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HARRY S. WILLIAMS DEAD

A PROMINENT YOUNG LIFE GOES OUT.

The Death of the Physician Occurs at 2:40 Sunday Afternoon. After a Short Illness—Funeral Arrangements Not Yet Made.

Dr. Harry S. Williams, notice of whose dangerous illness was given in Saturday's Citizen, died yesterday afternoon at 2:40 o'clock, at the residence of his father, Dr. John Hey Williams, 53 Haywood street.

The fatal illness of the young physician was contracted on Sunday, December 25, just one week before his death. Dr. Williams kept up his practice until Wednesday, when the progress of his affliction forced him to go to bed, the trouble developing into an obstruction in the left kidney. His condition grew steadily worse, until Friday, when the case became so alarming that an operation was decided upon.

Favorable symptoms began, however, and the operation was delayed twenty-four hours. But the patient grew worse again, and on Saturday afternoon the dangerous and difficult operation of nephrectomy was deemed imperative, and it was performed by Drs. W. D. Hilliard, S. W. Battle and J. A. Watson. The operation was successful, the sufferer bravely discussing the details of the operation with the physicians as it was about to be performed, but he could not withstand the shock to his system, and died at the hour stated.

Harry S. Williams was born on September 7, 1865, this date being also the anniversary of the birth of his father and the marriage of his parents. He was educated in the common and high schools of Philadelphia, and the Venetian male academy, in Asheville. He removed to Asheville with his parents when a boy. Later he took a course in the Knoxville Business college, Knoxville, Tenn., and returning to Asheville held a position in Pelham's pharmacy for several years.

In 1887 young Williams went to Los Angeles, Cal., where he was engaged in the oil business. Thither he went to San Francisco, where he was a student in medicine in Cooper Medical college. While there his sister, Miss Anna Williams, who was on a visit to that city, became ill and he accompanied her to her home here.

His preparation for the practice of medicine was completed at the Medic-Chirurgical college at Philadelphia, from which he was graduated in 1892, with high honors, receiving a gold medal and special complimentary mention for high grade of scholarship, by the distinguished surgeon, Dr. W. P. Wood. It was noted for his love of and interest in many sports. He returned to Asheville and began the practice of his chosen profession, and was rapidly on the way to become an eminent in the profession as his father, Dr. John Hey Williams. He endeavored himself to every one with whom he came in contact, and his untimely death has cast a gloom over his very large circle of friends in Asheville. He will be mourned as a man of unusually bright prospects, true friend and a loving son and brother.

Dr. Williams was a member of the Knights of Pythias and the Royal Arcanum, and his funeral will be held at 10 o'clock to have been conducted upon his Thursday night of this week.

The hour for the funeral has not yet been decided, but it is expected that this afternoon's train, and if he arrives the funeral and burial will take place tomorrow.

ON PATTON AVENUE.

An Article on That Street's Paving That is Up to Date.

The Patton avenue paving has now reached French Broad avenue and with good weather may be at Grove street by this week Saturday. From Ann street to French Broad avenue the bricks seem to be much nearer the specifications than from Depot street to Ann street. The first hundred feet from Depot street is very rough. The paving between the track of the Street railway company is done, in spots only, from Depot street to Ann street, and it also seems rough to look at, being having the appearance of having a hump in it some what like the aldermanic midwife case from the square of the Federal building, which looks all the worse now that the street, for that distance, is cleaned daily—setting an example that the city council follow with advantage to its looks, to say the least. The paving on Patton avenue between the rails from Depot street to Ann street is altogether otiose.

No sidewalk has yet been laid on Patton avenue, beyond Bailey, despite the order of the Board of Aldermen to begin the work a month or more ago. To add to the discomfort of persons living on that street the brick for the sidewalk is, in places, thrown on to what was the sidewalk, and here and there—particularly between Depot street and Woodcock's drug store—the walk is entirely obstructed, and at the latter point there is no paved street to walk on. Pedestrians are there almost literally between his Satan's Majesty and the deep sea, especially since the rain of Saturday night.

WATCHING.

Interesting Services at Central M. E. Church, South.

The watch-night service of the Epworth Leagues in Central church Saturday night from 10:30 to midnight, were very interesting. The meeting was presided over by L. B. Alexander, of Bethel League. Scripture lessons were read by F. R. Shepard and Harold Turner, after which F. P. Claxton made a very instructive talk on "The Legacy of 1892." The exercises, which included singing of appropriate hymns, were concluded by Rev. H. P. Christensen, as the old year died and the new was born, in an interesting address.

No HORMAN Celebration. For several years it has been the custom among the Scots of Asheville and vicinity to celebrate the feast of Hogmanay, the 31st of December, by a supper and ball. Last year, or Saturday night, was an exception, however, and the feast was not observed in any form.

MORTUARY STATISTICS.

Thirteen Deaths Reported for the Month of December.

According to certificates filed in City Clerk Young's office there were 13 deaths in Asheville during the month of December, 9 being white and 4 colored. The causes of death were as follows: Heart disease, 1; apoplexy, 1; consumption, 1; bronchitis, 1; cigarette smoking, 1; pneumonia, 2; erysipelas, 1; stillborn, 1; phthisis pulmonalis, 1; other causes, 3. The victim of cigarette smoking was Baker, aged 32, and an employe of the cotton mills. Only five births were reported during the month, 3 colored and 2 white.

A TRAGEDY IN MADISON

ANOTHER KILLING IN THAT COUNTY'S LONG LIST.

William Riddle Shoots and Kills S. E. Shelton, Who had Recently Been Tried for the Killing of Grant Tweed.

News is received here of a tragedy that occurred Saturday night on Shelton Laurel, Madison county, in which William Riddle shot and killed S. E. Shelton. Riddle was arrested and at Marshall today waived examination and was committed to jail.

Shelton was tried and acquitted at the last term of Madison court for the killing of Grant Tweed several months ago.

A POLITICAL SNARL.

A Very Pretty Three Corned Fight.

OMAHA, Neb., Jan. 2.—On Tuesday, at Lincoln, will open one of the prettiest three cornered fights ever witnessed in a legislative session. Neither of the three parties has sufficient strength to organize either house of the Nebraska General Assembly without the assistance of one of the other two, and thus far no plan or combination has been presented that meets the approval of all parties interested. It seems probable, however, that the Democrats and Independents may get together before tomorrow night.

In addition to the election of United States Senator to succeed Paddock, the Legislature will be called upon to deal with important railroad legislation and other matters of vital interest to the State. From these reasons comes the importance of controlling the organization of the Legislature, irrespective of party, the organization of that body can control the Legislature. It was suggested last night that the anti-monopoly body of the Legislature, irrespective of party, organize the body and let the senatorial fight take care of itself.

One of the peculiar features of the situation in Knox county. By the decision of the Supreme court, rendered Saturday, a Republican will be sent to the House from that county, instead of an Independent. To accomplish this it is necessary to serve the court's writ on the county clerk of Knox county. When the writ is served the county clerk, Saturday evening, he found that the county clerk, an Independent, had decamped. The writ is now chasing the clerk from place to place in order to obtain service. But it is too late to comply with the court's order, and have a Republican member present at the opening session. Unless the combination last night is made effective, the House and Senate will probably spend a week getting one organized.

WILD, WILD TALK.

A Woman Anarchist Who Looks For Blood.

MADRID, Spain, Jan. 22.—Sixteen hundred anarchists held a reunion yesterday evening in Barcelona, to celebrate the new year. There was much incendiary talk and several of the speakers predicted a reign of bloodshed and terror in Spain during the year just opened. A leading anarchist, one Valas declared that he meant to inaugurate 1893 with a baptism of blood. Great shouts of approval were given to the declaration of grandees and the middle classes followed this declaration.

A woman anarchist named Theresa Cutumant then sprang to the platform. She was as fiery an enemy of the established order of things as Louise Michel, and a good deal handsomer.

"Go home!" she cried, with flashing eyes and tossing her hair; "go home, for the present, and save centimes that the oppressors allow you to earn while they reap the wealth. Save a wretched pittance to buy rifles and prepare to execute our bloodsucking capitalists and their miserable tools. Destruction is provided for them in the anarchist's programme. Howls and shouts of applause broke in upon the words of the speaker. "Give them no quarter," she cried, "it will lead to the points of bayonets." The whole audience seemed frenzied by the woman's utterances, and there might have been an adverse demonstration, but for the interference of some of the cooler heads who succeeded in calming the excited gathering.

CUT THE CABLE.

Why the Umbria was not Towed Into Port.

NEW YORK, Jan. 2.—It was discovered today that the steel hawser with which the Umbria was towed by the Hamburg-American steamship, Bohemia, on December 24th, did not part solely because of the strain upon it. A clean-cut one of the strands indicates that the hawser was cut aboard the Bohemia. It is probable that the Hamburg ship was in danger and there was no time to back the engines so that the hawser could be cast off.

Killed by an Avalanche.

SPOKANE, Wash., Jan. 2.—A snow plow was wrecked yesterday on the line of the Great Northern. Four lives were lost. The disaster occurred sixty miles east of Kalispel, Mont. The plow was standing on a track and was struck by an avalanche.

Mr. Blaine Better.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 2.—"Mr. Blaine is much better," said Dr. Johnston last evening. "Mr. Blaine is a little better," said the attendant at the door of Mr. Blaine's residence at a late hour.

AGAINST EXTRA SESSIONS

PRESIDENT - ELECT CLEVELAND DOES NOT FAVOR THEM.

But One May Be Necessary Early in the Fall of This Year if a Deficit is Made in the Treasury—The Whiskey Tax.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 2.—The recent conference between the President-elect and Speaker Crisp was expected to result in some authorized announcement on the subject of an extra session. While these anticipations have not been realized, something in the nature of a statement on "good authority" is being passed around among the Democratic leaders. This runs to the effect that while no final decision will be made on the question of an extra session of Congress until February, by which time the cabinet of the President-elect will probably have been selected, the probabilities are decidedly against an extra session before next autumn. Mr. Cleveland, it is stated, has said to Democratic leaders in Congress that he will call Congress together in special session. He also told them, it is reported, that it would not be evoked before autumn unless the financial situation and the condition of the treasury made it absolutely impossible that Congress should meet in the spring to provide the amount of revenue to meet its expenses. He wished to avoid the necessity of an early extra session.

Very soon after the holiday recess the sub-committee of the House committee on Ways and Means, appointed to investigate the condition of the Treasury, will begin its work. On the results of its investigation may possibly depend the date at which Congress may be called together. The conclusion on the part of the majority of the sub-committee, that there will be an actual deficit in the treasury, unless additional revenue is raised, might induce Mr. Cleveland, it is thought, to alter his views with reference to an extra session in the spring, but no other consideration that will bring about such a result is now foreseen. It is the opinion of some of the leading Democrats in the House that an investigation will show that the treasury receipts and expenditures are very nearly equal at present, and there is grave reason to fear an excess of the latter in the coming fiscal year. By the end of this month, the sub-committee's work of investigation will either be concluded or far enough in progress to permit Democratic members to acquaint Mr. Cleveland with the situation and their conclusions as to the future, so that his final decision with reference to an extra session may be based on full information as to the treasury. It is because of the possibility of a close approximation between revenue and expenditures that some serious attentions being paid by Democratic members to the proposition to increase the whiskey tax. This would be an easy method of raising additional money, and Mr. Springer and his associates will take it under advisement, if result of their investigations discloses a call for more revenue.

MURDERED A WOMAN.

She Was of Bad Reputation, But Had Her Head to Live.

WALNUT COVE, N. C., Dec. 31.—On last Monday night, 26th, near Neatman postoffice, Ira Voss, Sandy Stevenson and Peter Keyser went to the house of Mrs. Polly Watson, and Voss and Stevenson entered the house by tearing down the door. Stevenson dragged the woman, who was of bad character, about ten steps from the house and beat her head into a jelly. Voss remained in the house while Stevenson came back and attempted to shoot the six-year-old boy of Mrs. Watson, and would have done so had it not been for Voss striking his hand as he fired, causing the ball to go over him. Mrs. Watson was found the next morning near the house with a log across her head and shoulders that would weigh about two hundred pounds. It is supposed that Voss is implicated in the murder. The parties are in the hands of the officers.

CRISP NOT WELL.

His New York Visit Was Too Much For Him to Stand.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 2.—A correspondent last night sent out the statement that "Speaker Crisp is a very sick man." Dr. Sowers, the attending physician, said this morning that he was treating Speaker Crisp for an attack of indigestion and that the speaker was not seriously ill, and that he has not been well since his return from New York Saturday morning.

One Withdraws.

SACRAMENTO, Cal., Jan. 2.—A sensation was caused last night by the withdrawal of W. W. Soote, a Democrat, from the Senatorial contest. He and his chief supporters declared in favor of Stephen M. White, the only other Democrat in the field. This assures the election of White to succeed Charles N. Seltion, Republican.

\$100,000 Fire in West Virginia.

WHEELING, W. Va., Jan. 2.—The big plant of Caldwell & Peterson, corrugating works, was entirely destroyed by fire this morning; a number of adjoining houses were destroyed. Loss estimated at \$100,000. Caldwell & Peterson lose \$70,000, insurance about \$45,000.

The Typhus in New York.

NEW YORK, Jan. 2.—Five new cases of typhus were reported today, making forty-eight cases since December 1st. All were from 34 Bayard street, except one at Ward's Island.

CONDENSED TELEGRAMS.

Samuel Trynce, of McKeesport, Pa., is crazy from the effects of being frozen.

About 1,400 postoffices will on January 2 be designated as additional domestic money order offices.

Surgeon General Wymn charges that the recent order against the importation of rags was made at the instance of the paper-makers.

John L. Sullivan has declared again that he would go into training next May at Hot Springs, Ark., and would meet James J. Corbett. He also has denied saying so.

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