

HOMeward BOUND.

EMPEROR WILLIAM TURNING TOWARD BERLIN.

Results of the Bismarck-Kalnoky Conference and Kaiser-Sultan Interviews... On Tuesday, November 9, the Kaiser-Sultan conference and Kaiser-Sultan interviews were reported...

HODGE VS. THE RAILROADS.

The Penalty Suits in Wake County Superior Court.

Nash Observer. In the "railroad penalty suits" brought last summer returnable to October term of Wake superior court, by Dr. W. T. Hodge, of this county, to recover the penalty of \$500 imposed by statute upon every railroad failing to render in 1888 the report required by the code...

THE GARDENIR.

Gerhart Wardel, the Only Witness in the Cronin Case Yesterday.

CHICAGO, November 9.—Gerhart Wardel, the gardener, was the first witness in the Cronin trial this morning. He testified that on the night of the murder, at about half past ten o'clock, he saw two men on the corner of Ashland avenue and Alto street, which is near the Cronin cottage...

NAVAL ESTABLISHMENTS.

R. G. PHYTHIAN SUBMITS HIS REPORT.

The consolidation of the Naval Torpedo Station, the War College, and Other Schools Recommended. WASHINGTON, D. C., November 9.—Proposals received a few days ago at the Navy department for materials for use in the construction of the machinery of the two 3,000-ton cruisers to be built at New York and Norfolk navy yards, have been referred to the chief of bureau of steam engineering for examination...

FESTIVE SERENADERS.

How the Tenor and the Note Failed to Connect.

Two belated wanderers were returning from paying a visit to the house of one of Asheville's prominent, substantial citizens the other evening. They were in a very cheerful and hilarious state, although they had not quaffed a single draught of that which makes the town assume a deep vermilion hue. The moon shone brightly and cast a glamour over the landscape. Their hearts were touched and they became saturated with sentiment...

OUR MAN ABOUT TOWN.

What He Sees and What He Thinks About It.

If we half appreciate the blessings of life we value the generally good weather of Asheville. Reports by newspaper and by correspondence from the North are full of accounts of dismal weather. Day after day of sunshine here finds rain and chilliness at the North. Asheville on its snug site among these beautiful mountains laughs at the storm-beaten world elsewhere. No wonder we thrive undismilingly here...

THE NEW HOTEL.

GROUND WILL BE BROKEN IN MARCH.

Dr. Walter C. Browning, of Philadelphia, the Projector-Height North of the Swannanoa the Site-Modern Architecture. Dr. Walter C. Browning, of Philadelphia, is in Asheville, and spent yesterday with a party of friends in inspecting his property. This consists of 160 acres of land and is a part of the property formerly owned by Major Roselle. It lies two miles south of Asheville on the Swannanoa river. Upon his return he was interviewed by a reporter from THE CITIZEN in regard to his proposed erection of a hotel on that property. He made the following statements: "The new hotel, about which you ask, is a settled fact. The workmen will not commence operations now as it is too late in the season to lay foundations, and even if we did begin building now the hotel would not be able to be completed in time to open for a summer season. Ground will not be broken until the coming March, and the hotel will be formally opened for the winter season on January 1, 1891."

THE QUEEN'S DOMAIN.

Lord Salisbury Draws a Picture Colour de Rose.

LONDON, November 9.—At a meeting in Guild Hall today Lord Salisbury delivered an address in which he congratulated the country upon the splendid expansion of business and the recovery of the market. He said, we were regretful, and he warned the labor agitators that they undertook a grave responsibility. He was glad to be able to affirm that Ireland was progressing, prosperity was increasing in that country, disorder was vanishing, and there was every prospect of a permanent settlement of the burning questions between the two countries. No member of the government indulged in wild theories of home rule, but were ready with a practical policy which would satisfy the country.

MISSION HOSPITAL.

An Earnest Appeal for this Noble Charity.

The managers of the Mission Hospital make an earnest appeal to the citizens of Buncombe county, as well as the residents of Asheville and strangers sojourning among us, to unite in contributing to the support of the Hospital on Thanksgiving day. This is not intended to take the place of the regular monthly contributions, but to supplement that, and also to allow those who do not subscribe regularly an opportunity of contributing in money, provisions or furniture. As the hospital makes no distinction between its ministrations it is hoped all of every class, and of every nation, will be thus testifying their appreciation of the good work the hospital has done. The children must remember their custom of going on the afternoon of Thanksgiving day carrying their offerings in person.

A BIG GOLD FIND.

Weighting It on Grocers' Scales and Measuring It in Pint-Cups.

SALISBURY, N. C., November 8.—News comes here to-day of a rich gold find in Montgomery county by Tebe Saunders. Last week he took out 2,000 pennyweights, and sent, besides seven pounds of gold ore to the Charlotte mint. In one rockful of grit four ounces of gold was found. The gold is in places' grit, and is the richest ever found in the State. Two peck-baskets full of gold and specimens were taken out of the mine yesterday. Tebe has one hundred hands at work, and gets so much gold that no pretense is made at weighing it except on a pair of grocer's scales, or to measure it in a half-pint cup to pay the royalty, which is shared by the hands. Below the grit small veins are found, and more than half gold. There is no fraud about this, for the gold shows for itself, and it has created intense excitement here.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Mr. A. E. Jenks, of Boston, Mass., is at the Battery Park. Dr. Walter C. Browning, who is going to build the new hotel on the Swannanoa, is now at the Battery Park. Dr. Leffingwell, who has been thinking of purchasing the Battery Park Hotel, returned from Hot Springs yesterday. Mr. A. Blythe, of Newport, R. I., has leased Mr. Woodsey's Wigwam for the winter season, and will take possession on the 1st of December. Mr. and Mrs. Jackson Johnston and their son Mr. Thos. Johnston, of Franklin, N. C., are in the city, the guests of the Hon. Thos. D. Johnston. Mr. John Simpkins, of Yarmouthport, Mass., and his two sisters are stopping at the Battery Park. Mr. Simpkins is one of the most prominent and wealthy capitalists of Boston, Mass. Mr. Douglas, Vanderbilt's fosterer, was at the Swannanoa yesterday. Mr. Douglas is a recognized authority on forestry, and has written several standard works on that subject. He had charge of selecting the trees in Central Park. Although 60 years old he thinks nothing of a walk up Craggy. He was there only the other day in order to examine the different varieties of the rhododendron with a view to cultivating them on the Vanderbilt estate.

SOUTHERN COTTON.

Report of the New Orleans Cotton Exchange.

NEW ORLEANS, November 9.—The New Orleans Cotton Exchange statement issued to-day makes the position of the cotton market in the South for the first ten weeks of the season 577,883, against 674,852, of which was sold by Northern mills 431,426 against 587,152. The amount of American cotton crop in sight 2,670,580 against 2,650,399. The statement shows a partial halt in the heavy foreign market, and the excess which last week was 410,575 bales to some 369,573 over the total to this time last year. It also indicates that northern mills are still pursuing their policy of working at a reduced rate, the deficiency in their takings for the ten weeks compared with last year having been increased to 155,716 bales. Stocks at sea ports and leading interior towns have increased 189,374 bales during the week, reducing the deficiency compared with the close of corresponding week last year to 30,542 bales.

BRACES REFUSED TO WORK.

KANSAS CITY, November 9.—Brakes on the Fifth street cable train refused to work as the train was descending a hill between Delaware and Main streets this afternoon. At the foot of the hill the runaway train collided with an Eighteenth street train on the loop. Both trains were wrecked, and the Fifth street gripman, James Johnson, was seriously and perhaps fatally injured. The conductor of the Eighteenth street train was struck on the head and knocked unconscious. He was moved to the hospital, and is in a precarious condition. Four passengers were slightly injured.

Important Virginia Items.

LEXINGTON, Va., November 9.—Dr. Z. L. Walker, who was wounded in the Brownsburg affair Friday evening, has died from his wounds. Dave Miller is mortally wounded, and his brothers George, James and William, implicated in the shooting of Dr. Walker and his wife, are in jail. Lyeing is feared. Rev. James Henderson Smith, author, and late pastor of the Harrisonburg, Va., Presbyterian church, and son of Gen. F. H. Smith, superintendent of the Virginia Military Institute, died this morning. Carol J. F. Ingine, of the fourth class corps of cadets of the Virginia Institute, died. His body will be taken to Mobile, Ala.

Mills Burned in St. Paul.

ST. PAUL, Minn., November 9.—About 9:45 o'clock last night a fire broke out in the flour mill of the St. Paul roller mill, on Third street, near St. Peter, and spread rapidly. Close by is a big elevator of the same company which also caught fire. A loss of \$150,000, with insurance of \$100,000, is involved in the mill and contents. The building was closed at 6 o'clock, and the fire is thought to have been caused by an explosion of a lamp in the shipping room.

THE KENTUCKY TRAGEDY.

Col. Goodloe's Condition Considered Hopeful.

CINCINNATI, November 9.—A special from Lexington, Ky., says: Col. Goodloe rested well last night, and this morning his physicians believe he has a good chance for recovery. People are still greatly excited. The doctor attending him yesterday was talking to Swope, a few seconds before the alteration began, and says he did not hear any words passed between the men although they were only a few feet away. He thinks there was a tacit understanding between them that the first time that they met alone they should fight. A man very close to Goodloe said to your correspondent this morning that he knew the fight would come about sooner or later, but that it was not expected quite so soon. It would be hard to say who has the public sympathy, as there seems to be heartfelt and universal sorrow for both families. LEXINGTON, Ky., November 9.—Col. Goodloe at 4:40 p. m. was undergoing an operation. He was under the influence of anaesthetics, and his reporters were allowed in the operating room. His physicians fear he will not recover. Nashville Races. NASHVILLE, Tenn., November 9.—This was the last day at West Side Park. First race—two year olds, four furlongs; Nanny P. won, Kenilworth second, Revival third. Time .52½. Second race—seven furlongs; Somerset won, Consigne second, Katie S. third. Time 1.33½. Third race—one mile; Sival won, Mertv second, Argental third. Time 1.48½. Fourth race—one mile; Hornpipe won, Montia Hardy second, Queen of Tramps third. Time 1.40½. Fifth race—five furlongs; Sir Olce won, Zulufo second, Armet third. Time 1.07. Sixth race—five furlongs; Basil Duke won, Cecil B. second, J. B. Freed third. Time 1.06½. Seventh race—five furlongs; Bonboy won, Weeks second, Probst third. Time 1.07½. Eighth race—five furlongs; Tom Karl won, Robin second, Germanic third. Time 1.06.

Weekly Bank Statement.

NEW YORK, November 9.—The weekly bank statement is as follows: Reserve, decrease, \$1,881,375; Loans, increase, 1,618,200; Specie, increase, 572,100; Legal tenders, decrease, 2,571,600; Deposits, decrease, 472,700; Circulation, increase, 5,100; The banks now hold \$790,850, in excess of the 25 per cent. rate.

Card of Thanks.

I desire to express my sincere thanks to my many friends for the numerous favors and kindnesses shown me at the time of my accident and during my recovery. Very gratefully, A. L. MELTON.

The Morganton Herald.

Appears as the successor to the Morganton Star, Mr. W. C. Ervin, editor and publisher. The number for November 7th, is the first we have seen, and we are very much pleased with it both in make up and matter. The editorials are strong and well written, and the local columns are full and spirited. We have faith in the Herald and hope it will be as highly appreciated by its home patrons as it is by those who read it abroad.

General Manager Appointed.

CHARLESTON, S. C., November 9.—C. M. Ward was to-day appointed general manager of the South Carolina railroad by receiver Chamberlain in place of Ted White, who has been connected with the road for the past ten or fifteen years. Ward has been superintendent of the Pittsburg Junction division of the Baltimore and Ohio system and has a high reputation.

Nassava Murderers Indicted.

BALTIMORE, Md., November 9.—The United States grand jury to-day indicted eighteen of the 124 Nassava rioters for murder and being accessories before the fact, the penalty for which is death. Seven are charged as principals and eleven as having aided and abetted the murderers.

Bond Offerings.

WASHINGTON, November 9.—Bond offerings to-day aggregated \$90,900; all accepted, at 1.05½ for four and halfs and 1.27 for fours.

A Far Off Earthquake.

TUSIS, November 9.—An earthquake occurred here to-day. No damage was done.

FEDERAL COURT.

No one can help but be impressed with the clearness and conscientious of the charges made to the jury by Judge R. P. Dick. They are short, pitiful, pregnant and thoroughly impartial. Seemingly knotty points become entirely clear to both the listeners and the jury under his skillful treatment. The most interesting trial was that of the Rathbone, who were charged with trying to rescue their brother "Chris" Rathbone when under arrest. They were convicted, but have not yet been sentenced. All the other cases appertained to illicit distilling. The sentences imposed were as follows: Doc Carver and Elmira Houston, one month, \$100 and costs; Eli Ballard, four months, \$100 and costs; David Guinn, three months, \$100 and costs; and Will Jackson, eighteen months in the penitentiary.

Mayor Blanton's Chivalry.

Yesterday was an off day at the mayor's court. The patronage was very light and the amount of the fines imposed only footed up to \$28.50. But one incident redounded to the credit of the mayor and showed that he had a very great respect and esteem for woman. In these days of flippancy, when everything is exposed to more or less raillery, woman is often treated in such a manner as would lead one to believe that men had forgotten that they had sisters and mothers. But this is not the case with the mayor.

THE FLOWER MISSION.

It is needless to remind our people of the great work that the Flower Mission has accomplished in the city. This charity is dependent entirely for its support upon the voluntary subscriptions of the citizens and visitors in the place. The winter is now coming upon us and the ladies in charge of this organization find themselves entirely without funds to carry on the work of providing comforts, and in many cases actual necessities, for the worthy poor of the city. There are numbers of willing hands to aid the good work, but it cannot go on without money, for provisions and medicines. We are informed that there was not money enough in the treasury to pay for the groceries and medicines purchased last month. To aid in raising funds some of the musical friends of the society propose giving an entertainment next Friday night, at the opera house, assisted by Miss Bowman, an eloquentist of Nashville. From the outline of the program that we have seen, the entertainment promises to be most enjoyable; well worth the price of admission, fifty cents, aside from the satisfaction of aiding a most worthy charity. Let all the friends of the Flower Mission and the lovers of good music turn out.

Gorton's Minstrels.

Admirers of refined minstrelsy have a genuine treat in store for them on Tuesday evening, November 12, when Gorton's famous New Orleans minstrels will appear at the city opera house. This composed of strictly high class artists, and comes highly endorsed by some of the leading journals. The Wilmington, N. C., daily Messenger says: Gorton's Original New Orleans minstrels played to a large audience last night at the opera house. The parquet and all the galleries were packed with people, and no audience in Wilmington has been more delighted this season than they were. The program was a most excellent one in all its features and the performance was a very fine one. The audience roared with laughter and applauded from the beginning until the curtain fell. The clog dancing and songs were excellent, and the performance of Prince Tausaka, the Japanese juggler was wonderful. Everything on the program is a "feature" and there was a real, genuine funny business from beginning to end. The company's cornet band is a very superior one and not the least enjoyable part of the entertainment was the excellent music they rendered. Reserved seats can be secured at Sawyer's.