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DREAMING OF GOMBROON

BUT A DREAM THAT IS FLEETING REALITY.

"The Citizen" Pilgrim Visited the Home of North Carolina's Noblest Son, "Our Own Zeb," and Tells of the Happy Life of Senator and Mrs. Vance.

All roads lead to Rome, but only one to the mecca at Gombroon, the home of North Carolina's favorite son, Senator Z. B. Vance.

Through the upper Swannanoa valley a roadway fringed with grateful shade points out the easy miles, and guides to the foot of the mountain, where the open becomes a pass. Another mile and the crystal waters of the North Fork spring from Craggy's shadows in the dense groves of the giant balsams, the darkening pools and ripples hint at gleaming trout, and as he sighs the tempted turns into the graded curves that sweep to the saddle of an encircling ridge and to the cottage that overlooks the further gorge.

In the resting chairs on the piazza the Senator and his devoted wife were feasting on the music from a sweet-throated robin as he piped his notes of trilling melody. THE CITIZEN pilgrim was made of the melody with a sincere and hearty welcome.

When "Our Zeb" bids the pilgrim to his heartstone light and spend with him a midsummer's day under Mitchell's frowning heights, the traveler becomes a truly welcome guest of the greatest living son of the Old North State, and his departing hour will come too soon.

The point of view from the piazza of Gombroon is an inspiration, sublime, enchanting, restful—an ever-changing scene of rugged grandeur, whether bathed in the sheen of summer sunshine, shrouded in mists of settling mists or as his vistas are obscured by the lowering thunder heads that dip their bulging masses and fill the gorges from the depths to the furthest heights, and of the golden sunlight through glittering raindrops, and the scene of enchantment is complete.

Within the toga of the Senate chamber is laid out, the busy haunts of men and their artificities are a welcome exchange for the kindly moods of nature in the glories of Gombroon, and the statesman becomes a happy son of toil, his agricultural bent here goes bridge free and the looms of centuries are generous in their rewards of his husbandry.

The season in the cove is ten days late, but "rosin years" from the Senator's garden were a toothsome dish in Sunday's menu and the vegetable field throughout is in as fine condition as those in the bottoms of much lower altitude. The choice of crops is grass and the statesman-farmer speaks weighty volumes to his people in this wise preference. Clover and timothy made the pasturing of his guests as auring to the eyes of the stalwart Senator when ready for the mower, and more than twenty tons of fragrant hay await the needs of the herds when the winter reigns. The harvest of the cereals from a comparatively small acreage promises to be bountiful and of high grade.

The present pride of the husbandman is centered in a silted cove but recently cleared, upon whose slopes "Stand the maize fields green and shining waving soft and sunny tresses."

When the corn song is sung at the husking frolic it is estimated that 400 bushels of the maize ears will be the yield.

The products of the dairy are ample for the needs of the family so frequently augmented by the guests of its guests in this one of hospitable entertainers. The farm ledger shows the loss of three fine Jerseys and nearly a hundred hogs by the neglect of keepers and the ravages of cholera.

The orchards, though young, are in bearing and an apple house is under construction for the storage of the crop in sight. Grape vines are heavy clustered, and other small fruits in the bud. The full, red raspberries particularly so, bushels of this delicious fruit going to less fortunate growers' round about.

The accomplishedness of the manor is in close sympathy with her noble husband in their life of democratic simplicity. Quietly gowned in gray, gloved and hooded, the lady directs the improvement of the estate, and the guests of the house adds to the landscape from her tours of exploration in the diversified flora of the glens and rocky knolls. The evenings at the lodge are spent in whist and music or in the treasures of the comprehensive library.

And so the blessings of serene enjoyment come to the people's servant and his gracious helpmeet in their earthly paradise and the benison of a real heaven abides upon their roof tree.

The health of Senator Vance has been greatly benefited by his season of recuperation in the mountains and he will resume his place among the law makers at Washington early next month equipped for active duty in what promises to be a memorable session. Mrs. Vance is probably remaining at Gombroon until the late fall, when she will rejoin her distinguished husband at the capital.

A NARROW ESCAPE.

Alderman Westall's Presence of Mind in An Accident.

Yesterday afternoon Alderman J. M. Westall, accompanied by his mother-in-law, Mrs. White, and his children, went driving to Lookout mountain in a "cut-under" surry. In attempting to make a short turn the wheel caught under the bed of the surry and a jerk from the horse overturned the vehicle. Mr. Westall realized the danger they were in and thought of the possible terrible result should the horse run away, so all but two of the party were thrown in a heap into the top of the surry, two of the children being thrown entirely out on the ground. Mr. Westall grasped the reins and held on with all his might, with the result that the animal could not run. The horse soon became quiet and the endangered party were released from their predicament and came home on a car. Mr. Westall was bruised on the leg, while the skin of one finger on the hand in which he grasped the reins was torn off and the little finger on the same hand was broken. His daughter, Myrtle, was bruised painfully on the cheek, while the others in the party escaped with only slight bruises or none at all. The injuries of Mr. Westall and his daughter are not serious.

"DAVID GARRICK"

Synopsis of the Play and Cast of Characters.

The three-act comedy, "David Garrick," to be presented next Thursday evening at the Grand opera house for the benefit of the Asheville Library association, is by T. W. Robertson, the author of "Caste" and other successful dramas. The plot is founded on a pretended incident in the life of Garrick, the famous actor, who lived about 1740. Mr. Ingot, a wealthy citizen of London and director in the East Indian company, finding that his daughter Ada is in love with Garrick, invites the latter to his house and after an unsuccessful attempt to bribe him to leave the country, tells him the situation. Garrick undertakes to cure the girl of her infatuation, and while putting his plan into execution finds that he is in love with her himself. Fortunately, before it is too late, the plan is discovered by Ada and all ends happily. The play is full of laughable situations, contrasted with the touching love of Ingot for his daughter, and of her struggle between her love for her father and for Garrick. The costumes are elaborate and are those of the period. The cast of characters follows: David Garrick, the actor, Donald Macdonald; Mr. Simon Ingot, a wealthy citizen, W. West; Squire Chivy, Capt. T. W. Patton; Mr. Smith, John Child; Mr. Brown, W. B. Williams; Mr. Jones, H. D. Child; Thomas, the butler, D. C. Waddell, jr.; George, the valet, A. G. Abbey; Ada Ingot, Mrs. A. J. Lyman; Miss Araminta Brown, Mrs. T. W. Patton. Seats can be secured at Lindsey's, 34 Patton avenue.

CRIMINAL COURT.

The July Term Opens Here This Morning.

Judge Thos. A. Jones donned the judicial ermine today and began the July term of the Buncombe Criminal court. And right gracefully do the honors sit upon the new judge's shoulders, Solicitor Eug. D. Carter, Geo. W. Young, the new clerk, and Deputy S. B. Erwin were in their places, and the court wasted no time in getting down to the business groove.

The following gentlemen compose the grand jury: W. R. Heston, foreman; J. M. Byrd, T. C. Reeve, F. T. Pickens, Geo. A. Miller, Lewis, F. N. Stevens, C. E. Bryson, J. R. Ballew, W. H. Poor, M. B. Roberts, T. D. Harris, F. R. McIntire, W. M. Smith, jr., M. E. Roberts.

Judge Jones' charge to the grand jury was one of some length, and was clear and able as well.

In the case of State vs. James Wolfe, charged with maintaining a nuisance in the shape of a slaughter house, a nol pro was entered. This case has been in the courts for several terms. At the last term of the Supreme court Mr. Wolfe was given a new trial.

State vs. J. D. Redmond, assault, on trial.

LISTEN FOR THE GONG!

Something New at the Passenger Depot in Asheville.

There is a new arrangement at the passenger depot that catches the man who is up to date in such things and makes the uninitiated stare with open mouth at the curious things one sees nowadays on every hand. The article referred to is an electric gong, which gives notice when starting time comes for the trains the yard. Three minutes before the time for leaving the gong sounds thrice, and woe unto the man who requires more than three minutes to get aboard, for promptly at the expiration of that time the gong sounds again and simultaneously therewith the train glides off. There is no foolishness about it. The gong is connected with the dispatcher's office, Mr. Foster or Mr. Sewell presses the button and the gong "hit does the rest."

THE EXTRA SESSION.

What the President Will Ask Congress to Do.

NEW YORK, July 24.—The World this morning printed the following: The World is enabled today to announce authoritatively the immediate policy of President Cleveland and his administration in regard to the approaching special session of Congress. Briefly it will be as follows: First—Silver reform by the absolute and unqualified repeal of the Sherman law. Second—Tariff reform to be prosecuted in accordance with the pledges of the party as soon as, but not before, the finances of the country are again upon a stable basis.

THE CHOLERA.

The Plague Continues at Naples and at Senegal.

WASHINGTON, July 24.—Assistant Surgeon C. B. Young, of the Marine hospital service stationed at Naples, Italy, today cabled Surgeon-General Wyman that cholera continues at that place, averaging three cases daily. The Marine hospital service also received a cable message this morning, through the department of State, from Consul Strickland, at Goree-Dakar, Africa, saying: "Cholera prevails in Senegal. No statistics as to the number of cases and deaths, or other particulars are given. Senegal is a French colonial dependency in West Africa."

A STRANGE CASE.

A Life Convict to Be Tried For Murder.

JACKSON, Miss., July 24.—Henry Singleton, who murdered Lulu Payne in the penitentiary a few days ago, has been indicted for murder, and will be tried at the present term of the court, if his condition will permit it. Singleton is now serving a life sentence for murder. His case will perhaps be the only one on record where a life convict has been tried before a court for murder.

As the evidence is conclusive there is little doubt of his receiving the extreme penalty.

Will Reciprocate.

WASHINGTON, July 24.—The Congressmen who were most interested in defeating the passage of the force bill, it is reported, may aid their western colleagues in opposing the unconditional repeal of the Sherman silver bill.

HAS A SANGUINARY TINGE

THE DIFFERENCES OF SIAM AND FRANCE.

M. Pavle, the French Minister to Siam, Gives His Walking Papers. It is Said—The "Thunderer" Comments on the Situation.

PARIS, July 24.—M. Develle had a long conference with Premier Duhuy all of yesterday. Only at the last minute was it decided to impart to the press Siam's reply and the government's decisions. It is stated that Mr. Develle has notified Admiral Hannun to proceed at once to declare a blockade.

The Soir comments thus, in an extra edition, on Siam's reply: "Siam concedes only the least important of the conditions put by France. Her resistance is due obviously to English influence. M. Develle would do well to speak clearly and firmly to Lord Dufferin."

Noon—The French government has not yet notified the powers of the intention of France to blockade the Menam river. It is stated that M. Pavle, the French minister to Siam, has been ordered to leave Bangkok in 24 hours.

LONDON, July 24.—The Times this morning published an editorial, which, it is thought, expresses the general English opinion of the merits of the French-Siam dispute. In commenting upon Siam's answer to the French ultimatum the Times says: "Siam's refusal to go beyond the just and reasonable limits or to concede territory to which France never put in an effective claim until the other day is no excuse for the measures of hostility ostensibly directed against the Siamese, but really striking at the commerce of England and other countries having commercial relations with Siam."

The Bangkok correspondent of the Daily Chronicle telegraphs under yesterday's date: "Siamese warships are anchored one mile from the French and are crowded with men ready for action. Their intention is, in case the French commence hostilities, to steam down and ram the French gunboats, attempt to board them in force and attack the crews with fixed bayonets. The German gunboat Wolf has arrived here."

1:45 p. m.—The government has notified the powers that it intended to establish a blockade of the Siamese coast, without prejudice to other measures that may be taken with the object of securing to France the guarantee to which she is entitled.

A council of Ministers will be held tomorrow to decide what additional measures shall be taken to ensure obtaining of guarantees from Siam. President Carnot is at Marly-le-Roi and cabinet will go there for deliberation. Ministers will meet at 9 o'clock tomorrow morning, President Carnot presiding.

The French government is making arrangements with another government for protection of French subjects of Siam during the absence from Bangkok of M. Pavle, the French minister.

IN GOOD HEALTH.

That's What Joe Jefferson Says of His Condition.

BUZZARDS BAY, Mass., July 24.—Joseph Jefferson, the actor, was seen by a United Press reporter at his villa here this morning, and was shown the published dispatch which stated that he was dying from cerebral affection of the throat. Jefferson laughed heartily when he read the item, and said: "They seem to be giving it to me in the neck." Continuing, he said: "You may deny the story. It is absolutely false. I never was in better health and spirits than at the present time, and have entirely recovered from my recent indisposition. Such stories are ridiculous and extremely annoying."

FORD'S THEATRE. DISASTER.

True Bills Found Against Ainsworth and Others.

WASHINGTON, July 24.—The grand jury today found true bills against Col. Frederick Ainsworth, chief of the record and pension division of the war department; George W. Dant, contractor employed to make excavations for electric light plant; Wm. E. Covert, superintendent, and Francis Sasse, engineer of the building, holding them responsible for the Ford's old theatre disaster of June 9 last, in which 23 persons lost their lives and a large number were injured.

It is understood that defendants will not be arraigned for some days yet, as their trial cannot take place before the September term of the court.

In the Hands of Pirates.

LONDON, July 24.—A dispatch to the Times from Singapore says: "Thursday night a piratical outbreak occurred among Chinese passengers on board the Dutch steamer Rajah Kongsee, trading on the east coast of Achon. The Achinese attacked the crew of the steamer, killing the English captain, mate and 22 of the Asiatic sailors and wounding 15 others. They then quitted the vessel, taking some of the passengers as captives. The steamer with the wounded is now in Dutch hands."

Receiver Appointed.

TOLEDO, O., July 24.—This morning The Ohio Oil Well Supply company, operating on oil fields at Findlay, Postoria, Marietta, Rising Sun, Vanwert and Pittsburg, Pa., went into the hands of a receiver upon application of Edward H. Cole, of Rocklyn, N. Y., one of the largest stockholders. The company's indebtedness will amount to over \$90,000.

Big Sunday Fire.

AULDING, O., July 24.—Yesterday morning fire destroyed 30 or 40 large business buildings in the city. The loss is estimated from \$200,000 to \$300,000. Most of those burned out were well insured.

CONDENSED TELEGRAMS.

The Citizens' bank, Connersville, Indiana, owned by ex-United States Treasurer Huston, failed to open its doors this morning owing to stringency. Liabilities and assets not made known, but it is said depositors will be paid in full.

Llano, Texas, Improvement and Finance company has gone into hands of a receiver. Liabilities \$80,000; assets \$1,000,000.

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