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WILMINGTON & WELDON R.R. AND BRANCHES. AND FLORENCE RAILROAD. Condensed Schedule Dated Jan. 17th, 1898.

Trains Going South. Leave Weldon 11:52 am, 9:43 pm. Arrive Rocky Mount 12:53 pm, 10:36 pm.

Trains Going North. Leave Fayetteville 12:18 pm, 10:15 pm. Arrive Weldon 1:45 pm, 11:44 pm.

H. M. EMERSON, Gen'l Pass. Agent, T. M. EMERSON, Traffic Manager. Sends in His Resignation.

62 True Bills for Gambling. The grand jury at Durham, N. C., has returned 62 true bills against Durham citizens for gambling.

DANGERS OF MORMONISM.

Gen. Eaton Sees in the Religion of Joseph Smith a MENACE TO OUR INSTITUTIONS.

The Philadelphia (Pa.) Times says Gen. John Eaton, of Washington, D. C., delivered a lecture, at Association Hall, under the auspices of the Evangelical Alliance.

The Mormons, though essentially the same as formerly, do not carry out the old plan of conversion. They now visit the houses of persons in pairs, and are very similar in their methods to the followers of Moody.

Another danger resulting in the power of Mormonism in Utah is its political strength. Even now nothing could be done in the Senate against it without being strongly opposed by the two Senators just mentioned.

License Tax Regulation. The Virginia Senate passed the House bill to make it unlawful for any lawyer, physician, surgeon, dentist, or any other person engaged in a profession or calling, taxed by the laws of this State, who has his residence in any county or city of this Commonwealth under a license-tax from any other State or the District of Columbia.

The Strike in New England. The first week of the cotton operatives' strike in New England cotton centres closes with the strikers and the manufacturers firmly maintaining their respective positions.

The Pension Roll. Senator Cannon has introduced a bill providing for the publication of the pension roll by Jan. 1, 1899, and thereafter as Congress may direct.

Killed by a Bursting Wheel. At Savannah, Ga., J. W. Lee, a carpenter in the car shops of the Central Railroad, was instantly killed by a bursting pulley wheel.

NEW ENGLAND APPREHENSIVE.

Arrangements Being Made in Biddford for serving Strike Ratons. Boston, (Special).—The sum total of the new features in the programme of the textile troubles is the shutting down of the Cabot Mill at Brunswick, Me., because of the desertion of help in sympathy with the striking weavers.

It will be remembered that the Arkwright Club, in recommending a suit in wages, had in view the competition of Southern mills. The club further urged the repeal of the restrictive measures in force in Massachusetts.

In Fall River the discontent, although entirely beneath the surface, is growing and the mill officials know it and are apprehensive. The evidence of stubbornness of the operatives in defending their position is shown in Biddford, Me., where arrangements for serving strike ratons are being made.

At Biddford, Me., an effort will be made by the officials of the Pepperell and Laconia Cloth Mills to start and all textile workers who desire to return to work under the new conditions.

The National Stock Growers' Convention, which has been meeting at Denver, Col., has prepared the most astonishing barbecue on record.

Bound and Gagged a Family. Then Ransacked the House for Booty. Five masked men entered the residence of Mrs. Anna Gratz, two miles east of Beaver Dam, O., and at the point of a revolver, bound and gagged every member of the household.

Killed by Gas Explosion. Forty persons were killed and eighteen injured by an explosion of gas in one of the mines of the Donetzzer Company, in the Tagaerog district of Russia.

Appointed Harbor Mistress. Miss Fay Fuller, who has just been appointed harbor mistress of Tacoma, Wash., is the only woman in the world holding such a place.

THE ARMOR PLATE PLANT.

Full Plans and Specifications Have Been Prepared.

It Will Require Three Years to Get the Plant in Operation, and Millions Will be Required for It.

Washington, (Special).—Secretary Long, accompanied by Chief Construction Hichborn, Chief O'Neill, of the Bureau of Ordnance, and Judge Advocate General Lemley, appeared before the Senate committee on naval affairs on the 16th. The Secretary said in response to questions that the Navy Department had prepared full plans and specifications calling for an armor plant under the last naval appropriation bill.

Secretary Long said also that in view of the report of the committee which he also appointed to consider the question of a government armor plant, upon the great cost and delay it would involve, he had entered into further negotiations with private armor plants.

The principal objects of the congress are to consider the means to increase the interchange of all merchandise and manufactured articles between the United States and the rest of the world.

Nominations by the President. The President has nominated Claude M. Bernard to be attorney of the United States, Eastern district of North Carolina.

Killed Himself With Brother's Pistol. A special from Maysville, Ky., says: News of the suicide of Miss Harriet Keith Owens, at Crab Orchard farm, the home of her father, Basil D. Owens, near Washington, has reached here.

Actor's Wife Gets Absolute Divorce. At New York, Justice Pryor, in the Supreme Court, confirmed the report of ex-Judge Donahue, as referee, recommending that a decree of absolute divorce be granted to Nellie R. Goodwin, wife of Nat C. Goodwin, the actor.

Three Men Killed in a Wreck. The westbound overland train jumped the track near Colfax, Cal., wrecking the train badly. The engineer, fireman and one brakeman were killed.

TOLD IN A PARAGRAPH.

The South. Atlanta is preparing to celebrate on May 5 and 6 its semi-centennial. The Virginia Legislature downed the anti-flirting bill.

Reginald de Koven is seriously ill at Aiken, S. C., having undergone a surgical operation. The Norfolk, Va., trucking season has been delayed by frost and there is a scarcity of spinach.

In a Sunday card game at Darlington, S. C., Brooks Melver shot and killed Peter Murray. Both parties were colored. Clarence Bartlett, aged 17, has strangely disappeared from the home, in Norfolk, Va., of his uncle, a wealthy contractor.

There is much activity at the Norfolk navy yard and a hundred men have returned to work in the construction department. Mrs. Anita McKee, of Jackson, Miss., has asked President McKinley to appoint her Collector of Internal Revenue at New Orleans, La.

The Georgia Legislature has appropriated \$10,000 for a textile school in Atlanta, provided a similar amount be raised by private subscription. Dr. Tydemann, a distinguished retired physician of Knoxville, Tenn., who was well known for his liberality, clarity and benevolence, died in Columbia, S. C.

The result of the first ballot in the Tennessee Legislature for a United States Senator resulted as follows: McMillan 39, Turley 30, Taylor 19. It requires a majority of 40.

The Liberty Woolen Mills, at Bedford City, Va., which has been idle for some time, has been purchased by New York and Philadelphia parties, and it is stated, will start it up at once.

The total number of smallpox cases in Greenville, S. C., says a statement in the Columbia State, signed by C. C. Jones, chairman board of health, numbers 27; deaths 1. The statement also says there is no danger now, as they have the disease under control.

Fire at Chicago, Ill., destroyed property amounting to half a million. The coming convention of the Reunited Ancient Order of Hibernians will be held at Trenton, N. J., June 27.

CURE FOR HOG CHOLERA.

A Discovery That Will Prove a Boon to the Farmer.

ANTI-TOXINE SERUM THE TALLEMAN.—The Serum Saved 82.8 Per Cent., and at a Nominal Cost of Only 10 Cents a Head.

The chief of the bureau of animal industry, Dr. D. E. Salmon, at Washington, has submitted to Secretary Wilson a report upon the experiments made in the treatment of hogs for hog cholera with anti-toxine serum.

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It is my opinion, said the secretary "that it is of the utmost importance that this serum for the next year at least be made by the bureau, under our own supervision, and distributed in large quantities in order to demonstrate its efficiency upon a more extended scale. It is absolutely essential that during the experimental stage serum of undoubted quantity be used.

STONED BY STRIKERS. Superintendent of a New Bedford Mill Roughly Handled. At New Bedford, Mass., strikers have become disorderly.

Petitioned the Postmaster-General. The South Carolina Presbyterian synod has petitioned the postmaster-general remonstrating against the opening of postoffices on Sunday and against Sunday transportation of mails.

Killed Himself, Wife and Children. John Matthews, a retail grocer in New York, murdered his wife and their two children, a boy 19 years old and a girl 12, by hacking them to death with a hatchet.

Relief Expedition Not Abandoned. Acting Secretary Meiklejohn, of the War Department, pronounces to be absolutely untrue the statement coming from Portland Ore., that the relief expedition to the Hondeky has been abandoned by the Government.

BRADSTREET'S REPORT.

Activity in Business and Industries Lines Generally Reported.

Bradstreet's report, for past week says: A large measure of activity in business and industrial lines, in some instances, with previous records surpassed, and very general steadiness in prices of staples, is perhaps the most notable feature of the trade situation this week.

The industrial situation with the single exception of the cotton industry is one of promising strength. As far as the strikes in this branch of trade are largely confined to Massachusetts, Men's wear continues to move fairly well.

Quite a shrinkage in cereal reports are indicated by reports of Bradstreet's this week. The total shipments of wheat, flour included, from the United States and Canada, amounted to only 3,925,000 bushels against 5,239,000 last week.

REV. DR. TALMAGE MARRIED. Mrs. Eleonore McCutcheon Collier, of Pittsburg, the bride. Rev. T. DeWitt Talmage, the noted divine, at Washington, and Mrs. Eleonore McCutcheon Collier, of Allegheny City, Pa., were united in marriage on the 23d, at the McCutcheon residence, No. 47 Irwin avenue.

A Reverend Forger Sees Out of Jail. Rev. Leslie Cook, who has been confined in the Bonoke (Va.) city jail, under an indictment for forgery, saved out and made good his escape.

Fatal Collision. Train No. 87, of the Atlantic Coast Line, from New York to Florida, and train No. 52, local, from Charleston, collided 90 miles west of Charleston.

Military Burial for a Veteran Nute. At Blinn, Tex., military ceremonies were held at the burial of an old Confederate army nute, which belonged to A. McCullough.

Lived 11 Days With a Broken Neck. August Nickerson, a sailor, died at Port Townsend, Wash., with a broken neck. Nickerson, who was a sailor on the American bark Cayphone, was off Cape Mendocino, eleven days previous to the fatal accident.