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FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 3, 1893.

Who would have thought it? President Harrison has appointed a Democrat and Southerner to the Supreme bench.

At Paris, Texas, a week ago a negro assaulted, with all the cruelty of an essentially brutish nature, a little girl and afterwards maimed her shockingly. On Wednesday of this week thousands of men from in and about the same town tortured the negro with hot irons, drenched him with kerosene and set fire to it. He was hanging by the neck at the time and may or may not have been unconscious of his fate.

The advocates of annexation of Hawaii say we must have for the protection of our long Pacific coast. They forget that we shall still have our Pacific coast to defend and also all the Sandwich islands as well. How much would it cost to arm Hawaii that it could not be taken by England in case war were declared between the two countries?

For two days now there have been conducted elaborate tests of the pneumatic guns of the war boat Vesuvius at Port Royal, S. C. They have been so successful that it is announced that "not a vessel afloat would have a fighting chance with the Vesuvius."

"After leaving the gun the shell is imperceptible until it has reached a distance of possibly one hundred yards. There is a rushing sound which follows the projectile across the water. The eye is first attracted by the base and some pieces flying loose from the shell. There is a flash in all directions and from the midst of the debris emerges the long cartridge. For an instance the eyes detect some oscillation and then the wind vane takes possession of the projectile and it sails away in the distance with a flight as true as an arrow and as graceful as that of a dove.

The firing was remarkably accurate. On Wednesday when the last two shots of the Ackermann were fired, "Lieutenant Ackermann stationed his fleet scarcely more than fifty yards beyond the two thousand yard line at which they were aimed and took photographs of each projectile."

"One of the most remarkable things connected with these shells, is that though they fall into the water at an angle of forty-five degrees, they do not continue that course to the bottom of the sea, but turning almost parallel to the surface line, they rise to near the surface and with such great velocity that they leave a foam crested wave in the water like that which follows a steam launch."

Well, what of it? All the war world waits on these tests. If they are even moderately successful there is nothing to hinder every nation from building any number of Vesuvians and making the then old-style war vessels over into harbor-defense ships or transports. We gain nothing by the invention of a gun that can throw dynamite from a ship, unless a war were declared at once. It is safe to say that every part of the Vesuvius is as well known in the Admiralty office of the British navy as in Washington.

Bills were introduced in the Senate Wednesday to establish the county of Scotland; to establish a naval battery on the State Guard; to complete and furnish the Executive Mansion.

The principal bills introduced in the House Wednesday were: To encourage companies engaged in wood-growing; to allow magistrates' fees in criminal cases only on conviction, and to amend the act relative to public road workers by making the age of liability 20 instead of 18 years.

The bill to provide stenographers for the several courts of the State failed to pass second reading in the Senate.

After a prolonged and warm debate a bill abolishing the State Bureau of Labor Statistics passed by a vote of 44 to 38. Another bill in regard to this bureau placing it under the entire control of the Agricultural Department was introduced in the Senate.

Judge David Schenck made a stirring speech before the members of the lower House of the Legislature asking an increased appropriation for Galliard battle ground. He was followed by ex-Governor Holt and Robt. M. Vance.

There is decided opposition on the part of the legislative committee on health to the bill submitted by the State Board of Health asking for an increased appropriation for the current year. It is about \$9,000 is asked for.

A bill was introduced in the House to re-nact the charter of the Cape Fear and Northern railway. The road is to run from Raleigh or New Hill to some point on the Cape Fear river in Harnett county.

MARY ALLEN WEST.

The death of this distinguished woman in far Japan, as a missionary worker for the W. C. T. U. has awakened a world-wide sympathy. During the eleven weeks she spent in Japan, the most important cities of the empire were visited, and great interest in the cause created.

Her last journey was to Kawazawa, 300 miles by rail and 80 miles by jinrikisha. On the morning of the last day, she was too ill to make the journey, but declining the kind invitation of the Presbyterian missionaries to remain and rest, she started out to travel 55 miles by jinrikisha. When she arrived at the house of Mrs. Wain, a former pupil, now a missionary, she went at once to her room which she never left alive.

Everything possible was done for her, but there was no English doctor within reach. Three Japanese doctors did all they could, but without avail, and on the eighth day, after saying "I am going—I want to go," she went to Him, whom she loved and had so faithfully served.

The body was embalmed by a native Christian doctor, with charge, and on December funeral services were held in the largest church of the city, which was filled to overflowing. The governor and many of the highest officials were in attendance.

By permission of the minister of foreign affairs at Tokio, Mr. Stro Nemoto, an attaché of that office, accompanied Rev. Mr. West to the charge of the remains. They were carried on the shoulders of men, 80 miles to the railroad, in care of a policeman, as well as the above named gentlemen. At the places where Miss West had spoken, crowds of people were as the station to express sympathy and respect.

On the 15th funeral services were held at Tokio, at which many persons were present including distinguished United States Minister and the Governor of the city. The W. C. T. U. of Tokio furnished a full of black velvet lined with white silk, on which was inscribed in letters of gold Mrs. West's full name and "They rest from their labors and their works do follow them."

The procession to the train was guarded by policemen. On the arrival of the casket at Yokohama it was carried on board the steamer on which she had expected to set sail for home, arriving in Chicago January 15.

Impressive funeral services were held on Monday afternoon, after which the mortal remains were committed to the ground, beside the graves of her parents, to await the resurrection of the just.

Miss West was first a teacher, then by election, superintendent of Knox county public schools for eight years. She then became identified with the work of the W. C. T. U. in which she has done noble and effective service. She wrote books, leaflets and pamphlets, and was for years editor of the Union Signal, the organ of the largest organization of women in the world here settled.

As superintendent of Schools of methods, she spent ten days in Asheville two years ago, and enlightened and encouraged the workers then assembled. This brief sketch is taken from the memorial number of the Union Signal, which is of exceeding interest to all who knew Miss West, or are interested in the great cause to which she sacrificed her life.

—Lenoir Topic: In 1880 the Legislature passed a law forbidding the hunting of deer in Caldwell county with dogs, and that this year the law had been pretty well obeyed with the result that it is estimated there are over 100 head that range in the Northern and Western sections.

—A young white woman named Hattie Scarlett and a colored child died in a cellar at Durham. The woman was in the act of washing clothes in the tub, and before her death made an oath before a magistrate to charge charges against a member of the Legislature.

—Newbern Journal: Messrs. Haywood and Helen Huffnaght 600 rock and 3,500 white perch Saturday night about 8 miles below Newbern. The lucky brothers were offered \$800 here for their catch.

The "sketcher" on the Littleton Courier has a very good and very old scrap book.

London Cable N. Y. World. Think of grave legislators groping about in the dark at 5 o'clock in the morning and selecting seats at that hour, although the day's proceedings do not begin until 2 o'clock in the afternoon—nine hours later.

There are 670 members of the house of commons and less than 500 seats to accommodate them, consequently late comers have to stand or remain outside. Members reserve seats by placing their hats on them, and shortly after 5 o'clock this morning Dr. Tanner arrives, looking like an old-clodds man. He carried an armful of hats of friends who wanted seats reserved.

—Sounds Strange. Rev. Dr. Knawford of New York. To drink is no sin; to keep a saloon is no sin; and any policy that claims the name of Christ or does not claim His name, that deals with the well-nigh universal taste of man for alcohol on the basis of law and order alone, cannot commend itself to the best intelligence, and is doomed to fail.

West Asheville and Sulphur Springs Railway. LEAVE POST OFFICE FOR DEPOT. 6.40 a. m., 7.15, 7.45, 8.00, 8.15, 8.30, 8.45, 9.00, 9.15, 9.30, 9.45, 10.00, 10.15, 10.30, 10.45, 11.00, 11.15, 11.30, 11.45, 12.00, 12.15 p. m., 12.30, 1.00, 1.15, 1.30, 1.45, 2.00, 2.15, 2.30, 2.45, 3.00, 3.15, 3.30, 3.45, 4.00, 4.15, 4.30, 4.45, 5.00, 5.15.

LEAVE DEPOT FOR POST OFFICE. 6.25 a. m., 7.00, 7.30, 7.45, 8.00, 8.15, 8.30, 8.45, 9.00, 9.15, 9.30, 9.45, 10.00, 10.15, 10.30, 10.45, 11.00, 11.15, 11.30, 11.45, 12.00, 12.15 p. m., 12.30, 12.45, 1.00, 1.15, 1.30, 1.45, 2.00, 2.15, 2.30, 2.45, 3.00, 3.15, 3.30, 3.45, 4.00, 4.15, 4.30, 4.45, 5.00.

WINTER HOMES, OLD FORT, N. C. TWO THOUSAND FEET ELEVATION. Mountain weather walls to the north and west. A horse shoe of mountains around with open sides only to the South. Titles improving and domesticating life at this place from all the North and West. The best house in the place is the BLOCKER HOUSE. Board, \$20 per month; \$5 per week. Write O. H. BLOCKER, dec26de22

Generosity.



"Hev a cab, sir?" "No, no, thank ye! I ain't got no place ter put it, though it's a slick present!"—Truth.

Active Retirement. It is said that Emilio Zola has gone into retirement to finish his new novel, "Doctor Pascal." How many persons would be wished that this distinguished Frenchman would stay in retirement right along, if he were not so perniciously active when in that situation. Under the circumstances the world would not be a whit the worse off if Zola never went into retirement at all.—St. Paul Dispatch.

A Noble Endowment. By the death of Mrs. John C. Gammon, of Batavia, Ills., the Gammon School of Theology, a Methodist seminary for negro students at Atlanta, comes into possession of \$700,000. Mr. Gammon founded the school some years ago with a gift of \$350,000, and the last will makes it one of the best endowed institutions in the south.—Springfield (Mass.) Union.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., 106 Wall St., New York.

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WANTED—Agents, salary or commission; good chance for advancement. Write, with reference, Ellwanger, Barry, Mt. Hope Nurseries, Rochester, N. Y. jan18d1w

WANTED—A man who can give bond or first-class reference to act as agent for the "Munson Typewriter" in Asheville. A. R. Munson, typewriter agent. Address: J. R. B. State Agent, Charlotte, N. C. jan30d1f

FOR RENT—Small store room, 66 South Main St. Apply to Harold B. Johnston, or R. B. Johnston, lock box 177. jan7d1f

FOR RENT—The Melke house, will be for rent after January 15, 1893. For description, see for sale advertisement elsewhere in THE CITIZEN. dec27d1f

FOR RENT—A furnished house, No. 61 Charlotte street. Possession given February 8. Apply to T. W. PATTON feb1d1f

ROOMS FOR RENT—Officers and bed-rooms, \$2.50 up, in Hendry Block. Apply to C. S. COPPER, No. 67 North Main street. jan7d1f

FOR RENT—Splendid room house, on Park avenue. Large lot, stables and out-houses. Hot and cold water. Apply to Geo. A. Mohan, Graham Manufacturing Co., or Melke house. feb1d1f

FOR RENT—The Dr. Carroll residence on Merrimon avenue, furnished. Large grounds. Apply to O. D. Revel, No. 2 Hendry Block, or J. L. Wagner at the Asheville Plumbing and Heating house. jan4d1m

BOARDING. BOARDING—At 83 Bailey street. Terms reasonable. Three minutes walk postoffice. feb1d1f

BOARDING—Comfortable rooms, with good board, can be had at 31 Haywood street, within a few rods of postoffice. jan19d1m

BOARDING—Good fare and comfortable beds. Convenient to Postoffice. L. R. G. nov1d1f No. 26 Flint street.

BOARDING—Lady owning large handsome home, living alone, would board gentleman and wife or party of three or four. House heated by furnace, also logwood fireplace. Beautiful grounds, and all modern improvements. Address Asheville postoffice box No. 48. jan2d1m

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FOR SALE. IF YOU ARE BUILDING don't fail to put in Watson's Pipe Gutters. For sale by BALLARD & RICH. AN excellent family horse and buggy for sale at very low figures. Apply at 239 Hancock street. FRENCH BROAD LUMBER CO. oct7d1f Telephone 31.

MISCELLANEOUS. LOST—Bunch of keys, in postoffice, evening of January 24. Finder will please return to this office and secure reward. jan25d1f

LOST—A large white and yellow cow with rope on neck, giving about 3 gallons of milk a day. Liberal reward if returned to Get Haywood street. feb1d1f

SCHOOL—37 Patton Avenue over Law's from January 30 to June 2; for both boys and girls. H. K. KING, Prin. jan30d1f

CUT flowers—cut flowers—Roses, carnations, iris, etc. If you want the finest of them call or send your order to R. G. MILFORD, at Fernhurst Greenhouses or Box 513. jan24d1m

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BIG JOB IN NEEDLES. We will sell you a package containing six papers for 4 cents; regular price, 25 cents. Plus, one cent per paper.

Good Lead Pencils, with rubber tips, only 1 cent. Hair Pins, worth 10 cents per box, now going at 4 cents.

Good shoe blacking, worth 5 cents per box, now 3 cents. Blacking brushes only 9 cents, worth double the price.

SPOOL COTTON ONLY 2 CENTS. Fine combs, big bargains, worth 5 cents, now only 2 cents. Dressing combs, worth 10 cents, reduced to 5 cents.

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RUGS AND MATS. Door mats, worth 75 cents, reduced to 60 cents. Hardware, big bargains, all kinds. Files worth 15 cents we sell at 5 cents. Rim knob locks, worth 40 cents, reduced to 20 cents. Auger Bits only 7 cents per quarter. Braces, worth 75 cents, reduced to 65 cents—best quality.

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