sketch of Dr. Atkins

Dr. James Atkins, one of the three bishops elected by the General Conference of the M. E. Church, South, is a member of the Western North Carolina Conference and has been Sunday school editor of the Church since 1896. He was elected to the position of Secretary of the General Conference, April 18, 1893, being a year later a member of the Holston Conference. He was educated at Emory and Henry College, Emory, Va., of which institution he was president for many years. He entered the ministry in 1872 as a member of the Holston Conference, holding pastorates from 1872 to 1879, when he became president of Emory and Henry College, Va. He resumed the presidency of the Holston Conference in 1881, and remained there until 1896 when he was elected Sunday school editor. His home is at Waynesville, N. C.

## Sketch of Dr. Tigert

Rev. Dr. John James Tigert, elected a bishop of the M. E. Church, South, is a member of the Western North Carolina Conference and has been editor of the Southern Methodist Church and editor of the Quarterly Review, having been elected to those positions in 1894. He was born in Louisville, Ky., November 25, 1856. He was educated at Vanderbilt University, Nashville, Tenn., graduating in 1877. From 1881 to 1889 he was professor of moral philosophy in Vanderbilt University. From 1890 to 1894 Dr. Tigert held an important pastorate in Kansas City, Mo. Dr. Tigert is the author of a number of books, among the number being "Handbook of Logic," "Theology and Philosophy," "A Voice From the South," "Constitutional History of American Episcopal Methodism," and others. He resides at Nashville, Tenn.

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