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VERY LATEST NEWS.

A HORRIBLE TRAGEDY AT WADE.

A Crazy Man Hurled Himself Overboard at Wade.

News and Observer.

At Wade, N. C., a station on the Atlantic Coast Line, about 11 miles north of Fayetteville, there was a horrible death yesterday afternoon at about quarter past one o'clock when a crazy man committed suicide.

A young countryman, J. J. McFall, who lives in Cumberland county, had become insane, and was to have been brought to the Central Hospital here yesterday. His brother and uncle were in charge of him at the depot in Wade, as train No. 78 pulled in.

They were endeavoring to get him aboard, but just as the train started he got away from them and dashed under the cars. There passed over the unfortunate young man a train car, and he was thrown his body alongside the track.

Fire in Hickory.

Hickory, N. C., April 8.—The fire alarm this afternoon announced the burning of the Hickory mill, alarming the whole town and causing the majority of the manufacturing enterprises of the city to shut down besides the closing of business houses. After several connections had been made, the Latta and Martin pump was turned on from the Hickory Milling Company, and by the aid of heroic workers the fire was extinguished, but not until after considerable damage, especially to the furniture, which was badly broken by being thrown and carried from the building.

The fire was first discovered in the kitchen over the range, which was confined entirely to rear of the hotel. The tin roof had to finally be torn off of the kitchen department before the fire could be extinguished. The hotel and furniture is insured through local agents for \$20,000.

Safe Blowers Under Woman's Lead.

Frankfort, Ind., April 8.—While the gang of safe blowers which battled so desperately with the citizens of Michigantown Sunday morning seems to have made a temporary escape, there have been sensational developments in connection with the case. The local police have a woman under surveillance, who is suspected of being the leader of the gang.

It is believed that the gang operated from this city, and that they are now in hiding here. If this woman shall undertake to leave the city she will be closely shadowed, and the arrest of the other suspects will probably follow. Indications point to the uncovering of a desperate gang, with this city as its headquarters.

A Colored Woman Indicted for Illegal Voting.

Denver, Col., April 9.—A warrant has been issued for the arrest of Mrs. M. A. Ratchford, on the charge of illegally, knowingly and unlawfully voting in the wrong precinct at the late city election. She is 39 years of age and has two children. She was an active Democratic worker during the campaign presiding the city election. It is said that she is the first woman arrested in this country for an election fraud.

Wore Confederate Gray in the Pulpit.

Staunton, Va., April 8.—The Rev. James P. Smith, editor of the Richmond Central Presbyterian, preached to Stonewall Jackson Camp of Confederate Veterans at the First Presbyterian Church last night. The preacher, who was one of Jackson's aids and at his elbow when Jackson was shot at Chancellorsville, wore the Confederate gray in the pulpit.

To Take the Mayflower to Porto Rico.

Washington Post. It is probable that Gov. Allen will go back to Porto Rico aboard the Mayflower. It was the intention of the Navy Department to put this vessel out of commission for a thorough overhauling, but it is realized that the government must have a suitable ship at San Juan, and the Mayflower is best suited for the service desired.

A Richmond Ice Plant Burned.

Richmond, Va., April 9.—Fire on the upper dock today destroyed the ice plant of Mrs. Jane King and the tobacco factory of Hagan Dart and about 50,000. The loss is estimated at about 50,000.

Truckman Horace Clark was caught beneath falling bricks and one arm and one leg were broken.

Took Sixty Prisoners.

London, April 9.—Under date of Pretoria, April 9, General Kitchener reports that Colonel Plumer took sixty prisoners and a seven-pound gun at Pietersburg. He destroyed 210,000 rounds of small-arm ammunition and a considerable quantity of powder and dynamite.

Cheered by It.

From the Indianapolis Press. "You are sure you can support my daughter in the style to which she has been accustomed?" asked the Heavy Father.

"Sure, Mike," answered Our Hero, with the assurance of youth. "Well, I'm glad to hear it. It's more than I can afford any longer."

A Big Hotel Fire.

Ottawa, Ont., April 9.—Two hundred guests were in a frightful panic in Russell house fire this morning, Russell theatre, the finest playhouse in Canada, which adjoined the hotel, was destroyed. The "Bell of New York Opera Company" lost a scenery and costumes. Russell House was to the Dominion what Fifth Avenue is to the United States. The Prince of Wales stopped there in 1860.

THINKS HE MAY BE CHARLIE ROSS.

Kansas City Man Thinks he is the Kidnapped Boy—Wants to Find Out.

Kansas City, Mo., Dispatch, 6 h.

Charles Dewitt, who drives a wagon for a local laundry, called on the police today to ask aid in finding his parents. He thinks he is Charlie Ross. He tells a story as full of shivers as a winter-day mold drama.

"When very young, not over 4 or 5," he says, "I lived in an L-shaped framed house, the clapboards in which ran up and down. As I remember my mother, she was a fair-haired English woman, young, with a ruddy complexion. One day I was kidnapped. Eight or ten men put a wet cloth in my mouth and covered my head with a tablecloth."

Then he tells of traveling by rail and boat to a place he thinks was St. John, N. B. Finally he thinks he got to Chicago. He says he was chloroformed fifty times while on these travels, and several times he heard his captors planning to kill him because pursuit was too hot.

At last he was left with a family named Herschman. They lived in Chicago and later in Marselles, Ill. When any one came to visit the family he was put to bed. After a while his old captors took him again and there was more travel. Then he went to Des Moines, Ia. and there were the Herschmans again. He became one of that family and went to school under their name.

When eighteen or nineteen years old he got the idea that he was being slowly poisoned and ran away. He dropped the name Herschman and called himself Dewitt. He has lived here about two years, having come here from Omaha. He is now about thirty years old. He says he has spent all the money he could save the last seven or eight years east searching for his people. According to the memoranda he says he has secured from old-time neighbors he was a child "round of face, with dimples in cheeks and chin, skin light and clear, eyes brown, hair flaxen and curly, hands small and chubby."

Strange as his story is Dewitt seems to believe it himself and the police are interested.

YOUNG MAN KILLS HIS SWEETHEART.

Then Shoots Himself—Girl Had Broken Engagement on Account of Parental Objection.

Chattanooga, Tenn., April 9.—This afternoon at Summerville, Ga., about forty miles south of here, J. J. Arrington shot and killed Miss Cleghorn, the girl he had just engaged to marry. The tragedy occurred on the street in front of the home of the woman. Arrington fired ten shots, five taking effect in Miss Cleghorn's breast and three in his own breast. He died almost instantly, but the young woman lived a few minutes. They had been engaged to be married for some time, but there was objection on the part of the woman's parents, and she broke the engagement several days ago. Since this time Arrington had been acting strangely and had made several attempts to see Miss Cleghorn without success.

This afternoon Miss Cleghorn started for the home of a neighbor. She had gone on only a short distance from her own gate when she was accosted by Arrington. A few words passed and Arrington drew a pistol and began firing at her. All the shots aimed at her took effect, any one of which would have proved fatal. When the young woman fell, he pointed the pistol at his own breast but the first two shots went wild.

Both parties were members of well known Georgia families. Miss Cleghorn was the youngest daughter of Captain John S. Cleghorn, a wealthy planter. She was charming and counted beautiful. When a passerby reached her side she was conscious and said:

"Oh, why did he do it?"

Arrington was manager of the Arrington Drug Company and a well-to-do business man.

Filipinos for the Navy.

Washington, April 8.—This country is to have a native Filipino navy. Secretary Long has issued instructions to Admiral Remy, commander of the Asiatic Squadron, to enlist five hundred native sailors to man the gunboats and other small vessels formerly belonging to Spain, now used by the United States in the archipelago. The five hundred dusky tars will form the nucleus of an important force. The navy department officials have found that Americans cannot stand the climate of the Philippines when serving on board vessels in the waters of the islands as well as the natives can.

His Second Attempt Landed him in the Courts.

Norfolk, Va., April 8.—James Bondurant, eleven years old stole the tug Fannie, of Capt. Twoby's fleet, two weeks ago. After occupying a punishment for that theft and also for stealing a bicycle, he has stolen another tug.

Last night he impressed a ten-year old negro boy into service as fireman and tried to get off with the Estel, a much larger prize than the Fannie. The boy pirate did not succeed in clearing the dock, however, before the captain of the little vessel caught him.

His latest exploit landed him in court and brought down upon him a fine of \$100.

Leaves two or three Millions to Tulane.

New Orleans, La., April 8.—A telegram announced the death of Louis in New York of Mrs. Josephine Louise Newcomb. Her will leaves her entire fortune, with the exception of a few legacies, to the support and maintenance of H. Sophie Newcomb Memorial College for the higher education of girls. The college is a part of Tulane University of New Orleans. She now leaves the residue of her fortune, estimated at from two to three million dollars to the support of the college.

Lady Burned to Death and Others Injured.

Rochester, N. Y., April 9.—Mrs. Kate Keenan was burned to death and several persons injured in a fire in the Barron block. Fifty occupants of the houses were panic and were rescued with great difficulty.

A DANGEROUS FIRE AT ROCHESTER.

Many Persons Narrowly Escaping—Death—One Woman Still Missing.

Rochester, April 9.—Two dangerous fires occurred at four o'clock this morning, from which many persons narrowly escaped death. One woman is still missing.

The fire department was called first to a five-story brick tenement known as the Barron Block, on State street. When they arrived many tenants were hanging out of the windows and standing on fire escapes. All of the seventeen families in the building are accounted for with the exception of one woman, Mrs. Keenan, who lived on the fourth floor. She is dead and decrepit, and was probably suffocated.

One of the many thrilling rescues made by the firemen was that of Mrs. Barron, who was in the room with third floor. There was no fire escape for her to get out upon. The smoke poured in a volume out of the windows and she was almost overcome when a ladder was placed against the window and she was carried down in the arms of a fireman. A Mrs. Benson was carried down the fire escape from the second floor. She was ill at the time and had little clothing on. The shock may prove fatal. Michael Dorsey was blown away one flight and sprained her ankle.

Only by the merest chance were four persons saved from suffocation at a fire at Kingston at the same hour this morning.

Anguinaldo not so Important.

Washington, April 8.—Suggestions continue to pour in on the administration as to what shall be done with Anguinaldo. The President and his cabinet have talked the matter over and have apparently reached a decision to treat Anguinaldo as an ordinary prisoner of war, and not to do anything that will give him the impression that he is a person of great importance. They appreciate that this capture had a very good effect, particularly in this country, where, it seems according to their observation, to have taken the wind out of the sails of the anti-imperialist movement. It is a mistake to suppose, however, that the President and his advisers are giving any great amount of thought as to what disposition shall be made of the Filipino leader.

Knocked Off a Ninety-foot Bridge.

Coatesville, Pa., April 8.—Two men, aged about twenty-six years, were struck and killed by the main line express on the Pennsylvania Railroad to day as they were crossing over the high bridge which spans Brandywine Creek. They were thrown a distance of ninety feet to the ground below. They are supposed to have been Hebrew peddlers, as Russian passports, made out in the name of Sussman, were found on their persons.

We call the attention of our readers to the advertisement of Mr. T. W. Blake, the jeweler, which appears in another column of this issue.

The Commissary Scandal.

Manila, April 9.—The trials of persons mixed up in the commissary scandal will commence at an early date. It is expected that the investigation will lead to many exposures, as the deficit amounts to over \$100,000.

Littleton Female College continues to receive more applications for teachers than it can accept. At this time every former pupil of the institution, so far as can be ascertained, who does to teach is at work.

A teacher is desired immediately for a good country school. Any young lady wishing to please may write at once to Rev. J. M. Rhodes, Littleton, N. C.

Driven from their Homes.

Haverhill, Mass., April 7.—Flood causes New Englanders to flee from their homes to-night. Most of cities are in utter darkness, as electric light plants have been compelled to shut down.

NOTICE OF SEIZURE.

Notice is hereby given of seizure of the following property for violation of the internal revenue laws of the United States: At Franklinton, N. C., Feb. 26, 1901, 10 gallons corn whiskey, of Joe May, of Star N. C., March 15, 1901, 2 barrels of corn whiskey, 140 gallons as property of unknown.

At Elm City, N. C., March 11, 1901, 5 packages of corn whiskey, 197 gallons, distillery premises and apparatus of registered grain distillery, No. 2,993 and 6 packages of corn whiskey, 288 1/2 gallons and one package 11 gallons, as property of E. A. Norris.

At Star, N. C., March 6, 1901, 8 bbls and 2 kegs of corn whiskey, about 360 gallons, as property of E. A. Norris.

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At Star, N. C., March 15, 1901, two jugs 4 1/2 gallons each, as property of W. B. Humphrey.

Persons claiming the above property will file their claims with me in my office within thirty days as required by law, or the same will be forfeited to the use of the United States.

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E. C. DUGAN, Collector.

By J. P. H. ADAMS, Deputy Collector.

Raleigh, N. C.

A Nice Spring Suit of Clothes.

Will be given free to anyone who will sell only 100 packets seeds for us at 50 each. No money required in advance. Write us a postal saying you accept the offer, and we will mail the seeds to you at once.

T. J. KING CO., Seedsmen, Richmond, Va.

MARCH AND THE LION.

SOMETHING BETTER THAN THE OLD LAW.

The saying about the lion and the lamb in March often proves true, but there is another one and a better one which is literally true. When March comes in and finds you taking Hood's Sarsaparilla to purify, enrich and vitalize your blood, you may expect, when it goes out, that it will leave you free from that sired feeling and with none of the boils, pimples and eruptions which manifest themselves because of impure blood in the spring. If you have not already begun taking Hood's Sarsaparilla for your spring medicine, we advise you to begin today. We assure you it will make you feel better all through the coming summer.

THE ERIE WRECKED OFF H. C. COAST.

Capt. Berry and his Crew Rescued by the State.

Baltimore, April 8.—The Merchants and Miners' steamship State of Texas arrived in port this morning from Savannah, bringing the captain and crew of six men of the schooner Erie, rescued at sea last Sunday. Capt. N. S. Eldridge of the State of Texas made the following statement of the rescue:

"Sunday, April 7, about 3:20 p. m., I saw a lot of wreckage, parts of a vessel and a large quantity of lumber. Immediately I increased my lookouts, when presently, on the starboard bow, I saw a raft with the appearance of men on it. I turned the ship's head directly for it, and kept a sharp lookout, and presently saw a signal which I answered with the steam whistle to let them know their signal was seen, and we were bearing down on them with all speed. I also stationed a man in the rigging with marine glasses, carefully watching the different pieces of wreckage as we passed, so that by chance should be clinging to the wreckage unobserved. At 3:50 I stopped the ship and lowered a boat and rescued Captain Berry and his entire crew of six men from the American schooner Erie of Jacksonville, Fla., with lumber for Savannah."

The ship was wrecked on Friday in the Pan shoal in a gale, rough sea and thick weather. The vessel soon began to break up. Captain Berry and crew lashed themselves on the top of the after-house and drifted out to sea. When rescued they were sixteen miles east-northeast from Frying Pan Shoals. Their trail raft was gradually sinking and breaking up. The men were knee-deep in water, drenched from head to foot, and were nearly exhausted. Had it not been for the Texas coming along at that time all would have perished, as night was coming on and the wind and sea were increasing.

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Rheumatism

Rheumatic pains are the cries of protest and distress from tortured muscles, aching joints and excited nerves. The blood has been poisoned by the accumulation of waste matter in the system, and can no longer supply the pure and health-sustaining food they require. The whole system feels the effect of this acid poison; and not until the blood has been purified and brought back to a healthy condition will the aches and pains cease.

Mrs. James Kell, of 707 Ninth street, N. E. Washington, D. C., writes as follows: "A few months ago I had an attack of acute rheumatism in its worst form. The pain was intense that I became completely prostrated. I was usually severe one, and my condition was regarded as being very dangerous. One of the most able doctors in Washington, who is also a member of a society of leading medical college lecturers, tried to continue his prescriptions, but I would not receive the slightest relief. Having tried to continue my treatment any longer, I decided to try 'Hicks' Capudine' for Rheumatism. I decided to try it because I had heard that it was a 'miraculous cure' and after I had taken a few bottles I was able to hobble around on my feet. All the distressing pains have left me, my appetite has returned, and I am happy to be again restored to perfect health."

We have prepared a special book on Rheumatism which every sufferer from this painful ailment should read. It is the most complete and interesting book of the kind in existence. It will be sent free to any one desiring it. Write our physician fully and freely about your case. We make no charge for medicine, and you need not pay for it until you are cured. THE SWIFT SPECIFIC CO., ATLANTA, GA.

Big Handle Factory Burned.

Cadillac, Mich., April 8.—Mitchell Brothers' handle factory, the largest in America, was burned to day. The loss is \$65,000 partially insured.

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T. W. Blake, Raleigh, N. C. Local Inspector for S. A. L.

Cash for a Mexican's Life.

Washington, April 8.—The Mexican Ambassador today received from the Secretary of State a draft for \$2,000 paid out of humane consideration, and without reference to the question of liability, as full indemnity to the heirs of Florentino Sinsate, a Mexican citizen, who was lynched in La Salle county, Texas in 1895.

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