Mr. M'NINCH TO MAKE RACE; CAPT. FRANKLIN DECLINES

INTERESTING

Mr. S. S. McNinch Today Announces That He is a Candidate for Mayor of Charlotte, Subject to the Action of the Democratic Primary.

Capt. Thomas S. Franklin in a Will Have a Clear Field.

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Two very important matters in con- campaign nection with the coming mayoralty

race were settled today.

under any circumstances. terday that his card would appear in be mayor of Charlotte has to wade this paper this afternoon.

The card of Captain Frank- goal of his ambition. lin declining to enter the race,



Who Declines to Make the Race for Mayor.

a surprise to many for it is still the Charlotte may be called on. in the four wards of the city.

I herely announce myself a iment. As soon as the city executive his decision is final. addate for the office of Mayor of committee meets and names a day Mr. W. W. Ward one of the aldermen the City of Charlotte, subject of for the primaries to be held, then the from the Third Ward states that he is o the action of the city Demo- is campaign will be fairly launched and a candidate for re-election and is in ratio primary. This March 14, is Mr. McNinch thinks until this takes the fight to the finish. place he should remain quiet. How- As to the other eleven aldermen ever, his views as to local politics are. The News has not been able to ascerin no sense, misunderstood by the publicain their views as to whether they

Permit me to say to my friends . if he finds that others intend to make the attack in the open.

The card of Capt. Franklin declining to become a candidate will be ling to be line to be ling to be line to Ever By with no little interest it a great honor to be May- the race was first announced in The not a bit superstitious," said Miss Taotte, at the same time . News, his friends have beseiged him lulah Atkins, manager for the Western the Field, via Fusan, March 14.—The

the acts of the Brown administration,

herefore I am not willing in orfor to be elected to be drawn infor a fight such as was conducted of the levelty and friendship of those who fought with, T. S. FRANKLIN. him two years ago; that he bears no malice, but simply does not care to

such fury during the Brown-Franklin Charlotte has no more worthy nor more respected citizen than Capt. the counter it contained just thirteen The first is the formal announce- and noblest sense of the word. While words. When I put it on the receiving register sheet it was number thirteen. ment of Mr. Samuel S. McNinch that he has declined to make the race for the sheet was dated February 13, and he will be a candidate for the office mayor this time Charlotte will still the message was the thirteenth we had

chief executive. The second important announcement | So far none have come out in the s contained in a card from Capt. open to oppose Mr. McNinch. It is thirteens, wasn't it?" Thomas S. Franklin in which he freely predicted that he will have a states that he will not enter the race clear field with none to stand in the way of his election. This is a com-The announcement of Mr. McNinch's pliment that Mr. McNinch can but be Chief Prosecuting Witness in Winz guards in the mountainous districts and day was as posted as the control of the Pass road." candidacy was expected as the candi- proud of-for it is the rule in these

CAPT. THOMAS S. FRANKLIN,

Card Today States His Reason will come in the nature of Ninch the campaign for mayor

For Not Entering the Race, rumor on the streets that he has not | The News learns today that several only entered the race but that his of the Brown aldermen will decline to Looks Now as if Mr. McNinch friends are actively at work for him stand for re-election. In this connection it is stated positively by the The News man called on Mr. Mc- friends of Mr. D. W. Oates, the pres-Ninch this morning and asked for an ent chairman of the finance committee, interview. While this gentleman was that he will not be a candidate for free to discuss matters with The alderman from the Fourth Ward. Mr. News man, he did not think the time Oates, it is said, has made the statewas opportune for a public state- ment to a number of his friends and

lic. He is a strong advocate of the will again be in the race. The suppresent administration and will defend position is that many of them will.

THE UNLUCKY THIRTEEN.

Cordele, Ga., March 14.—"No, I am experience two years ago and brought all kinds of pressure to Union Telegraph company here, "but bear on him, in order to gain his con- some very queer things happen in the

came in here while we were having all the trouble with the wires and wanted to send an announcement of death to attaches with the Russian army, inmalice, but simply does not care to a relative at Jasper. Ordinarily the cluding two American and English enter the race and again stir up the message would have been relayed at ficers, were captured at Mukden. same old fight that was waged with Atlanta. The wire was down, however, and we undertook to get it through by

Savannah. "When the message was handed over register sheet it was number thirteen. he will be a candidate for the office of mayor of the city of Charlotte, subject to the action of the Demofrom here.

"That was trouble enough for four

JOHN HOWARD DEAD.

date himself informed The News yes-terday that his card would appear in be mayor of Charlotte has to wade Milwaukee, Wis., March 14.—John through fire and ashes to reach the Howard, 80 years old, was the chief prosecuting witness at the trial of With the announcement of Mr. Mc- Captain Wirz, the officer in charge of the Andersonville prison, is dead.

RAILWAY RATE HEARING.

Investigation of Subject Will Commence on April 17th.

Washington, March 14.-Chairman Elkins, of the Senate committee on interstate commerce, announced that the committee will begin hearings on per cent cash a share of their entire the railway rate subject Monday, holdings, as they may thoose. The April 17.

APPOINTMENT OF NEW MARINES.

Three Southerners to the Senate.

By Associated Press. Washington, March 14.—The Presithe Marine Corps.

Calhoun Ancrum, South Carolina; Holland M. Smith, Alabama; John R. Henley, Georgia.

COTTAGERS TAXED \$5,000,000.

New Port Assessors Decide to Collect All That New York Loses.

Newport, March 14.-The tax assessors have added five millions of dollars in personal and real estate taxes, quite a portion being secured from the taxes sworn off in New York, which were not

When the list becomes public a war between the wealthy cottage and the lepartment is expected. Tax assessors have been in New York investigating.

Insane Man at Throttle.

14. — Climbing engine near the starting point.

track and badly damaged. The en- with respect to a disposition of the gineman of the second locomotive, flags. There are about 514 flags and in executive session today continued steps will be taken to make two jurishaving warning of the approach of the standards, about 100 being Union ban- the discussion of the San Domingo dictions of the State now in jurisdic- Williams is appointed fourth-class runaway, leaped in time and escaped. ners.

CONTINUE THE WAR

Question of Continuing the War Discussed in the Affirmative Special to The News. Matters Left Open.

Russian Commander in Manchuof Plans of the Battle. Re- action. moralized. Many Surrender. By Associated Press.

stood to have decided the question of will cost \$40,000. continuing the war in the affirmative | Sheriff Hinson, of Richmond county, stood, was reserved.

kin's successor was discussed, but old. He also brought James Porter, colthe Emperor has made no final decis- ored, to serve one year for larceny. ion. Semi-official denial was given out today of the reported recall of the THEMARQUIS OF ANGLESEY DEAD Russian Second Pacific Squadron.

by the War Office the remnants of Kuropatkin's army have made good ed, to execute his orders. He also available property of deceased. throws blame on some of the troops

General Kuroki's Headquarters in country is swarming with hungry, disheartened Russians, who are surrenlives of telegraphers. Thirteen may be dering in squads to any pursuing Jap-

displayed while driving the Russians beyond Tie Pass. Most of the foreign cluding two American and English of-

PURSUEING REMNANT ENEMY.

Many Russian Officers and Men Are Surrendering to the Japs. y Associated Press. Tokio, March 14.—A telegram re-

our forces have been dislodging the enemy from Yingpan, eighteen miles east of Fushun, and on March 11 occu- is \$300,000, fully insured. pied that place. In the direction of Shakhe river all our forces are continuing the pursuit of the remnant of TWO DEAD FROM ASPHYXIATION. Man Sick in Hospital Hears Services followed, panic stricken people fightthe enemy, and many Russian officers and men are surrendering to our train And Another Dying as the Result of By Associated Press. Headquarters also report the cap-

ture of considerable munitions of war.

UNION COPPER'S NEW PLANT. Stockholders of Mine at Gold Hill Asked For Contributions. By Associated Press.

New York, March 14.—The Union Copper Mining Co. of Gold Hill, N. C., has issued a circular to its stockholders | President Castro Orders Count to Anannouncing that a plan has been formulated providing for the voluntary contribution by stockholders of 20 per cent of their holdings in stock or 20 stock is to be used for the purpose of

cash subscriptions, is to be loaned to the company on condition that the loan The President Has Sent the Names of will be repaid before any dividends are declared. Stockholders wishing to avail themselves of this offer are requested to pany, said his information did not con- Had he not transferred to the pay

or before March 20.

raising a fund which, together with the

THE RETURN OF NEW BOND ISSUE CONFED. FLAGS

Interested to Ascertain if They Desire Flags Held by War Department to be Returned to Them.

By Associated Press.
Washington, March 14.—General By Associated Press.
Philadelphia, March Chicago, March 14. — Climbing Washington, March 14.—General By Associated Fless.

Stealthily aboard a switch engine on Ainsworth, military secretary, has Philadelphia, March 14.—At the an- Savannah, Ga., March 14.—Three Announced That He Will Be Appointed the Illinois Central railroad near 91st been charged by the Secretary of War nual meeting of the stockholders of hundred delegates representing the street an insane man opened the throttle and ran the engine at full lution adopted at the last session of throttle and ran the engine at miles away. Congress authorizing the Secretary of exceed \$50,000,000 was authorized.

The Pennsylvania Ranfold Congress authorizing the Pennsylvania Ranfold Congress authorized.

Woodline of World in June Woodline, Flority Congress authorizing the Secretary of exceed \$50,000,000 was authorized.

The Pennsylvania Ranfold Congress authorized Congress authorizing the Secretary of exceed \$50,000,000 was authorized. the locomotive which flew back over flags. General Ainsworth will send a the route which had just been travers- circular letter to the Governors of all ed and crushed into another switch the States known to be interested in Senate in Executive Session Decides the flags now in the custody of the Both engines were thrown from the War Department, asking their wishes By Associated Press.

By Associated Press.

Washington, March 14.—The Senate sible at this session that the first

MANY PEOPLE PERISH IN DEADLY FIRE TRAP

COUNCIL OF STATE MEETS

Proposition Will Be Considered to Set- Prominent Resident of Goldsboro Suctle the Steamer Lilly, of Fusion

Raleigh, March 14.-The Council of Today. Kuropatkin's Success- State is in session at 3 o'clock considering the proposition which Governor or Has Not Been Named. Other Glenn has received to sell the steamer of penumonia. He had been sick but Lilly of the State oyster fleet. This is the vessel which gained such notoriety during fusion days when it was charged that the vessel was used as a private yach by Oyster Commissioners Theo- for many other reasons, is very sad, phulous White and other State officials. and has cast a gloom over the entire The Governor says they will certainly ria Complaining of Miscarrying accept the offer but will not give out lodge of Masons Old Follows Hee

The Executive Committee of the treating Army Continues De- State Hospital at Raleigh in session today decided that work on the addition, which was authorized by the recent Legislature, will begin just as soon as the material can be gotten on St. Petersburg, March 14.—The war the site. The wing will have four stocouncil held at Tsarke-Selo is under- ries containing seventy-six rooms and

Ways and means were discussed, but is here today to commit John Little, decision on some points it is under-colored, to the penitentiary to serve 8 years for criminal intimacy with and The question of General Kuropat- abuse of a girl under fourteen years

According to information received He Was Reconciled With Wife on His

Creditors.

their retreat and are now out of im-mediate danger of the new turn in the Monte Carlo, March 14.—The Marmovement north of Tie Pass. The quis of Anglesey died here today. The Japanese are reported to be complete- Marquis was notable through his per- and subway were slightly improved toy exhausted and compelled to rest. sonal and financial eccentricities. His day. All strikers whose wages had been While Kuropatkin has assumed full wife arrived two days ago and was rec- previously advanced because of the responsibility for defeat in the battle onciled with her husband at his death length of their service, secured re-emat Mukden he has complained to the bed. A cousin inherits the Anglesey ployment only at the sacrifice of what-Emperor that his plans were miscar- estates, which are exempt from credi- ever advance in wages they had obried largely through the failure of two tors of the late Marquis, who are ar-, tained. So crushed was the strike spirit generals whose names can not be learn- riving here presumably to claim all that men accepted the reduction with-

which failed to respond at a critical moment. Hungry and Disheartened. \$300,000.00 BLAZE IN CHICAGO TODAY

of the Grand Crossing Tack Company, at Seventy-Ninth St. and Chicago Ave. Fully Covered by Insurance.

By Associated Press.

Chicago, March 14.-Fire has destroyed the printing and box depart- Greene, whose extradition U. S. au- the sleeping persons in the house. In ceived from headquarters in the field ment of the Grand crossing tack com- thorities are endeavoring to effect, the meantime the flames spread with says: "In the direction of Sing Ching pany's plant at Seventy-ninth street their case has been postponed until startling rapidity, and when persons and South Chicago avenue. The loss

Friedman and her brother-in-law, justed to his ears this afternoon and Paza Friedman, are dead of asphyxia- listened to the funeral sermon preached became impossible to pass certain tion, and Samuel Friedman is dying over his dead wife at his home, two as a result of an accident to a gas miles away. In the room filled with plant in Friedman Flat.

SEIZE CABLE PROPERTY.

nul French Cable Co.'s Contract. By Associated Press. Willemstad, Island of Curacoa, March

14.-Advices received here from Caracas say that President Castro has condered the Court to annul the condered tract of the French Cable Company and has authorized the seizure of the Ca-tored. ble Company's property.

No Pressure Brought.

manager of the French Cable Com- the Apaches. Court in this matter.

BY PENNSYLVANIA

Pennsylvania Railroad Stockholders Today, it Was Decided to Issue New Bonds not Exceeding Fifty Million Dollars.

THE TREATY DISCUSSION.

to Continue it.

treaty.

DEATH OF CAPT. SWIFT.

cumbs to An Attack of Pneumonia. Special to The News.

Goldsboro, N. C., March 14.—Capt. Wesley C. Swift, of Kinstop, died last night, death resulting from an attack one week, and the last moments of the suffering man were attended with terrible struggling for breath. The death of Capt. Swift being so sudden, and city of Kinston. He was a member particulars until after the council takes Lodge of Masons, Odd Fellows, Hoo Hoos, Woodmen, Mystic Circle and Knights of Harmony Families Protective Union.

WRECKED ON FRYING PAN. acht of New York Millionaire Meets Disaster in Storm.

Special to The News. Wilmington, March 14.-Harry L. Powers, son of Jesse Powers, a New York millionaire, arrived in the city, bringing the story of the wreck of his yacht off Frying Pan shoals during a recent storm while on his way to Palm Beach. Powers and members of the crew clung to the vessel two days, expecting her to go to pieces.

Railway Lines Are Improving. By Associated Press.

New York, March 14.—The traffic conditions on the elevated railroads out a protest.

THE EXTRADITION

Postponed Until March 22nd, When, it is Said, It Will Posiby Counsel of Defense.

itively be taken up.

FUNERAL SERMON OVER 'PHONE. hearly every side.

Over Wife's Remains. an Accident to Gas Plant in Chicago. Pittsburg, March 14.-Lying on a cot rubbish of all descriptions, and almost in the Allegheny General Hospital, impassable. Down through this nar-Benjamin P. Walsh, an Alleghany row passage way flowed a stream of Chicago, March 14.-Mrs. Samuel druggist, had a telephone receiver ad- humanity. On some of the escapes mourners a telephone transmitter had the flames roared through the winbeen arranged, so the Rev. Thomas

well as the friends near the coffin.

PAYMASTER TO RETIRE. Major Bullie Will Go Out With Rank of General.

By Associated Press. Washington, March 14.—Major John is the first paymaster to be so hon- The man struck fairly on his back,

noted scout, being voted a sword by the | Heroes developed and made brave New York, March 14.-Mr. Lurienne, State of Texas for bravery in fighting and thrilling rescues. Men and wom-

dent has sent the Senate the following send their subscriptions to C. H. Allen, firm the allegation that President Cas- cerps be would new be a colonel, and nominations: Second Lieutenants in the president, of No. 52 Broadway, on tro had brought pressure upon the his promotion has been decided upon of those on the rubbish choked esbecause of his fine record.

THE WOODMEN ARE IN CONSULTATION

Letter Will be Sent to all States At the Annual Meeting of the Delegates From South Carolina, Florida, Alabama and Georgia are Holding Bi-Ennial Conven-New Jurisdiction.

By Associated Press.

day in bi-ennial session. The session new, ambassador to Mexico in succeswill last three days, during which mat- sion to Edwin E. Conger, when the latters of interest to Woodmen of the a candidate for Governor of Iowa. South will be considered. It is postion No. 1.

SCORE OF PEOPLE IN TENEMENT FIRE

More Than a Score of Persons Burned to Death, Several Fatally Injured and Half a Hundred Were Slightly Hurt in New York Fire.

Men, Women and Children Stood Literally Roasting to Death on Fire Escapes in Full View of Hundreds Who Were Helpless to Save Them.

By Associated Press.

New York, March 14.-Nineteen persons were burned to death, several Deathbed-Estates Exempt From Traffic Conditions on the New York were so badly hurt they may die, and forty others received slighter hurts in a fire that practically destroyed a fivestory tenement house in Allen street today. The fire had gained great headway before it became known to most of the tenants, and many of them were cut off before they could make en attempt to save themselves.

Thrilling rescues and daring leaps for life marked the fire. Scores were carried from the blazing building. 'The firemen climbed the walls on their scaling ladders, braved the flames and reached the imperilled tenants. Crowded fire escapes in the rear of sponsible for so many deaths and injuries among its population, which approached 200 souls. The scenes about the building when

the search for the dead was begun were heartrending. The fire started in the basement, occupied by Isaac Fire Destroys the Extensive Plant Hearing in the Case Has Been Davis, his wife and three children. Davis had been out last night, and returning to his nome early this morning went into his store on the same floor just in time to see a kerosene lamp in the rear explode. He awoke tively be Taken Up. Motion his wife, and both tried to put out the his wife, and both tried to put out the and then gave all their attention to getting their children out of the burn-By Associated Press.

Montreal, March 14.—At the request the cry of alarm rushed to the scene, of attorneys of Messrs. Gaynor and and every effort was made to arouse March 22, when, it is said, it will pos- who had been asleep on the upper floors awoke they found themselves confronted by a wall of flames on

> Scenes of the wildest description ing for their lives rushing to fire escapes, only to find them littered with the rubbish was so closely packed it points, and men, women and children stood literally roasting to death as dows around them. On one escape Park could address the sick man as Policeman John J. Dwan ran a plank across to a window of an adjoining building. Nearly a dozen persons had been carried across this narrow bridge by the policeman, when it caught fire. Rushing into the fire the policeman seized a little child and started on his last return trip, when the plank broke and one of his shoulders was shatter-He was in the line years ago and a ed. The child was uninjured.

en on fire escapes were reasted to death before the eyes of the horror stricken crowd. Now and then one capes would jump to the ground with a scream. After the fire was under control the street was filled with half dressed, weeping people, seeking relatives, imploring firemen and policemen to go into the burning building and rescue loved ones whom they believed were perishing there.

SHERIFF SURRENDERS.

Kentucky Official Charged With Complicity in Murder Case.

By Associated Press.
Lexington, Ky., March 14.—Edward
Callahan, sheriff of Breathitt county, indicted with Hargises on the charge of conspiracy to kill James Cockrell, of tion in Savannah. May Create whose case the court recently gave Fay-

FRANCIS B. LOOMIS.

North Carolina Postmaster. Washington, March 14.-Anderson postmaster at Norfleet, N. C.



MR. S. S. McNINCH, P. CALLES Who Announces His Candidacy for Mayor of Charlotte.