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The Democrats could not muster a majority on Saturday in the House; in fact only 50 Democrats were present. Consequently nothing was done.

Train robberies are getting too common and too frequent. They must be stopped and the robbers must be severely punished. Meanwhile why should not every train carry a military guard?—N. Y. Sun.

How many hundred trains moved daily? How many thousand men would it take to give every train a military guard? And when the train was stopped and the express car was blown skywards the next moment by dynamite, where would we look for a military guard?

The New York Sun says: "The September number of an American magazine opens with an article upon the Englishman Isaac Walton; and after that it has articles upon the Englishman Thackeray, the Englishman Paus, and the Englishman Richardson, followed by still other compositions about Englishmen or by them. Great are the English, or some of them; but we are not aware that any one of their magazines has ever been filled with articles about eminent Americans, of whom there have been hundreds since the English lost control of this country."

Dash the English articles on our American magazines? Down with them. American magazines that does not ask for and print only American articles on American subjects? All the leading American magazines are published in New York, and they seem to know no point of the compass except the East, and that because it looks towards England. Where is their patriotism?

It is exasperating to those who favor a large navy and try constantly to find something for it to do, that in the first emergency it should be wanting. When the last revolution broke out in Brazil it was according to the eternal fitness of things that the United States should be represented in the harbor of Rio Janeiro by one of our smart cruisers. But a week went by before one could be ordered by telegraph to go to the scene of action. That one was the Charleston. Her commander replied that his steering apparatus was broken down and that he would have to coal before leaving Montevideo for Rio. The Newark, too, was ordered from Norfolk to Brazil, but she could not be made ready before today. The Detroit also was started in the same direction, but after she had sailed it was discovered that she had not been regularly accepted by the government and was still the property of the contractor who built her, and she was recalled. All of which suggests a lady's watch—pretty to look at, but not as serviceable as could be wished.

NOT HOME SEEKERS. A telegram from Guthrie, O. T., the entrance of the Cherokee strip, says that "people fought like wild animals to get aboard trains to get into the Cherokee strip, and hundreds were injured, some fatally. Men forgot their manhood, women lost their self-respect in the wild struggle for advantage. During the terrible struggle to get upon the trains one man had his shoulder broken, one a dislocated leg, and a woman an arm broken. Twenty others were badly trampled upon. There was another rush after the train arrived at the first town site and two or three persons were killed, while the accidents were almost as large as the number of persons in the struggling crowds.

On the surface this wild scramble would appear to have its origin in a natural and, of course, entirely commendable desire to gain a home. But the facts are chiefly otherwise. There were a large number of lots in town sites which might be called speculation land. The great rush was for them, as for the grand prizes in the lottery of first come, first served. Such secured these prizes were made comparatively rich, some single lots selling for as high as \$5,000 within an hour after they were settled upon by the "boomer," and it was in the hope of becoming thus suddenly rich that men and women risked their lives in one of the strangest struggles for wealth the world ever saw. As for the genuine home-seeker, there are still thousands upon thousands of acres at a very moderate price per acre for him to select from, and he does not need to travel thousands of miles inland to reach them.

FAULKNER'S SUBSTITUTE. It Provides For the Coinage of Silver Up to \$800,000,000. From a Washington telegram. Senator Faulkner's amendment to the pending financial bill withdraws from circulation all notes save the legal tender greenbacks of denominations less than \$10 and substitutes in the stead silver coin, so that there can be no expiration of the currency except as provided in the further sections of his amendment. He believes that with the withdrawal of these notes silver dollars and \$5 and \$2 50 gold pieces will circulate alongside of each other in the ordinary course of trade.

The amendment will provide for the coinage of silver up to an aggregate of \$800,000,000, and when that amount is reached the coinage of silver will cease absolutely. The present aggregate of silver coin, including subsidiary coins, amounts to \$615,000,000, so that the increase under this amendment will be \$185,000,000. It will be provided first that no more purchases of silver bullion shall be made until the seigniorage and bullion now in the treasury, amounting to \$53,000,000, have been coined. This is to be done at the rate of \$3,000,000 a month, and at this rate it will take more than three years to coin the seigniorage and bullion now in the treasury, the estimate being made. After that the coinage of silver will cease, and that period has elapsed the treasurer is directed to buy silver and coin it at the same rate until the limit designated shall have been reached. Mr. Faulkner computes that to accomplish this will take about seven years, and by that time we will have been able to determine what the future policy of the government regarding silver shall be.

NEWS IN OUR OWN STATE.

Rev. Tom Dixon had a small crowd to hear his lecture at Winston.

Kernersville News: The total loss by the cyclone will doubtless reach \$15,000.

Elkin Times: Click & Co. made a shipment of 10,000 pounds of dried fruit last week.

The Statesville cotton mill building is about completed. It is splendid structure and everybody is pleased with it.

From the 1st of January to the 31st of August there were 12,000 chickens and 25,000 dozen eggs shipped from Albemarle, Stanly counties.

Orengo Patriot says: We are sorry to have to announce that owing to the stringency in money matters it has been decided to abandon the attempt to have a county fair this year.

The Winston Sentinel says that some time ago Maj. Hunt, of Yadkin, drew several hundred dollars, out of one of the Winston banks, and that a few days ago a robber entered his house and stole it.

The Raleigh News-Observer-Chronicle says that Dr. Winston of the University carries in his belt breches pocket a gravey rabbit's right hind foot, as well as a piece with cat-eye mottles, which he got at Pompeii.

It is stated in the Raleigh News-Observer-Chronicle that the Supreme Court will meet on Friday, September 22d, for examination of applicants to practice law. The examinations will be concluded on Saturday and the court will enter upon the call of appeals from the First district on Tuesday, the 26th.

Davidson Dispatch: Early in August Mrs. Wm. Craver of Enterprise, was picking a bone from her husband's thumb with a needle, and then stuck the needle in a spool of thread and had it on the floor, and happened to run the needle in her foot. She was taken sick immediately and died in a few days from the felon. She leaves a husband and five children.

Raleigh N. C.: On Wednesday evening at the North Carolina Insane asylum, little Mary, the two-year-old granddaughter of the superintendent, Dr. William Wood, while playing in a room on the second floor of the main building accidentally fell through a large windowpane, plunging headlong to the hard walk 25 feet below, without so far as can be ascertained, serious results.

THE REUNION AT BIRMINGHAM.

Headquarters United Confederate Veterans, Room 21 Kenner block, No. 25 Carondelet street, New Orleans, La., Sept. 13th, 1893.

EDITOR THE CITIZEN:—Gen. J. B. Gordon, Commanding United Confederate Veterans, is anxious that the information showing progress made in organizing camps in this benevolent association, be given to the public, with the hope and belief that it will stimulate and encourage those veterans who have not yet organized to do so at once, and send their applications for necessary papers for membership immediately into these headquarters, so as to be represented at Birmingham at the next reunion on October 2d, and 3d, next. Applications will be received either by letter or telegram up to the day of the reunion.

The summary shows 291 camps already registered; applications are now in for necessary papers to form at least 100 more, so that if nothing prevents, there will be nearly, or quite, 500 camps marshaled at the Birmingham reunion. Summary of camps by States: N. E. Tex. Div. 27; W. Tex. Div. 28; S. E. Tex. Div. 12; total Texas 129; Alabama 26; Mississippi 37; Louisiana 31; Florida 26; Kentucky 25; Arkansas 21; Tennessee 15; South Carolina 16; North Carolina 10; Georgia 8; Virginia 7; Oklahoma 4; Div. N. W. Ind. Ter. 2; Missouri 1; District of Columbia 1. Total 391 camps. Very respectfully,

Geo. Moorman, Adjutant General and Chief of Staff.

With the "Citizen's" Apology.

Some two or three weeks ago THE ASHEVILLE CITIZEN and the Morganton Herald copied an item from a Shelby paper which contained the statement that "drunkenness was on the increase in Shelby," and credited it to the Shelby Review. No such report ever appeared in the Review, because (1) the facts do not justify the statement, and (2) the Review has no grudge at its town that would lead it to so grossly misrepresent it.

Spiked That One Gun, Yes.

From the Springfield (Mass.) Republican. Mr. Cleveland is the first president to send a negro to represent the United States in a diplomatic or consular office in a "white" country. There have been plenty of presidents willing to send him to Liberia or Haiti; but it is a Democratic president, singularly enough, who goes so far as to appoint a negro to one of the best consulates in one of the first European nations. This spikes the big political gun pretty effectually.

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A STATESMAN WHO HAS FAILED.

From the Atlanta Constitution. We raised him here in Billville, 'fore he ever come in here. We got him up 'n' broke 'o' day an' 'leamed him how to vote. An' each election day that come he always made his mark— He'd vote six times by daylight, an' twenty times by dark!

Then we put him up for Congress, an' he told the boys that he Was 'er silver, like salvation—an' you know salvation's free! An' we set him on a-ho-ho-in' where the Congress-kid's room's; But he warn't no good at votin' when he got so fur from home!

They called him a "bimetallist," an' then he jekked his coat, An' went to compromisin', when he orter went to vote! They crossed him an' they bossed him, an' he didn't make his mark, An' he'll vote no more by daylight, an' he'll run no more by dark!

The New Tariff Bill.

From the Washington News. An effort will be made to make the bill as plain and consistent as possible, so that no doubtful questions will drag their way through the courts, and no industry will suffer by a lack of proper proportion between the rates on the raw materials and on the finished product.

An opportunity will be given manufacturers, especially of woolen goods, to work off their stocks made from dutiable materials before the goods made of free material come into the market. Provision was made for this in the Mills bill, by making the duties on woolen goods take effect January 1, 1889, while free wool was to take effect on October 1, 1888.

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