

THE STANDARD.

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At the Capitol Thursday.

There was much business done by the Gen. Assembly Thursday largely of local interests however.

The Senate did not concur in the House amendments to the school law. A conference committee was appointed.

The bill to prevent guarantee companies from compelling county officers to deposit funds only in national banks came up and was discussed and finally passed with the amendment that county officials shall have the power to deposit in either national or state banks.

Bills passed their second reading to print the impeachment proceedings.

To tax dogs in Mecklenburg, Cabarrus and Wayne counties 25 cents and female dogs \$1.00, the proceeds to buy books for indigent school children. A number of other counties were added.

The House bill with reference to shipping liquor into Buncombe and Madison counties caused considerable debate. It passed its second reading.

The bill to supplement an act regarding the Agricultural and Mechanical College and the Department of Agriculture passed its third reading unanimously.

The House bill to incorporate the State prison was concurred in.

The House spent much of the day in Committee of the whole to complete the consideration of the revenue bill.

The bill passed the house to allow the State Librarian \$1,000 and \$300 for clerk hire.

At the night session Mr. Duls, in a very strong speech, urged that Mecklenburg and Cabarrus be a Senatorial district and secured its passage.

King's Mountain Oil a Vision.

The reported discovery of oil at King's Mountain, mentioned elsewhere in The Standard, probably amounts to nothing.

Rev. P. R. Elnor, a Baptist minister and mineralogist, who was reported to have made the discovery, died a few days ago. He was a good man and respected citizen, but was given to chasing rainbows, and while entirely sincere his discoveries never amounted to anything.

Valuable Gift to South View.

By the will of George W. Lowry his beautiful farm, near Salem, Rowan county, consisting of 150 acres, and quite a sum of money invested in Kansas, are left to the Salem Lutheran Orphanage and Southern View Orphanage Home.—Baltimore Sun.

Emperor William Wounded.

A Berlin dispatch of the 7th says that Emperor William was wounded in the face by a bullet on the 6th. The wound is not serious. There seems something wrong with the boys mental condition.

A promissory note is a brilliant idea, for the right fellow.—Ex.

Public Sale!

As agent for the heirs of Mrs. Isabella Fines, deceased, I will sell at public auction for cash, at the late residence of deceased, in No. 3 township, on Friday, March 15, 1901, at 10 o'clock a. m., the following articles of personal property, viz: A lot of household and kitchen furniture, also books, record and notes.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE

Having been duly qualified as executor of the estate of Isaac Goodnight, deceased, late of Cabarrus county, N. C., I hereby give notice to all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned on or before the 15th day of April, 1901, at which time I will hold a settlement of said estate.

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VIOLETS AND ROSES.

Plan of the Ladies of Kittrell to Raise a Fund for the Erection of a Confederate Monument.

To the Editor of The Standard: The Daughters of the Confederacy, at Kittrell, offer at \$1.00 per 100, delivered anywhere, the best blooming and bedding varieties of violets. Lower in quantities.

These plants can be set at any time from September 1st to June 1st. Cold weather does not harm them, therefore they can be safely planted even in mid-winter.

These violets are the easiest of all plants to live and grow. They make beautiful borders for walks, flower beds, etc., remaining green through the most intense heat and drought of summer and the severest cold of winter.

Planted a foot or a foot and a half apart along walks, etc., they soon form a solid emerald border; or in a yard or plot in which grass dies out in summer these violet plants can be set a foot apart each and will cover the whole place and last for years.

They are such luxuriant bloomers that during the chief blooming period they are a mass of radiant purple. They afford blooms during the whole winter except in the severest spells, and with a little protection with leaves or straw, will bloom freely even then.

These violets are sold to raise a fund to mark the graves of Confederate soldiers buried at Kittrell.

At any time from April to November a large basket of roses, of largest, finest varieties, will be sent by express, safely packed in damp moss, for \$1.00. Gifts of entertainment can thus obtain a profusion of really magnificent roses for a very small sum and at the same time aid a good cause.

Address: Mrs. O. W. BLACKNALL, Pres. C. C. BALACKNALL Chapter U. D. C., Kittrell, N. C.

Answer of the Impeached Judges.

March the 6th was the day set for the impeached judges to file their reply to the bills of impeachment.

The Raleigh correspondent to the Charlotte Observer says: "The answer recites at length the history of the case and denies that the court demanded the paying out of any money not appropriated, holding that the office of shell fish commissioner was created and money appropriated for the salary of the same and the mandamus was not against the laws or constitution. A fund was appropriated to pay the shell fish commissioner and in the doctrine of Hoke against Henderson the Legislature could not deprive a man of his lawful salary by destroying the appropriation made previously for that officer. The specification that the minority of the court were not allowed to file dissenting opinions is denied. They deny any disrespect to the Legislature or any impure motive in any decision. The history of the office-holding cases was traced showing that the first decision of these similar cases was Wood against Bellamy, involving the insane asylums in 1897, which the court decided in favor of the then minority party in the State, showing that there was no political motive governing these cases. This doctrine has been steadfastly maintained as the law of this State and upheld by the court. The different decisions on this doctrine were reviewed down to the case of Abbott vs. Beddingfield and then the only dissenting judge (Clark) later joined in a unanimous decision that the corporation commission and the railroad commission were so nearly the same that the assessments of the latter held for the former. Since Wood vs. Bellamy, 17 office-holding cases (all cited) have been decided and in a majority of them the persons of a different political party were kept in office. Many of these decisions were unanimous and the court decided all of them without regard to political or any influence except their oaths to obey and protect the constitution."

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The Hague-McCorkle Dry Goods Co., Importers and Wholesalers.

GREENSBORO, N. C. We solicit trade of Merchants only, and sell nothing at retail.

We cordially invite all merchants to call on us when in Greensboro or see our Travelling Salesman before placing orders elsewhere.

J. W. WOODBURN, Salesman

Nobility.

True worth is being, not seeming. In doing each day that goes by some little good, not in the dreaming.

Of great things to do by and by, For whatever men say in blindness And spite of the fancies of youth, There's nothing so kingly as kindness And nothing so royal as truth.

We get back our mete as we measure— We cannot do wrong and feel right, Nor can we give pain and feel pleasure, For justice avenges each sight. The air for the wing of the sparrow, The bush for the robin and wren, But always the path that is narrow And straight for the children of men.

Alice Cary.

Sixty Days Not Enough.

The Legislature will not adjourn before the latter part of next week, not being able to complete its work before that time. The members will serve after Saturday at their own expense, like true patriots.

But really, the demands upon a Legislature are too great for a sixty day session. The Constitution should be amended so as to extend the time to at least 90 days. This Legislature, having preceded, has worked faithfully. It is not for lack of energy or application on its part that the work is not done within the time now allotted. As the State develops and increases in population the work the Legislature is and will be called on to do must increase also, and heavily. Sixty days were enough ten or more years ago, but now nor can be in the future.—Morning Post.

Gen. Greene's Tomb Found.

We noted some days ago that Col. Bird Gardiner had gone to Savannah in search of the tomb of Gen. Nathaniel Greene. It is assured that the remains have been found. The name plate, fragments of his rusted sword and a number of colonial army buttons and the skull were found. The Society of the Cincinnati of which Gen. Greene was a first president, wishes to erect a suitable monument in his honor. It is not yet known whether the remains will be moved. Maj. Joseph Morehead has tendered a spot on the Greensboro Battle Ground for the tomb and urges that that is preeminently the right place for the monument.

Astronomers are in a highly excited state of mind over the discovery of a brilliant star in a spot where formerly there was only a pin point of light. The star has been increasing in brilliancy, and the star gazers say it must be one of the terrestrial bodies burning up. This conflagration, though, need not cause anybody in these parts to lose any sleep because of the fire. The star is said to be 560,000,000,000,000,000 miles away from us, therefore the burning up must have taken place about the time George Washington was inaugurated president of these United States.—Kinston Free Press.

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Notice to Teachers.

The second meeting of the Cabarrus County Teachers' Association will be held at Mt. Pleasant, March 23rd, 1901. The following is the program of exercises:

10 a. m.—Address of Welcome, Music.

10:15 a. m.—"Primary Work in Public Schools of the County," Miss Callie Lipe.

10:40 a. m.—"Compulsory Education," Prof. J. H. C. Fisher.

11:40 a. m.—"What the Colleges Expect of the Public Schools," Prof. H. E. Aull.

Recess to 1 o'clock. Song.

1:05 p. m.—"What is Meant by Teaching," Prof. C. S. Coler.

Music.

1:40—"What Grounds are Expected to be Covered in a Four Months' Term in the Country School," Prof. Augustus Boger.

2:15—"Should Graded School Books be Introduced in the Country Schools?" Prof. H. T. Albright.

All discussions limited to 30 minutes. Every subject will be discussed in the nature of "round table" talk.

The County Superintendent earnestly requests all teachers to be present and be prepared to take part in the discussions.

Prof. R. L. Keesler will be in attendance with a class of his trained singers from the Graded School.

A. L. PENNINGER, Pres. Mrs. E. C. MISENHEIMER, Sec.

Mr. Toke Blackwelder's House Burned.

We learn that Mr. N. T. Blackwelder of No. 4 township lost his good 2 story dwelling house by fire last Wednesday the 6th. Flames were discovered soon after 12 o'clock about where the ell joins the main house and quickly enveloped the whole house. Mr. and Mrs. Blackwelder lived in the house occupied by his mother before her death, and therefore lost only the house and a kitchen standing near.

The colored family that lived in the house lost all but a little bedding. They cannot account for the origin of the fire.

Graded School Honor Roll.

Miss Myrtle Leslie; Mary Boger, Myrtle Mayvaul, Jennie Coltrane, Mary Lillie Sherrill. Miss Ora C. Hoover; Anna Sherrill. Mrs. E. C. Misenheimer; Margaret Brown, Edna Correll, Frances Goodson, Mary Morrison, Adeline Morrison. Miss Mary L. Dodson; Carry Potrea. Miss Lena Leslie; Mand Brown. Miss Addie Stricker; Charlie Coble, Louise Johnson. Miss Mary L. Harris; Vernon Bramley, Willie Clapp, William Sherrill, Mattie Brown, Sallie McLennan. Miss Lidie Smith; Fred Cohen, Cole Miller.

Miss Hattie Waddington; Della McEachern, Lineberry Sedberry, Winnie Prose.

SCHOOLS NOTES.

Measles have interfered with school work this month and kept many of the honor roll. Reports were sent out Monday. The enrollment of pupils in the schools since September is as follows: Central, 432; Forest Hill, 103; Cannonville, 168; Colored, 273. Total, 976. C. S. COLER, Supt.

High Point's Big Fire.

About 2:15 o'clock of the 6th a fire broke out in High Point. It started from a gas tank and peanut parcher at Eraley's store, and the wind being high was uncontrollable. The rough estimate is that \$30,000 worth of property was consumed.

The man who admits he doesn't know it all is wiser than the one who thinks he does.—Ex.

Prevention better than cure. Tutt's Liver Pills will not only cure, but if taken in time will prevent Sick Headache, dyspepsia, biliousness, malaria, constipation, jaundice, torpid liver and kindred diseases.

TUTT'S LIVER PILLS ABSOLUTELY CURE.

A CRAZY CARLOAD.

Seventeen Soldiers Who Were Mentally Wrecked in the Philippines, Pass Through Charlotte.

There was an extra car attached to passenger train No. 34, which arrived in Charlotte last night over the Southern Railway from Atlanta. It was a Pullman sleeper, and its occupants were insane soldiers who were being brought home from the Philippines. They were landed at San Francisco a few days ago and were there placed in the car which is carrying them through to Washington.

The car contained a sergeant and 16 privates, every one of them crazy. Four or five of the men were handcuffed.

The conductor of the train said that it was one of the saddest sights he ever saw, a whole car of people and every one crazy except the guards. Not a single one of the men realized that he had been fighting in a foreign country nor was there one in the crowd that knew he had got back again to his own country.

"The quiet fellows among the crowd," said the Observer's informant, "talked about bananas, hemp, rice and bolos. One of them would repeat again and again, 'the niggers, the niggers.' The handcuffed men were heard occasionally to talk about dodging the arrows."

The car containing the insane soldiers was closely guarded and no one was allowed to mount the platform.—Char. Observer, 7th.

Attention Veterans.

The United Daughters of the Confederacy have conceived the idea of bestowing a Cross of Honor on every Confederate Veteran with an honorable record.

The Jno. Phifer Young Chapter Children of the Confederacy have voted from their treasury their entire available fund which will secure 100 badges. These badges cost veterans nothing but to fill out the blank application. This asks each to say as nearly as he can when he entered the war and when and how he quit the service, his company and regiment, his rank on entering and that which he held at the close of his service. One or two endorsements are desired and the commander of the camp, if you belong to a camp, should endorse it. You will find the blank applications at the Standard office where the roll of Camp No. 212 is kept and the payment of dues entitles a veteran to enrollment as a member of the camp.

Please apply promptly. H. B. PARKS, commander, Camp 212, U. C. V.

Morgan Would Abrogate the Treaty.

Senator Morgan whose age seems to abate none of the fiery vigor of manhood's climax, wishes the United States Senate to abrogate the Clayton-Bulwer treaty. He claims that it is to Great Britain's financial interests to prevent the isthmian canal and that she is purposely standing in the way of it. He does not anticipate any such results as war with Great Britain as in such event he predicts the departure of glory from the empire with her leading colonies gone from her, and for the nation itself a condition of his dissolution and downfall. The Senator is enthusiastic for the canal and is unwilling that Great Britain should have her Suez and yet stand in the way of our having our Nicaragua canal.

Remarkable Cures of Rheumatism.

(From the Vindicator, Rutherfordton, N. C.)

The editor of the Vindicator has had occasion to test the efficacy of Chamberlain's Pain Balm twice with the most remarkable results in each case. First, with rheumatism in the shoulder from which he suffered excruciating pain for ten days, which was relieved with two applications of Pain Balm, rubbing the parts afflicted and redressing instant benefit and entire relief in a very short time. Second, in rheumatism in thigh joint, almost prostrating him with severe pain, which was relieved by two applications, rubbing with the liniment on retiring at night and getting up free from pain. For sale by M. L. Marsh, druggist.

The pen was once mightier than the sword; now the typewriter is a greater hustler than the Krag-Jorgensen.—Ex.

FOR OVER FIFTY YEARS

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used for over fifty years by millions of mothers for their children who teething, with perfect success. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind colic, and is the best remedy for Diarrhoea. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately. Sold by druggists in every part of the world. Twenty-five cents a bottle. Be sure and ask for "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup" and take no other kind.

An old bachelor says that warm love melts fewer feminine hearts than cold cash does.—Ex.

No man has ever conceived a more beautiful thought than the one that is yet unborn.—Ex.

NEWS CULLINGS.

Paris Gibson was elected United States Senator from Montana on March 8th.

Governor Cleveland and Prof. Van Dyke, of Princeton University, are hunting ducks in Eastern, North Carolina.

Ex-President Harrison is quite sick and his close friends are rather alarmed for him though his physician says his condition is not dangerous yet.

A very serious affair is reported from Forsythe county. A young white man Rand Hart, on the chain gang, died at the camp Tuesday night. It has been revealed that the young man was severely whipped by a member of the guard, Mr. Pink Fulton. The body has been exhumed and the physician pronounces the abuse sufficient to cause death. The guard has been discharged and there is a warrant out for his arrest. The case looks very bad indeed.

Forest Fire in No. 4.

Jim Allison, colored, put fire into a new ground about 10 o'clock last Tuesday near Mr. Abner Walter's farm in No. 4 township. The wind rose as it well known and every thing being dry the fire leaped into the Barnhardt woods and burned over about 150 acres of land endangering houses and barns.

The whole neighborhood had to collect with buckets, rakes and plows to save buildings. Much damage was done to timber. The community of people fought with vigor while the flames were raging, but they do not take it kindly and we are informed that the statute applying to such cases will be enforced against Allison that he and all others may be taught a wholesome lesson that a man must not endanger his neighbor by careless use of fire which he cannot confine to his own premises.

Fire got into the cotton on the platform in Charlotte, at 1:30 this morning, and damaged 60 bales. It belonged to Moore, Springs & Co., and was covered by insurance.

The Presidents cabinet officers were sworn in Wednesday.

The Maryland Legislature is contemplating a law by which only the fairly well educated will be able to cast a vote. It will disfranchise about 50,000 voters.

The Schooner Edward H. Blake, of Bangor, Me., arrived in New York on the 6th. The Capt. reported that five times he tried to sail past Hatteras but was blown back. No sails could be managed. On Feb. 14th the wind blew at the rate of 75 miles per hour.

An Honest Medicine for La Grippe.

George W. Walt, of South Gardner, Me., says: "I have had the worst cough, cold, chills and grip and have taken lots of trash of no account but profit to the vendor. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is the only thing that has done any good whatever. I have used one bottle of it and the chills cold and grip have all left me. I congratulate the manufacturers of a home medicine." For sale by M. L. Marsh, druggist.

Safe Place for a Diamond.

A Chicago negro robber, William Tate, recently assaulted a wealthy gentleman by the name of Anderson. He quickly got a \$1,000 diamond and part of a \$75 watch chain. Anderson's cries brought a policeman who pursued and shot the robber. The piece of chain was found but the diamond could not be discovered. On being told that the shot was fatal the robber told them that he had swallowed it. Allen proceeded to get authority to rip that negro open by the time he becomes a "stiff."

Banker Rents a Robber.

J. R. Garrison, cashier of the bank of Thornville, Ohio, had been robbed of health by a serious lung trouble until he tried Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption. Then he wrote: "It is the best medicine I ever used for a severe cold or a bad case of lung trouble. I always keep a bottle on hand." Don't suffer with Coughs, Colds, or any Throat, Chest or Lung trouble when you can be cured so easily. Only 50c and \$1. Trial bottles free at Fetter's Drug Store.

Mr. Klutz at Home.

Congressman Theo. F. Klutz is at home and will remain here until the next session of congress, which convenes in December.—Salsbury Sun.

A Fiendish Attack.

An attack was lately made on C. P. Collier, of Cherokee, Iowa, that nearly proved fatal. It came through his kidneys. His back got so lame he could not stoop without great pain, nor sit in a chair except propped by cushions. No remedy helped him until he tried Electric Bitters which effected such a wonderful change that he writes he feels like a new man. This marvelous medicine cures headache and kidney trouble, purifies the blood and builds up your health. Only 50c at Fetter's Drug Store.

Headache often results from a disordered condition of the stomach and constipation of the bowels. A dose or two of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets will correct these disorders and cure the headache. Sold by M. L. Marsh, druggist.

Pho bono publico is often used as a cloak for me only.—Ex.

Porto Rican Troops Return Home at Once.

NEW YORK, March 6.—The battalion of Porto Rican troops which attracted so much attention at Washington on inauguration day arrived here on a special train, went aboard the transport Sedgwick, and will sail for Porto Rico at once. The men found the weather colder than they were accustomed to, and the army overcoats which had been issued to them were of great value. None of them had ever worn an overcoat before, and when they first put them on they had to be taught how to button them properly. They ran about the decks of the Sedgwick with their capes over their heads and heavy gloves on their hands. Major Army, their commander, said that the trip had been one of great pleasure to them. They were greatly interested in the strange locomotives, and thought the trains traveled very fast indeed. The national capitol was to them a wonderful place. As they rounded the battery on the ferry from Jersey City they tried to pick out the thirty-story building of which they had heard, and looked in wonder at the span of the Brooklyn bridge. Throughout the trip only one man became ill.

He Fooled the Surgeons.

All doctors told Benick Hamilton, of West Jefferson, O., after suffering 18 months from rectal fistula, he would die unless a costly operation was performed; but he cured himself with Bucklen's Arnica Salve, the best in the world. Surest Pipe cure on earth. 25c a box at Fetter's Drug Store.

Fire in No. 10 Township.

Mr. R. M. Boger's six-room residence, smoke house and several other out-houses in No. 10 township were destroyed by fire Friday evening. All his household furniture, some money, and 2,000 pounds of meat was consumed, besides farming implements.

LOCAL AND CLIMATIC.

Nothing but a local remedy of climate will cure CATARRH. The specific is Ely's Cream Balm.

It is quickly absorbed. Given relief at once. Cures catarrh of the nose, throat, lungs, and all parts of the respiratory system. Cures colds, coughs, and all other ailments of the head and throat. Restores the senses of taste and smell, no matter how long they have been lost. Family size 25c. Do not be deceived by cheap imitations. Ely Brothers, 56 Warren St., New York.

Some men seem to be pondering with the muses when they are only worrying about next week's board bill.—Ex.

A Night of Terror.

"A awful anxiety was felt for the widow of the brave General Burnham, of Machias, Me., when the doctors said she would die from pneumonia before morning," writes Mrs. S. H. Lincoln, who attended her that fearful night, but she begged for Dr. King's New Discovery, which had more than once saved her life, and cured her of consumption. After taking, she slept all night. Further use entirely cured her." This marvelous medicine is guaranteed to cure all throat, chest and lung diseases. Only 50c and \$1. Trial bottles free at Fetter's Drug Store.

Guaranteed - Salary \$900 Yearly.

Men and women of good address to whom we want to travel representing agents, salaries guaranteed yearly, extra commissions and expenses, rapid advancement, well established business, grand chance for married men or women to secure pleasant, permanent positions, liberal income and future. Now being filled in all parts of the country. Send full particulars to STAFFORD PRESS, 23 Church St., New Haven, Conn.

Nothing is more obtusious than a low person raised to a high position.—Claudian.

AGOOD Cough Medicine for Children.

"I have no hesitancy in recommending Chamberlain's Cough Remedy," says F. P. Moran, a well known and popular baker, of Petersburg, Va. "We have given it to our children when troubled with bad coughs, also whooping cough, and it has always given perfect satisfaction. It was recommended to me by a druggist as the best cough medicine for children as it contained no opium or other harmful drug." Sold by M. L. Marsh, druggist.