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**THE DAILY CITIZEN.**  
FACTS AND COMMENTS.

**ROGER Q. MILLS,** the father of the Mills bill, is again reported to be very seriously ill.

A Mrs. BELLE JOINER died last Sunday at Birmingham and was supposed to be very poor. The next day her son in law arrived to take charge of the remains, and in looking through her effects found an old wire bustle in her trunk in which was hidden \$2,700.

BERNARD HEALEY, a life convict in Joliet, Ill., had his sentence commuted and was to have been released in October. When he received the good news he turned around to tell it to a friend and fell dead of heart disease. This is the irony of fate with a vengeance.

THE mercury in New York on Tuesday stood at 93 in the shade and the Herald figures that at a modest estimate of one pound a head New Yorkers collectively must have lost 850 tons of adipose tissue by untiring perspiration. That is the way it is in New York, but have you heard of any complaint yet going up from Asheville?

THE Duke of Orleans has issued a manifesto to the French conscripts and says that the sorrows of exile are a mere exchange for captivity. His ardent desire to serve his country is unchanged. He asks his dear comrades to keep a place for him, and he will come and take it for God and France. The Duke is a mighty smooth talker and the beauty of it is the French know it. It will be some time before he serves with his dear comrades.

WEST POINT bandmen get the munificent pay of \$17 a month and as a result that once famous musical organization is fast going to pieces, and many of the frontier regiments now have better music than West Point. Congress was petitioned to remedy the evil but with private pension bills and various ditches that ornament their several congressional districts they could not be expected to heed such a matter as West Point's band, and so the latter has been neglected until it is no more.

CHICAGO Aldermen and the World's Fair committee are at outs. The city council insists upon an amendment to the State constitution that will enable her to add \$10,000,000 to her debt instead of the \$5,000,000 proposed for the World's Fair, the extra amount to be used for city improvements. The World's Fair people want the aldermen to keep their hands off and are afraid that when the matter comes up in the extra session of the legislature it will be so loaded down as to endanger its passage. From this distance it looks as if about the best thing Chicago could do is to have less quarrels and do more work. It is a condition and not a theory with which she has to deal.

At the present writing it looks as if Senator Ingalls was not long for this political world. A convention of Farmers' Alliances was held in Harper, Kan., to nominate a county ticket. Thirty-nine alliances were represented by 101 delegates. The convention was harmonious. Four candidates were placed before the convention for representatives and were called on to define their status as to Senator Ingalls' candidacy. Every one pledged himself against him and the convention endorsed the speeches by enthusiastic cheers. The Harper county delegates to the State convention will all be alliance men.

“IT'S A STUNNER TO US.”  
The inconsistency of the McKinley tariff bill was shown up nicely at the recent visit of 100 importers to Washington to protest against it. J. M. Constable, of Arnold, Constable & Co., was the chief speaker for the delegation. He presented a formal protest of the importers of New York. The importers protested against the bill because they believed it would legislate in favor of one class against another class; for the benefit of manufacturers against importers; also because it will work against the poor men of this country. If the McKinley bill went into operation a great many importers would have to retire from business. He introduced Henry W. Curtis, representing the silk and velvet interests, who announced himself as a protectionist republican. The silk commission houses, he said, were more largely interested in domestic silks than in the foreign article. Their money was in domestic mills, and, including importing and manufacturing importers of New York, representing \$500,000,000 of capital. The McKinley bill bore the hardest upon people who could afford it the least, those using cheapest silks. “As you go up in value,” said the witness, “you go down in duty. The duty on ordinary gros-grain silk, costing fifty to sixty cents a yard, was ninety per cent., and on the same article costing \$1.25 sixty-five per cent.”  
When he had concluded Senator Voorhees asked him the reason why cheaper grades of silk paid a higher duty than the more costly, and his answer was, “that's the stunner to us,” is the same one that is bothering most everybody. Why cheap grades of silk such as might be worn by the laboring man's wife should pay 90 per cent, while the higher grades, the rattle of which is heard only in the halls of the wealthy, should pay but 50 per cent, is a question which has not yet been satisfactorily answered. The McKinley bill is first, last and always for the rich.  
A thousand Raleighites picniced at Tarboro Tuesday.

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**A WRECK ON THE B. & O. YESTERDAY.**  
**MEMOIR WINS THE OAKS STAKES AT EPSOM.**  
**High Winds in New York—An Inhuman Mother Sentenced—News of the World.**  
Special to THE CITIZEN.  
WHEELING, W. VA., June 6.—Late reports from the wreck on the Ohio River Road state that eight Baltimore & Ohio officials were injured, none fatally. They were taken to the McClure House.

**AN INHUMAN MOTHER.**  
Special to THE CITIZEN.  
MOUNT HOLLY, June 6.—Mrs. Vandegrift, found guilty of an attempt to poison her son for the insurance money on his life, was today brought into court for sentence. The verdict of the jury was three years in the penitentiary and it only remains to announce the sentence. The entire morning was devoted to argument for a new trial. On this decision also hinges the decision of the supreme court in the habeas corpus application.

**A Daring Robbery.**  
Special to THE CITIZEN.  
ST. LOUIS, June 6.—At 11 o'clock this morning, Mansfield King, the man charged with the daring robbery of President Moffatt, of the Denver bank, was brought into court at Clayton, near here and fully identified by Mr. Moffatt. King went into the bank several months ago, took out a bottle which he said contained nitroglycerine and threatened to blow up the bank. He secured \$20,000 and fled.

**Croker Will Come To-Day.**  
Special to THE CITIZEN.  
NEW YORK, June 6.—Ex-Chamberlain Richard Croker, head of Tammany, will reach home some time today on the Allen. Friends are in readiness with a chartered tug to meet him. It is likely that he will not testify before the legislative investigating committee before next Monday.

**The First Convention.**  
Special to THE CITIZEN.  
HILL CITY, Kan., June 6.—The first of the Kansas Farmers' Alliance congressional conventions opened here today. A candidate for congress will be nominated. The contest is between J. McKee and A. M. Allen.

**The Annual Regatta.**  
Special to THE CITIZEN.  
NEWARK, N. J., June 6.—Preparations are complete for the opening today of the Passaic River Amateur Rowing Association annual regatta. Entries number two hundred and forty.

**Minnesota Farmers.**  
Special to THE CITIZEN.  
ST. PAUL, Minn., June 6.—The Farmers' Alliance of the Fifth district are in session in Fergus Falls today. They will make a congressional nomination.

**With Eighty Thousand Dollars.**  
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BRIDGEPORT, Conn., June 6.—Rollin Beers, a prominent lawyer is reported to have shipped to Canada with eighty thousand dollars.

**Memor Wins the Stakes.**  
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LONDON, June 6.—Memor won the oak stakes at Epsom today.

**Two People Injured.**  
Special to THE CITIZEN.  
NEW YORK, June 6.—Two people were injured by the high winds last night. One will die.

**A PERMANENT SOCIETY.**  
**Resident South Carolinians Meet and Organize.**  
A meeting of about twenty South Carolinians, residents of Asheville, was held yesterday. A permanent organization under the name of the “South Carolina Society of Asheville, N. C.” was effected. Col. L. M. Hatch was tendered the position of first president but begged to decline the honor in favor of Major Wm. E. Brees. The following officers were then elected: Wm. E. Brees, president; L. M. Hatch, vice-president; J. P. Arthur, secretary and treasurer.  
A committee was appointed to arrange for a supper on the night of June 27th in celebration of June 28th, the anniversary of the battle of Fort Moultrie, and another committee was selected on toasts and invitations. The committee appointed on constitution and by-laws will report on the evening of June 27th next, and there will be quarterly meetings thereafter on the 28th days of September, December, March and June of each year.  
The governors of four states and other distinguished guests are expected to be present at the banquet on June 27th and the occasion is expected to be a very enjoyable one.

**Mabel Heath To-Drama.**  
The sensational melo-drama, Lady Audley's Secret, or, the Mystery of the Lime Tree Walk, is one of the best of the productions of the Elfin Star Company and it was a delighted audience that witnessed the play last evening.  
Miss Dora Bourne's interpretation of Lady Audley was one of the most clever bits of acting that has been seen in Asheville in some time. The support was good and the company appeared at a decided advantage. To-night Mabel Heath will be the attraction.

**NORTH CAROLINA NOTES.**

Raleigh had twenty-two marriages during May and twenty-eight deaths.

The trial of Mintus Chandler for the murder of Henry Austin is on at Durham.

Sixty thousand acres of school land, located in Tyrrell, is to be sold to Northern parties.

T. J. Pierce, of Beaver Dam, Union county, is in jail at Monroe, charged with making counterfeit money.

Captain William A. Darden, one of the oldest alliance lecturers in the State, died at Gatesville, where he had gone.

Rev. William Gaston Clements has been re-elected, by acclamation, county superintendent of public instruction for Wake.

A countryman presented four ten cent Confederate stamps at the postoffice window at Raleigh and asked that they be redeemed.

The revenue collections in the Raleigh district during May were \$136,000; that being the largest amount collected in any one month in more than fifteen years.

Col. Julius A. Gray, president of the Cape Fear and Yadkin Valley railroad, says it is not true that his company is surveying a branch road up the Yadkin river.

The stamp collection at the revenue office in Durham, for the month of May, was the largest our town has had in many years, if not the largest ever collected. It was \$80,890.83.—Durham Sun.

It is reported that Northern parties have purchased the Hunnycutt and the two local mines, the former in Rowan and the latter in Cabarrus county, with intention of full development of the three properties.

The board of magistrates of Cleveland county have met in the court house and re-elected the present county commissioners—L. W. Garrett, E. D. Dickson, and S. Young, by acclamation. J. A. Anthony was elected superintendent of public instruction without any opposition.

The corner stone of the new Y. M. C. A. building at Davidson College will be laid with appropriate ceremonies at 4 p. m. Wednesday, June 11. The Association has elected Rev. C. M. Payne, of Concord to deliver an address on that occasion. The building includes, among other conveniences, a large and well fitted gymnasium.

Yesterday was the biggest day for shipping truck New Berne has ever had. It is safe to say that 14,500 packages of truck, beans and potatoes, left this section, the greater part of it from the farms surrounding New Berne, yesterday. No Col. Cameron is a ripe scholar particularly well versed in history. Should the choice of the board of trustees fall upon him it would be highly gratifying to his many friends throughout the State.—Sylvia Democrat.

There are only 170 convicts in the penitentiary, a smaller number than in years. The reason is that many have just been sent out to work. Eleven convicts were sent from the penitentiary to the farms on the Roanoke, thirty were sent to Salisbury, to work on the Yadkin railway. The penitentiary board has a contract to grade twenty-two miles of this road, in Stanley county.

A correspondence of the Asheville CITIZEN, suggests the name of Col. John D. Cameron, for the Professorship of History of the University of North Carolina. This would be an admirable selection, as Col. Cameron is a ripe scholar particularly well versed in history. Should the choice of the board of trustees fall upon him it would be highly gratifying to his many friends throughout the State.—Sylvia Democrat.

Tuesday evening at Beaufort, William Potter, aged seventeen years, and John Davis, aged seventeen, sons of prominent citizens, left in a boat to swim the Sound. Failing to return at night, a search was made, and the boat containing their clothes was found anchored. A large searching party spent all night in unavailing search for their bodies. It is generally believed that one was drowned while attempting to aid the other.

Notice has been received that the following are the graduates at the Peabody Normal School at Nashville, Tenn., as holders of North Carolina scholarships: J. E. J. Warren, Rosedale; W. F. Davis, Booneville; J. R. Johnson, Jackson Hill; J. T. Paris, Statesville; Miss Mary H. Smith, Scotland Neck. The latter is a licentiate of instruction. There are four teen North Carolinians at this training school.

Reduced rates to Davidson College commencement have been granted by the Richmond & Danville Railroad from all points in the territory bounded by Asheville, Raleigh, Greensboro, Seale City, and Columbia. Tickets on sale June 8th to 12th, with final limit on June 16th. The commencement exercises will be held on June 11th and 12th. Similar arrangements will be made in a few days with other railroads of North and South Carolina.

Maj. S. M. Finger, of the committee of visitors to the University, was interviewed at Raleigh, regarding the board's impressions of its recent visit. He says the impression made as to the work done was very good. The work is very efficient. There is an excellent corps of professors, vigorous men, who devote themselves to their duties. Money is badly needed for the repair of buildings, and to put them in proper condition, and to put them on a system of sewerage are badly needed. The present conveniences in this regard are those of a past century. It is impossible to make additions to the faculty as the funds available will not permit. A catalogue will show about 200 students. The board of visitors was exceedingly pleased with what they saw.

Cyrene Commandery No. 5, K. T., will meet tonight at 8.30 o'clock for work in the R. C. degree. By order of Em. Com. W. F. RANDOLPH, Recorder.

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