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LYNCH LAW BRINGS RETRIBUTION

A Bloody Tragedy at Bakersville, N. C.---Prominent Citizens Bring Violent Death on Themselves.

JOHNSON CITY, Tenn., Jan. 4.—Last night a masked mob of five hundred men entered the jail at Bakersville, N. C., and took Calvin Snipes, who had murdered Isaac Osborne, a prominent citizen of Mitchell county, to a dense forest about half a mile away and lynched him. Seven of the sheriff's posse were killed in their efforts to defend the prisoner. About twenty-five of the mob were killed, and among the dead and wounded were some of the most prominent men in the county.

ASHEVILLE, N. C., Jan. 4.—A special dispatch to the Citizen from Cranberry, Mitchell county, nine miles from Bakersville, says that the reports of a lynching at Bakersville are unfounded.

JOHNSON CITY, Tenn., Jan. 4.—The facts which led up to the terrible lynching affray in Bakersville, North Carolina, were as follows: Aaron Wiseman and Calvin Snipes were partners in an illicit distillery at Spoon Hill [illegible] with Wiseman and had [illegible] Isaac Osborne and [illegible] Osborne was informed of the distillery and went to the district attorney at Bakersville, N. C., and helped them to destroy it. Wiseman and Snipes suspected Isaac Osborne as the informer.

On the night of August 23d, 1892, Snipes and Wiseman, armed with Winchester rifles, went to the house of Isaac Osborne, and called him up. Osborne came to the door and the culprits opened fire, almost riddling him with bullets. Wiseman and Snipes were arrested, but sufficient evidence could not be obtained against Wiseman and he was released. Snipes was bound over to the Superior court on purely circumstantial evidence. He was placed in jail, and after being confined about two weeks, confessed to the killing, in the manner above related. The story of the lynching and the fatal conflict with the sheriff's posse is confirmed.

The names of those of the sheriff's posse killed are as follows: J N Williams, D T Ritchie, R N Jones, P B Sams, R E Johnson, Aaron Reed, J N Beckner, J W Laws, N R Pannell, G N Hollifield, Tom Hall. The names of those of the mob killed are: John Worth, William Osborne, T G Bailiff, Will Perry, John Osborne, Phil Crowder, Jim Nance, Will Butler, Hagy Byrd, Owen Thomas, Jack Phillips, and several others whose names are not known at present.

Joint Caucus Wednesday Night.

A joint caucus of the Senators and members of the House met in the commons hall Wednesday night at Raleigh. The caucus convened at 7:30 and adjourned at 9:30 o'clock. The principal object of the meeting was the nomination of an enrolling clerk for the General Assembly. Senator James H Pou, of Johnston county, was made temporary chairman.

The caucus being ready to receive the names of candidates for enrolling clerk, Capt. G H Day, Senator from Hoke, arose and presented the name of Mr. A [illegible], of Johnston county. Mr. A is [illegible] member of the House from [illegible], put the name of Mr. Julian R Fore before the caucus as a candidate for the position. On the ballot Mr. Turner received 35, and Mr. Smith 71 votes. Mr. Smith was therefore declared the nominee.

A motion was made and carried that the chairman appoint a committee consisting of three Senators and five Representatives to arrange for joint caucuses.

Mr. Pou was made permanent chairman of all joint caucuses to be held at this session of the general assembly and the chief clerks of the Senate and House of Representatives were made secretaries.

On motion the caucus then adjourned.

Quarterly Statement of the Penitentiary.

Col. Paul F. Faison, President of the Board of Directors of the North Carolina penitentiary, yesterday rendered the following quarterly report of the penitentiary for the quarter ending November 30, 1892, to Gov. Holt:

EXPENSES.

September	$14,010 70
October	9,831 30
November	8,057 34
Total expenses	$31,899 34

EARNINGS.

September	$ 3,429 85
October	2,161 18
November	2,020 71
Total earnings	$ 7,611 74
Expenses over earnings,	$24,287 57

AMONG OUR EXCHANGES.

The Standard becomes just as much attached to its exchanges as it does to "most anything going." Their familiar faces bring sunshine to this office, especially when there is none outside and no home news to serve up on our table.

The Charlotte Observer, the best morning daily Charlotte has had since we learned to read and know a newspaper from wrapping paper or any other kind, could not be inferior with such talent and untiring energy behind it. Messrs. J P Caldwell and J H Myrover and the best of local reporters in the State, Miss Addie Williams, who leaves the field, like a cyclone, with everything taken.

The Charlotte News, the favorite of our evening exchanges, is the successful results of superior newspaper ability and untiring efforts of Wade H Harris, proprietor and editor. Concord feels a pride in the News, because its editor belongs to Concord by virtue of birth and "raisin." The News fills its field well.

It is a pleasure to read the Mecklenburg Times, with [illegible] "financial" page. [illegible] Times always favors us.

The Hickory Mercury, while it [illegible] of stuff in a rich, rattling, and sometimes extremely sarcastic way. Marshall was supposed (once) to be a poet, but the world knows better now.

We don't see the Monroe Enquirer since a little disagreement over Monroe and Concord as cotton markets.

The Wadesboro Messenger is a good paper, and better than its patronage.

The Salisbury Herald is popular in this office. It helps us in a local way, and when we miss it our food don't taste right.

The Salisbury Watchman, where old man Bruner did good work, has changed hands and changed corners by degrees. We miss about one-half of the numbers, and have thus lost a connected following of what it rises to say.

The Lexington Dispatch, locally, is the best paper been there in five years. Editorially, not what it was when Mr. T. B. Kilbride pushed the pen.

The Greensboro Patriot is better for the last week than ever before. The Record is worth more than its own estimate.

The Winston Sentinel is 50 per better than under its former management. It makes you read it whether you feel like reading at all.

We have not seen the Webster Weekly, by the collossal old bachelor, Col. Webster, since the meeting of the Press Association; while the Review comes regularly. It is a live paper and has an immense amount of original matter in it.

The Burlington News has made more improvement in the last year than any paper in the State, unless it be the State Chronicle, which has a scholar at the head of it. Hunt has done well and deserves all he will ever get.

The Durham Sun, [illegible] and pelts the world [illegible] with [illegible] and [illegible]. Durham Globe is the only paper in the [illegible] by Yankee Farm, and has not a national [illegible] during the last [illegible]. The Globe is a [illegible] paper, bright and interesting, but goodness how [illegible] "and exclaiming" as times!

The Robesonian Gold Leaf is an excellent weekly, and breaks out Mardi-Gras-ally with something new nearly every week. It is one of the best in the State.

The Raleigh papers—the News and Observer and the Chronicle—are decidedly better than their patronage. This office could not do without them; neither could the Wilmington Star or Messenger be dispensed with.

The Asheville Citizen is in the sky and writes like a highflyer.

The Lenoir Topic is a favorite, as well as its editor has been—a favorite for lo these many years!

The Stanly News has come from an apron full of type to a well equipped office and does its part of the work. Dan Bivens deserves our compliments.

Gov. Holt has authorized an exchange of courts by which Judge J. F. Graves will hold the spring term of Pitt county court for Judge Geo. A. Shuford.

Mrs. B Nutting, of Parkman, Me., who, 77 years old, made 1,300 pounds of butter in 1892, besides doing all the housework for a family of five.

A Presiding Elder's Salary.

The following is taken from the minutes of the District Stewards' meeting of the Salisbury District held at Olin January 35, 1865, just before the close of the late war:

Question 1. What amount is necessary to be raised for the support of the presiding elder and family this conference year?

Answer—For family expenses:

10 barrels flour at $200	$2,000
200 bushels corn at $20	4,000
1,300 pounds pork or 900 pounds bacon	4,500
150 pounds lard at $5	750
50 gallons molasses or syrup at $15	750
200 pounds salt at $1	200
5,000 pounds forage	500
50 pounds butter at $6	300
40 yards jeans at $20	800
60 yards checks or stripes at $8	480
100 yards domestic	500
50 pounds leather	1,000
10 gallons vinegar	50
50 pounds tallow or beeswax	250
Total	$15,080

The Standard found the above in the Raleigh Advocate. It is powerfully interesting. Of course those [illegible] were Confederate prices—[illegible] you read about. [illegible] presiding elder certainly [illegible] as one would judge from the quantity of salt, butter [illegible] and molasses to say nothing about other things. Young people should look at this carefully and then will see what was what in those days.

Mad Dogs Since Here.

Surveyor Long's premises are in the extreme southern part of the county. Mad dogs are in that section now. Recently one of Mr. Long's sons went to the stable to get the mules, preparatory to gearing up. Just as he opened the door a dog rushed out of the stable and made for him, but he succeeded in escaping without being bit. The dog jumped on Mr. Long's dog, and then struck a bee-line to the house. Failing to get in he started up the road and Mr. Long's sons followed him with shot gun and pistol. After emptying their shooting irons without killing the dog out of existence he turned upon one young man, who succeeded in warding him off with his gun until the dog lay dead, and Long's gun was a battered wreck.

The dog was mad.

On examination the mules were found to be both bitten. Mr. Long sent them to Charlotte and the "mad stone" was applied and adhered 35 minutes.

The dog belonged to a Mr. Tucker, who says the dog was not right before he left home.

Can't Leave Home Again.

Mr. H W Whorton, of the Greensboro Patriot, has fallen in the terrible struggle for single existence. He was married several days ago, but we can't lay our hands on the paper that records the names. The Standard certainly wishes the brother an endless life with a sky dotted constantly with stars of genuine "scoops."—Concord Standard.

If you can't lay your hands on the paper, if you will come down you can lay your hands on Mr. Wharton. He has not laid down now, not that [illegible] he is "as level as the line."—Greensboro [illegible]

Three Cheers.

There is one [illegible] by two houses, of [illegible] in this for [illegible]. Possibly [illegible] Concord's size in the State can show such a record.

But the present condition is not best for the town. There should be more houses to rent, so that when a gentleman desires to move here he will have no difficulty in getting quarters. Our capitalists ought to turn their attention to this need and remedy the wrong.

The State Debt.

Under the act compiling the State debt is officially stated that old bonds amounting to $11,405,080 have been surrendered in exchange for $3,299,000 of new 4 per cent. bonds, leaving now outstanding $1,221,500 of old bonds to take up, which will require $316,800, making the entire possible 4 per cent. debt $3,615,700. The State holds $150,000 of these bonds and the Board of Education $130,000.

The amount of 6 per cent. bonds outstanding is $2,720,000. This is the entire bonded. Interest on the latter bonds is paid by dividends on the State's stock in the North Carolina railway. The estimate of the expenses of the State government for this year and next year are $864,000. The estimated resources are $919,000.

Money that is saved by robbing God won't buy much.

Public Road Congress.

The following proclamation has been made by the Governor:

State of North Carolina, Executive Department.

Whereas, There is a growing disposition on the part of the people of the State to discuss matters tending to improve the condition of our public roads, and

Whereas, The county commissioners of almost all the counties, the boards of trade, and chambers of commerce of our largest towns have appointed delegates to attend a road congress to be held in the city of Raleigh some time during the present month, and have asked the Governor to issue a proclamation requesting said delegates to assemble in Raleigh as above stated.

Now, therefore, I, Thomas M Holt, Governor of North Carolina, in obedience to the above request, do hereby issue this my proclamation, asking the delegates appointed as stated above to meet in the city of Raleigh on Thursday, January 19, 1893, at 10 a. m., to consider ways and means by which the public roads of the State may be improved

Done at our city of Raleigh, the fourth day of January, 1893 and in the one hundred and seventeenth year of American Independence.

By the Governor:

THOMAS M. HOLT.

S F Telfair, Private Secretary.

Chairman Carter Concedes the Control of the Senate to the Democrats.

Washington, Jan. 3.—Chairman Carter of the Republican National Committee concedes the control of the Senate to the Democrats after the 4th of March. In an interview with a reporter today he is quoted as saying:

"In my own State the result is still doubtful, but with the chances in favor of the Democrats. You see, the Republicans have 33 members of the Legislature, the Democrats 35, and the Populists 3, and it requires 36 to elect. In order for us to succeed, therefore, it will require our getting all of the Populist votes; whereas the Democrats need but one. Under these circumstances I am afraid we are beaten.

"In Wyoming the Democrats and Populists together have control of the lower branch of the Legislature, and there are two contested cases which, I suppose, will be decided against the Republicans, thus securing a majority on joint ballot, which will probably be used to elect a Democratic Senator. In California the Legislature is against us. In Kansas and Nebraska there is a chance that we will be able to elect our candidates, but there is considerable doubt about it."

Ingalls on Republican Steals.

Ex-Senator Ingalls, of Kansas, is said to be opposed to the attempt on the part of the Republicans to steal the majority in the United States Senate. His language is given as follows: "I hope, for the sake of the country, good morals and the future generation, that the Republicans in the United States Senate will refuse to accept the aid of the Populists in retaining control of the Senate. Were I still a member of that body, I would advise a relinquishment of our organization to the Democrats if, on the 4th of March, that party had the greatest number of Senators."

Four Hangings Next Week.

Gov Holt Tuesday fixed the day of execution for the following: William and Thomas Whitson, of Mitchell county, convicted of murder, to be hanged on the 24th of February, 1893; John Hambright, of Cleveland county, convicted of murder, to be hanged on the 17th of February, 1893; Leonidas McKnight, convicted of burglary in Surry county, to be hanged on the 17th of February, 1893. All the cases were appealed to the Supreme Court and the judgments sustained, and the Governor accordingly fixed the dates for execution.

Rules for Daily Conduct.

Never speak unkindly of anybody.

Never step over one duty to perform another.

Never worry about what you can't help.

Never go where you wouldn't have your best friend follow you.

Never do anything before children that you do not want them to imitate.

Never profess one way and behave another.—Ram's Horn.

David Miller, of Providence, R. I., is the proud possessor of a petrified cat, found in the timbers of his barn.

TOWN AND COUNTY

See the advertisement of the New York Sun.

Miss Shepherd, of Winston, is visiting Miss Mary Reed.

A Florida man grows four cabbage heads on one stalk.

When you fail to get your paper, let it be known at this office.

One half the wold doesn't let his better half know how he lives.

Most of the new year resolutions will be as good as new next year.

A strange thing about the Columbian year is that it is twoyears

Merchant M P Cline, of China Grove, spent the evening in the city.

With a man more money means more to eat; with a woman more to wear.

The man who is running for office has no such word in his dictionary as rest.

The most honest thing in Wall street is the statue of George Washington.

Miss P A Correll and Mrs. Rowe have returned from a visit to Albemarle.

The man who keeps books with false entries ought to be called a librarian.

The Greensboro Record calls "Salisbury" "Saturday." Wouldn't "Friday" be better?

Concord will have a fine orchestra in a short time. Arrangements are being made this week.

We are glad to learn that Miss Ziovierzehkowitinskis, of Chicago, has changed her name.

A Waldevoro, Me., woman treasures a blue-edged plate upon which 955 pies have been baked.

God made the sun to give light, but he gave every man the right to put shutters on his windows.

Whatever may be the case with cotton, the crop of good resolutions is by no means short this year.

W W Baker, of Wilkesboro, has been appointed solicitor of the 9th judicial district, Settle resigned.

The Standard can't keep from saying it: The Greensboro Record is really and truly a handsome sheet.

Gov. Hogg, of Texas, is a man of good physical proportions. He is only 39 years of age; but he weighs 275 pounds.

Misses Sallie Harvey, of Danville, and Fannie Marshall, of Charlotte, who have been visiting Miss Maggie Brown, left on the noon train.

Misses Lottie and Nora Boyd entertained, on Thursday night, quite a number of invited friends. The evening was very pleasantly spent.

Mr. W E Christian, formerly associate editor of the Democrat, on December 30 sailed from New York, on the City of Para, for Panama, to write up the situation for the Daily Press.

William J Haynes, a St. Louis engineer, 104 years old, has been a soldier of three wars, with a record for bravery in each of them, and he was the engineer of the first steamboat up the Mississippi and of the pioneer locomotive on the Missouri Pacific Railway.

A woman in Newburgh, N. Y., owns the village street roller and sprinkling business of the town, and has conducted it with great success and profit for 17 years. She employs 20 men, superintends the work herself and does her own collecting.

A recent definition of the word "fruit" has included tomatoes, melons and cucumbers in the same classification as strawberries. Of this subject the New York Commercial Advertiser says: "One suggested distinction between a vegetable and a fruit is that the latter may be eaten raw, while the former must be cooked; but that doesn't hold always. Technically a fruit incloses the seeds of the plant, and is matured over ground; plant growth matured under ground is vegetable."

State Chronicle says this: Mr. John T. Abernethy has directed the attention of the Chronicle to a report of the proceedings of the recent Methodist conference at Goldsboro, which would apparently leave the impression that he was found guilty of immorality. The facts are Mr. Abernethy was found guilty of imprudence and not immorality, and that his location means he was not put in charge of any circuit, though still holding his ordination papers. The Chronicle simply states the facts as requested.

Poor people are never afflicted with kleptomania, which is a disease confined to the rich or well to-do. When poor people take it it is called stealing.

It is estimated that there are 215,000,000 feet of pine in the South, and 380,000,000 of other lumber trees, and that the total stock is worth $8,000,000,000.

Francis Murphy, who has labored to rescue men from the gutter is now endeavoring to rescue women from the dens. It is hard to say which tax is the more difficult.

Mr. U L Spence, of Albemarle, who has just completed his law course in the State University, has accepted a position as teacher in Oak Ridge Institute, Guilford county.

Mayor Brevard, while having a little sport with Mr. W W Phifer, in Charlotte, on Thursday night, fell and suffers a serious accident. His thigh was broken and probably the joint dislocated.

The banquet given by the New South Club Thursday night, was just what all might expect to come from that source—a royal good evening of pleasure. Quite a large number were present.

Soon after the announcement that Redyard Kipling had become the father of a bouncing baby girl came the publication of his last story, "My Lord the Elephant." Can it be that Redyard has two elephants on his hands at once?

Stanly News: "What has become of the Concord Southern railroad? Will the Concord papers please answer? Many of our readers are getting impatient over it." [We, for our part, cannot now answer. Don't get out of patience.]

Farmers live longer than merchants by an average of 15.8 years. The average duration of lives in the United States is 47.3 years for mechanics, 48.4 years for merchants, 52.6 years for lawyers and 64.2 years for farmers.

Mecklenburg Times: A dog belonging to Mr. G S Hall, of Sugar Creek, went mad last Friday and bit a daughter of Mr. J C Boyte; also a cow. The dog was killed. The child suffered considerably from the wound.

It would require five hours to read Gov. Holt's message. If we are to believe Editor Jernigan, of the State Chronicle, (and why not?) Gov. Holt's message is the equal to any that has come from the Chief Executive of the State.

Miss Essie Slough, daughter of ex-Sheriff Slough, formerly of this county, but now of Anderson, S. C., was married on the 28th of December to Mr. Walter Jones, a tobacco drummer, whose home is in Taledega, Ala. Miss Slough is remembered in Concord for her great musical talent.

Gov. Holt has appointed Hon. John S Henderson a delegate from North Carolina to the National Ship Canal Convention which meets in Washington, January 12, 1893. This convention will consider the advisability of a canal connecting the great lakes and Atlantic ocean.

The Boston Globe offered $5 a week for life to the person who made the closest guess to the popular vote cast for Cleveland and Harrison, and Louis M Woodbridge, a bookkeeper, is the winner. He made 140,000 guesses, and in one set Cleveland's vote only 16 higher than the official returns.

Charlotte Observer: Mr. Howard Cannon, best man at the Houston-Adams wedding in Monroe, came near having to get a substitute on that occasion. He left his valise containing his dress suit in the waiting room, and stepped out for a few minutes. When he returned the valise and contents were gone. It was afterward found in an adjoining yard, in time for Mr. Cannon to appear "clothed and in his right mind" at the wedding.

Grover Cleveland, Jr.

BROOKLYN, N. Y., Jan. 5.—The Standard Union says tonight:

In the intimate circles of President-elect Cleveland's friends there is much rejoicing over the fact that when the White House opens to receive the choice of the Democratic party the dark spell that has hovered over it will be in a fair way to be lifted. One being passes out of the world; another enters existence. Just as the morning succeeds the night. Should the new comer prove to be a boy the cup of earthly happiness will be full for Grover Cleveland.

WILLIS H. BROGDEN PARDONED.

Executive Clemency Extended for Entirely Good Reasons.

RALEIGH, Jan 5.—Governor Holt today gave to the press the fact that he had pardoned Willis H. Brogden, of Wayne county, a brother of ex-Governor Curtis H. Brogden. It has been a remarkable case. Brogden was last September convicted of killing F. H. Sassar, in July last, and sentenced to six years' imprisonment. The Governor gives the following reasons for granting the pardon:

"In this case there was no malice or premeditation, but it was one of those unfortunate acts which might be committed by any good citizen. Brogden got into a fight with Sassar. The latter used a knife freely. Brogden picked up a small stick with which to defend himself and unfortunately struck a blow which resulted in death 20 days after. Sassar asked that Brogden be not punished, as he was somewhat to blame. The jury recommended mercy and now ask for pardon. This request is joined in by nearly all of the people of Wayne, on account of Brogden's high character, which he has not lost on account of the unfortunate occurrence. For these reasons and considering his long confinement in jail and his deep humiliation, pardon is granted."

Governor Holt says that Brogden, upon sentence, went to the penitentiary by himself and not under the charge of any officer. He started to the railroad station in his own buggy. It broke down and he hired a mule and rode so as to catch the train for Raleigh.

We Are Going Along.

Colonel Cockerill says it thus nicely: "The Sunday Advertiser in the first bright flush of the newborn year is moved to congratulate its readers that they are living in an age when man's kindly consideration for man has largely overcome man's inhumanity to man, as compared with the earlier days of the world.

"This is not to say that the ideal state of things has been reached. Ages more must doubtless roll their leaden wheels through Time's vast empty space before the injunction that man shall love his neighbor as himself shall be even generally complied with; but it is probably true that there is a larger number of people honestly trying today to accomplish this most difficult of tasks than there ever was before.

"At all events the universal arming of man the individual, offensively and defensively, against his fellow has passed away. The tendency of fallen humanity to believe that force, fraud and brutal dishonesty are more certain to be successful in advancing our most valuable interests than the gentle arts of sympathetic unselfishness, is beginning to change. This change was imperceptible in its beginning, and when investigation confines itself to the small area of a personal environment it may seem to still be so insignificant as to be almost non-existent; but a larger, broader view will show unmistakably that progress in this line has been made.

"This is the best age, so far as we may judge, in all the world's history—this era we live in. We may congratulate ourselves that the future will never reach back to the past to grasp it errors, abuses and crimes. Nobody wishes to see them restored.

"Encouraged by this evidence of growth in the better way, the Sunday Advertiser salutes its friends with the wish that they may, every one after his best method, contribute to make each recurring New Year's Day better and brighter than its predecessor."

Married in the Road and Rain.

On last Sunday, in Job's Cabin township, Monroe Greer, one of the crippled sons of old man Greer, who was killed by his son Sherman, was married to Malinda Jane Spears. The Rev. Wm. Lee, one of our present representatives, performed the ceremony. The ceremony took place in the middle of the road while it was pouring down rain Sunday morning. This was Mr. Lee's last official act before he started to Raleigh to make laws for us.—Wilkesboro Chronicle.

A Childish Apprehension.

Minnie Frost, a little Winston girl, was watching her father firing a Roman candle during the Christmas season. She suddenly became serious and asked her father to desist giving her reason in that pretty artless, simple way, so characteristic of childhood's innocence,—"I'm afraid you'll shoot God."

SYNOPSIS OF STATE BANK BILL.

The Machinery Provided for Their Going Into Business.

The following is a synopsis of the bill introduced in the Senate today by Mr. Sherrill, of Catawba, entitled "An act to authorize State banks to issue notes." It is an open secret that Treasurer Tate drew the bill. It provides that any bank or banking association now chartered, or which may be chartered by the State, and doing business within the State, may issue circulating notes, payable on demand in lawful money of the United States, under the limitations contained in the act, to an amount not exceeding the paid-up cash capital of such bank. To secure the payment of these circulating notes, North Carolina 4 per cent. bonds or 6 per cent. bonds shall be deposited with the State Treasurer in amount equal to the circulating notes to be issued to any such bank. The bonds so deposited shall be held exclusively for the security of the circulating notes until the latter are redeemed; but any bank may return any part of its circulating notes for cancellation and withdraw ratably the deposited collaterals. Upon the deposit being made the State Treasurer will issue the bank circulating notes in blank, registered and countersigned, equal in amount to the par value of bonds deposited. The notes so issued can be then circulated by the banks as money. No bank shall issue post notes or any other notes to circulate as money, than such as are authorized by this act. The circulating notes shall be printed from plates engraved in the best manner, to guard against counterfeiting, etc., and be in $1, $5, $10, $20 and $50, as may be required, and on their face it shall be stated that they are secured by State bonds deposited in the State treasury. The plates and dies are to remain under the entire control of the State treasurer. The expenses are to be paid out of the taxes or duties collected on the notes aforesaid. Upon a bank's failure to pay these notes, at its place of business, the holder may have the same protested and presented to the State Treasurer for redemption, and then, after giving notice to such defaulting bank, the Treasurer may advertise that he will sell by public auction so much of the collateral in his hands as is applicable to the payment of such dishonored notes and out of the proceeds of such sale redeem the same. To further secure the notes the stockholders of the bank issuing them shall be liable for their payment to an amount equal to their individual stock in such bank, and verified lists of such stockholders shall be furnished in January and July with the amount of stock each holds. The tax to be paid by the banks upon such circulating notes shall be upon their receipt one half of one per cent. upon the amount of notes delivered, and then the same tax semi-annually upon the amount of notes outstanding. Neither the State Treasurer nor any one in his office shall own any stock or other interest in any bank issuing such notes.

The University has opened with over 300 pupils. Dr. Winston is getting things to blood heat.

Cures Others

Will cure You, is a true statement of the action of AYER'S Sarsaparilla, when taken for diseases originating in impure blood; but, while this assertion is true of AYER'S Sarsaparilla, as thousands can attest, it cannot be truthfully applied to other preparations, which unprincipled dealers will recommend, and try to impose upon you, as "just as good as Ayer's." Take Ayer's Sarsaparilla and Ayer's only, if you need a blood-purifier and would be benefited permanently. This medicine, for nearly fifty years, has enjoyed a reputation, and made a record for cures, that has never been equaled by other preparations. AYER'S Sarsaparilla eradicates the taint of hereditary scrofula and other blood diseases from the system, and it has, deservedly, the confidence of the people.

AYER'S Sarsaparilla

"I cannot forbear to express my joy at the relief I have obtained from the use of AYER'S Sarsaparilla. I was afflicted with kidney troubles for about six months, suffering greatly with pains in the small of my back. In addition to this, my body was covered with pimply eruptions. The remedies prescribed failed to help me. I then began to take AYER'S Sarsaparilla, and, in a short time, the pains ceased and the pimples disappeared. I advise every young man or woman, in case of sickness resulting from impure blood, no matter how long standing the case may be, to take AYER'S Sarsaparilla."—H. L. Jarmann, 23 William st., New York City.

Will Cure You

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