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At The Capitol, Thursday. In the Senate the House bill incorporating the South and Western Railroad Company...

The hour for taking up the divorce bill having arrived the matter went over without a vote. The discussion of the divorce bill was very seriously and earnestly conducted.

Girls who are proud of their health are buying heavy stockings and for very cold and blustering weather woolen leggings that reach to their hips.

A REMARKABLE ESCAPE. Two Horses Fall in 16 Feet Shaft and Escape Injured.

One of the most remarkable cases in the history of horses occurred in Morgan township when two horses belonging to Mr. Dan'l. P. Morgan fell in a shaft 16 feet with a heavy wagon on them and escaped injury.

The horses ran away and ran directly into a shaft where Mr. Morgan has been prospecting for gold. They fell the full depth of the shaft—16 feet, the wagon falling after them.

Store and Dep't Robbed. Saturday night robbers entered the store of Mr. Stone and the Southern depot in Chapel Hill. The robbery was not discovered until well up in the day Sunday.

Telegraphing may be done without wires, but will the earth ever be able to dispense with the Poles?—Philadelphia Times.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE. Having been duly qualified as executor of the estate of Margaret A. Law, deceased, late of Cabarrus county, N. C., this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned on or before January 20, 1902.

ESTATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA Superior Court. J. M. Brown administrator of Henry H. Brown, deceased.

Durant Garmond, John Garmond, et al. heirs at law of Henry Garmond, deceased.

John Garmond, the defendant above named, will file a motion for an order in the Superior Court of Cabarrus County, N. C., to set aside the judgment rendered in the above case...

To Young Men. Be firm! One constant element in luck is genuine, solid, old Teutonic pluck.

Stick to your aim. The mongrel's hold will slip. But only crowsbars loose the bulldog's grip.

WHO WAS HE? She Asked for a Kiss and a Hug as He Told Her Good Bye.

Col. Fred Olds gets this off in his Raleigh correspondence of the Charlotte Observer: "There are some gallant men in the Legislature. A preacher who came here today said to me: 'I witnessed a most amusing scene last Saturday at Greensboro. We were in the second class car. A Senator who was going home was hailed by a very pretty and evidently very fast young woman, who cried out to him, 'Come here, grandpa, and talk to me.'"

Who wouldn't know a good thing like this when he met it? Had a Guilford man or any other man let it slip he ought to be excommunicated.

Hazing Must Be Stopped. The Military Academy bill passed the United States Senate Wednesday with the following amendment as to hazing:

"That the superintendent of the Military Academy shall make such rules, to be approved by the Secretary of War, as will effectually prevent the practice of hazing, and any cadet found guilty of participating in or encouraging or countenancing such practice shall be summarily expelled from the Academy and shall not thereafter be re-appointed to the corps of cadets or be eligible for appointment as a commissioned officer in the army or navy."

If we are to believe the critics or those who read Mr. Bryan's paper, the Commoner clearly demonstrates that delivering political speeches and writing hot stuff for a newspaper, are entirely different vocations, and to be successful in one does not necessarily mean that you can set the world on fire in the other.

There are outstanding \$450,000 of bonds issued by Spain to help her subjugate the Cubans. The holders of these bonds want to make Cuba responsible but the Cubans will very probably object to paying Spain's debts.

He who is not contented with what he has, would not be contented with what he would like to have.—Socrates.

The Hague-McCorkle Dry Goods Co., Importers AND Wholesalers, GREENSBORO, N. C., Dry Goods, Notions and Hats.

NEWS CULLINGS. Havana had a fire on the 6th on a saw mill and lumber yard on the western part of the city that destroyed \$700,000 worth of property.

Two Manila merchants have been arrested for furnishing supplies to the insurgents. To make the matter worse they have American copartners.

The Mayor and two councilmen, of Newport News, and a number of others have been arrested and indicted for corruption in the expenditure of the city's funds.

Elijah Allred was found lying dead five miles south of Asheville on the 4th. He probably died of apoplexy. He had lain dead 24 hours before being found.

A London dispatch of the 6th says the government has decided to send 30,000 mounted troopers to the command of Lord Kitchener in South Africa on account of the recent Boer activity.

A peculiar incident occurred on Broadway, New York, on the 6th inst. The heater in a street car exploded, injuring a number of persons. The car took fire and a panic ensued in which women were trampled in making the exit.

A mob broke into the jail at Dade City, Fla., Tuesday night the 5th and shot two negroes implicated in killing one white man and wounding another on the 26th of January. They could not intimidate the sheriff and after breaking into the jail could not open the cell so they shot the negroes.

In the oil region of Russia a fire broke out on the 6th and deposits containing about 230,000,000 pounds of petroleum burned. As the liquid was turned loose it spread, enveloping everything before it.

The great Russian oil fire has assumed immense proportions. A St. Petersburg dispatch of the 7th says: "A dispatch to the Rossija from Baku says that 500 persons perished in the conflagration. The flames are again beyond control. The police station, 10 large tenements, 500,000 of Mazout, 350,000 tons of naphtha, and all the Rothschild reservoirs were burned. The Journal of Commerce and Industry says Themuse Lake is burning. This killed many of the spectators."

Committee Votes to Impeach. The House Judiciary Committee that has Craig's impeachment bill in charge reported the bill favorably on Thursday by a vote of 22 to 10, some not voting.

Mr. C. B. Lofler, a merchant of New London, we learn, was robbed of some of his goods recently by a burglar. There is no clue to the robber that we know of. Shoes principally were taken.

Good for Arthur. Mr. Arthur Patterson, of China Grove, who has been here some six months, has been appointed superintendent of the Windemere Knitting Mills, vice Phillip Hoffman, resigned. Mr. Patterson has made many friends here who will be glad to hear of his good luck.—Stanley Enterprise.

To My Pipe. Farewell, farewell, a long farewell, To you, my dearest friend; The hour has come when we must part.

Will Not Go to Memphis. Declined dissatisfaction has arisen since the Louisville meeting of the Confederate Veterans for political effect have succeeded in getting the city to invite President McKinley as the city's guest on that occasion, and unless the place or time is changed so as to repel the effort to use the veterans' meeting for political purposes there will hardly be a full meeting.

QUEEN WILHELMINA MARRIES. Chooses a German Duke—Crowned at 18—Married at 20. Wilhelmina, the Queen of Holland, was married on Thursday, the 7th, to Duke Henry, of Mecklenburg-Schwerin.

To Be Married February 14th. Invitations were sent out yesterday announcing the forthcoming marriage of a popular and well known Lexington couple, Miss Lillian Carlton Trice to Mr. Henry Allen Hoge.

Mr. Keller Accepts a Call. The Lutheran Visitor says: Rev. S. L. Keller has accepted the call extended him by the Zion-St. James pastor, Waynesboro, Va., and has entered upon the work.

Mrs. Lowe Dead. Mr. D. A. Lowe, of Lowestville mother of our former townsman Mr. Sidney Lowe, died Tuesday evening and was buried Wednesday.

And He Did Not Forget. A young Western attorney was recently asked why he had so strenuously defended a woman who could not pay him. "I can never forget," he replied, "that she lived at the end of my long paper route when I was a struggling college boy. More than once in winter her kind heart prompted her to rise very early to have a cup of coffee ready for her newsboy, fearing that he might perish with the cold."

Seventeen Days on a Burning Ship. In a San Francisco dispatch of the 6th Capt. Bryce tells the story of his ship, the Pyrenees, that took fire in the hold 2800 miles away from land in the South Pacific. The fire could not be battled and there was no way but to shut it up tight and go for the land.

Uneasy Feeling in China Grove. Mr. W. J. Swink writes us from China Grove that the safe burglary there has given the people quite an uneasy feeling about the safety of money. He sums up the loss of Messrs. Holshouser and Co., at \$100 and that of the post office \$500.

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SAFE CRACKERS AT CHINA GROVE. Blow the Safe and Wreck in the Post-Office—\$525 and Stamps the Booty—Had Explosion But Waked Nobody. China Grove suffered from the handiwork of safe crackers Thursday night.

Blow the safe in the store of Messrs. Holshouser & Corriher, which contained their assets as well as the money and stamps of the post office, was blown open and demolished and the contents were taken. About \$525 of money and all the stamps, the value of which is not ascertained yet, was the booty obtained.

Stranger to say no one was alarmed by the explosion, which did considerable damage to the store beside wrecking the safe. When Mr. Deaton came to the office early in the morning the situation was first discovered.

An effort was made to get bloodhounds for the trail. There seems no clue to the robbers. The losses were chiefly the assets of the post office.

Saw Mill Near the White House. A saw mill has been set in up in Executive avenue, the street in Executive avenue, the street in Executive avenue, the street in Executive avenue.

Bad Bold Robbery. A Durham special of the 8th to the Charlotte Observer says: "One of the boldest highway robberies ever committed in the county took place about two and one-half miles from Durham this morning between the hours of 9 and 10 o'clock. Two unknown negroes held up and robbed Mr. H. L. Waller, a well-to-do farmer of Granville county, of more than \$250.

At the Capitol. A bill was passed in the Senate Friday to empower County Commissioners to abolish, or re-locate the office of County treasurer. Some eastern counties are accepted however in its provisions.

Not Yet Decided. The Concord correspondent says Dr. W. C. Pemberton is expected to move there from Monroe. It is Concord's gain and Monroe's loss. Dr. Pemberton is not only one of the best physicians, but also a true type of gentleman that helps any town that may have the honor of claiming him.—Stanley Enterprise.

Bursting Steam Pipe Kills Five. A San Francisco dispatch of 7th says the Steamer Ventura on her way from Philadelphia to that port had an explosion of a steam pipe by which five men were killed.

Serious Shooting Affair in Yadkin. A serious shooting affair occurred in Yadkin county Friday in which one Hammond, a tough white man, shot Mr. Jno. Lakely, a most worthy citizen, three times. The wounds may be fatal. Hammond fled.

My papa called me sweetheart till I came. 'At I was just th' sweetest girl in town. An' he'd rather sing an' romp an' play with me than any little girl around. An' he would sing me sleepy songs at night. An' I tucked me in my little cradle bed; But 'at was all before he caught a sight. Of 'at new baby's little fuzzy head; An' now I's feelin' so mighty poor—I ain't th' littlest girl no more.

Five Killed and Many Injured—Engineer and Fireman Killed. Dynamite Goes off in Mexican Mine and Blows up 87 Men Women and Children. One of the worst explosions on record occurred at San Andres, mine in Mexico, says a dispatch of the 7th. Eighty-seven men, women and children were killed and many others were injured by the accidental explosion of dynamite stored in the shaft beneath their dwellings.

Famishing China. Poor China! Two provinces, involving 21 millions of souls, are suffering the pangs of famine in its acute form. These two provinces, Shansi and Shensi—the latter the temporary refuge of the imperial court—have been swept clear of food, owing to failure of crops during three consecutive years.

Lord God of Hosts, be with us yet, Lest we forget lest we forget. —Morning Post.

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