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TOO MUCH HASTE TO GET INTO DEAD MEN'S SHOES.

It does not seem to us too early to raise a voice in protest against the immoderate, we are tempted to say the indecent, haste at filling offices after the death of officials. Almost, if not quite, parallel with the announcement of death come nominations of men to fill the place made vacant. We have noted a very recent example and we are led to believe that before the body of a lamented State officer was really cold there were aspirations, and calculations and possibly manipulations for the official plum. If it is not in exceedingly bad taste our sense of the fitness of things is greatly affronted.

If it is said that you must get into the push or be left, we would say be left with dignity maintained rather than succeed at its sacrifice.

We think the reprehensible drift could be checked by a well pronounced deliberation on the part of the appointing power and a frowning down of a suggestion of appointment while the thoughtful and the appreciative of a great, good officer are yet sighing over his providential removal. It hardly seems that a man to grace a high and noble office would enter a scramble for the position.

We are impressed that it would greatly elevate men in the estimation of elevated society if a very decisive reformation should be wrought along this line.

ANXIETY PARTLY RELIEVED.

Now that Miss Stone and Mrs. Telika have been released by the brigands and have appeared within the lines of safety, the anxiety for them and the sense of outrage at disappointments in the reports of their deliverance may give way to considerations for avoiding the repetition so much invited by the big ransom paid. Many an interesting story, too, will be in order on the captive experience of these consecrated women. The affair has put a sympathizing world in a strain which is relieved only in so far as these individuals are concerned. If a set of brigands, though, can defy the world and be paid for such high handed outrages will they not keep up the game. Diplomacy and bayonets have had bigger but less important tasks to perform.

At the Gibson Drug Store will be found a box to receive the mites for the Sir Walter Raleigh monument fund. This enterprise which was conceived and championed by Col. J. S. Carr contemplates a mite from every citizen of the Old North State. By the little sums from a whole State of people proud of its first champion a grand monument is to be erected at the State Capitol in his honor. It will be a real pleasure to every patriotic citizen to contribute.

TILLMAN QUITE RUDE.

President Roosevelt had invited Senator Tillman to his dinner given on Monday night in honor of Prince Henry. He did it probably not from any over-weening admiration of the man but from his position on the naval committee. In as much as he had disgraced himself and the nation at a fistfight on the floor of the Senate and was declared by that body as being in contempt, the President could not afford to have him at the dinner under any consideration. It would have been a slap in the face to the Senate and an insult to the distinguished guest. Yet this coarse mannered wielder of the pitchfork could not lay aside his rudeness long enough to withdraw his acceptance at the suggestion of a fellow senator and drove the President to the necessity of withdrawing the invitation. Now he claims that the President has insulted him. He claims justification too in striking McLaurin regardless of the place after laying aside all due civility in making charges that might have justified the passing of the lie out on the streets. Every step in the incidents seems to mark more coarseness in Tillman than he has previously been discredited with.

WISE BESTOWAL OF WEALTH.

Again Mr. B. N. Duke has poured a liberal sum into the coffers of Trinity College. We do not fully understand the donation which is said to be equal to \$100,000. Any way it is to support four more professors at a salary of \$1,500 each which will take \$6,000 annually and at 3 per cent. it would take \$100,000 to produce it. Whatever may be said against tobacco (which people will have no matter how useless, offensive and costly), no matter what may be said against trusts (which are bad only as they make themselves so, and they wield powers that individuals fail to use), the bestowal of such munificent sums, by those who have gotten into the financial currents, to further education is most happy and commendable and are monuments, not of dead marble, but of an ever living and expanding power that will tell the story when material shall have passed into decay.

PROF. J. Y. JOINER SUCCEEDS GEN. TOON.

The Governor has appointed Prof. J. Y. Joiner to succeed Gen. Toon as Superintendent of Public Instruction. Mr. Joiner is professor of English at the State Normal and Industrial College at Greensboro. He was called from the graded schools of Goldsboro to this position. He is a native of Lenoir county. It may not be in any way against his efficiency as an officer, but it is hard to shake off the too oft repeated reflection that western men seem not much in it for appointments to important public positions.

The Governor has commuted the sentences of two of the Emma burglars to life imprisonment. They kept on the outside then and are on the inside now, so to speak.

The treaty between the United States and Great Britain by which the latter gives complete assent to the building of the Isthmian Canal was exchanged on the 21st at Washington. In view of the Clayton-Bulwer treaty the step in the canal movement is very tangible.

The House Committee on Territories voted unanimously on Friday to report bills in favor of admitting New Mexico, Arizona and Oklahoma as States. The bills will most probably pass and then our boys and girls at school will have to learn 48 capitals and our banner be spangled with four dozen stars.

Sunday was an ideal day, clear, balmy and spring like, though plenty of snow is yet to be seen. The sunshine was bright and genial and so in contrast with the weather we have been having of late that it seemed like calling up sweet memories of some good old times in wry back past. It seems a very bold promise after the cloud.

TO MY MOTHER.

Deal gently with her, Time; these many years
Of life have brought more smiles with them than tears.
Lay not thy hand too harshly on her brow,
But trace decline so slowly on her brow
That (like a sunset of the Northern
crimson,
Where twilight lingers in the summer time,
And fades at last into the silent night,
Ere one may note the passing of the light)
So may she pass—since 'tis the common lot—
As one who, resting, sleeps and knows it not.
—John Allan Wyeth in The Century.

Get Your Boxes for Mail Delivery.

To the Citizens on Mail Route No. 2:
Mr. Umberger requests that each and every family living on said route purchase a box and have same placed in proper location and shape before April 1st, when the service will begin. The boxes will be for sale at Ritchie Hardware Co's for \$1.25 each, 2 keys, etc. Each box is to be placed on good posts five feet above ground and three feet in ground, located in easy access to carrier in buggy.

Attractive Women.

All women sensibly desire to be attractive. Beauty is the stamp of health because it is the outward manifestation of inner purity. A healthy woman is always attractive, bright and happy. When every drop of blood in the veins is pure a beautiful flush is on the cheek. But when the blood is impure, moroseness, bad temper and a sallow complexion tells the tale of sickness, all too plainly. And women today know there is no beauty without health. Wine of Cardui, with its healthy and attractive ingredients, makes her a woman. Try Wine of Cardui, and in a month your friends will hardly know you.

Sudden Death of Mr. Lilly at Norwood.

Mr. "Tobe" Lilly, son of Capt. S. S. Lilly, of Norwood, and nephew of our townsman, Dr. W. H. Lilly, died suddenly at his home Sunday at 2:30 o'clock p. m. at the age of 48 years.

Young Roosevelt Steadily Recovering.

Washington, Feb. 23.—The condition of young Theodore Roosevelt, Jr., continues to improve and he is progressing steadily toward complete restoration to health.

Four Deaths From Live Wires.

Philadelphia had a severe storm on Friday and all the electric connections with other cities were cut off. Four persons were killed by coming in contact with wires that were heavily charged.

Bloody Affair in Guilford.

There was a drinking rowdy group of white men and negroes in Green township, Guilford county, last Friday night in which Seymour Shoffner, white, was killed and Banks Hubbard, colored, was probably fatally wounded. Little seems known of how it came about both however were shot.

"The way to make a woman like you is to believe you couldn't help liking her if you tried."

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Middling.....	8 20
Low middling.....	8 20
Stains.....	8 00
Cotton seed 25 cts. per bushel.	
PRODUCE MARKET.	
Corrected by A. L. Sappenfield.	
Bacon.....	12 1/2
Sugar-cured hams.....	14
Bulk meat sides.....	11
Beeswax.....	20
Butter.....	15 to 20
Chickens.....	12 1/2 to 20
Corn.....	1.00
Eggs.....	20
Lard.....	13
Flour (N. C.).....	\$2.50
Meal.....	1.00
Oats.....	60
Tallow.....	60



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FIGHT IN U. S. SENATE.

Senators Tillman and McLaurin Celebrate Washington's Birthday With a Fistfight.

Washington's birthday was signalled in the United States Senate Saturday by a real fistfight between Senators Tillman and McLaurin. Tillman had jabbed McLaurin with his pitchfork and McLaurin pronounced his charge a lie whereupon Tillman struck him. McLaurin knocked the blood out of his nose before they could be parted. The Senate went into executive session and suspended both from the privileges of the Senate. They will have to beg and promise to be good or they can't have the Senate floor on which to do any more fighting.

Aunt Clara Jackson Dead.

The wife of May Jackson, o. Mt. Pleasant, known and called by young and old "Aunt Clara" Jackson, died at her home Sunday and was buried there today (Monday).

She was very corpulent and was a conspicuous personage. Withal she was honored by white and colored citizens and possessed a character that commanded the highest respect. She was neat and tidy in her apartments and delighted to have white ladies, whom she most loved and respected to come into her home and partake of dainties that she would prepare for them in a degree of unassuming accomplishment in the cuisine art.

Aged Maiden Lady Dead.

Miss Ellen Hathcock died at the home of Jno. Goodman at Forest Hill Friday night and was buried at 5 o'clock Saturday evening. Rev. J. E. Smith conducting the funeral services.

Miss Hathcock was some 60 years old.

La grippe was the cause of death. She was a lady much esteemed for her many personal traits of goodness.

Miss Hanna, daughter of Senator Hanna, is engaged to be married to a newspaper cartoonist.

Perhaps Mark thinks that a fellow like that would be handy to have in the house.—Morning Star.

TRUSTEE'S SALE.

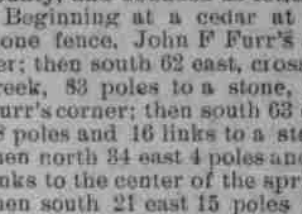
By virtue of authority vested in me by a Deed in Trust or Mortgage, executed by Leah Dry on the 4th day of March, 1899, which Mortgage or Deed in Trust is duly recorded in Register's office for Cabarrus county, N. C., in Book No. 12, page 194, I will sell at public auction at the Court House door in Concord, N. C., on the 10th day of March, 1902, to the highest bidder for cash, the following tract of land in No. 9 township, Cabarrus county, and bounded as follows: Beginning at a cedar at the stone fence, John F. Parr's corner; then south 62 east, crossing creek, 83 poles to a stone, J. F. Parr's corner; then south 63 east 25 poles and 16 links to a stake, then north 34 east 4 poles and 23 links to the center of the spring; then south 21 east 15 poles to a persimmon, then south 28 poles to a pine; then south 8 west 16 poles to a w. o. grub; then south 22 west 25 poles to a pine; then south 80 east 25 poles to a p. o.; then south 40 east 150 poles; then south 30 west 50 poles to a pine, M. Smith's corner; then north 49 west 220 poles to a stake at the mouth of Cedar branch on the east side of the creek; then up the creek on the east bank to a stake at the water fence; then west, crossing the creek near the water, 2 poles on west bank; then up the west bank 2 poles from bank to the creek's meanderings to a small branch; then with its meanderings, including rock fence, to be gluing, containing 120 acres.

The purchaser takes such title as I am authorized to convey under said mortgage.

This 6th day of Feb. 1902.

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PRINCE HENRY ARRIVES SUNDAY.

Received With Honors—Guns are Fired, Flags are Dipped and Cheers Echoed—Met by Admiral Robley Evans.

Prince Henry arrived at New York Sunday amid pomp and ceremony and the firing of 21 guns in salutation, the dipping of flags and the cheers by Americans and Germans.

Admiral Evans barded the Kron Prinz Wilhelm and met him where they exchanged the following greetings:

"I am very glad to see you, sir," said the admiral. "Everybody in the United States is waiting to welcome you. It is my pleasure to formally greet you in their behalf."

"I thank you, sir, and the people of your country," responded the Prince. "I am very glad to be here and on this splendid day. The Emperor directed me to convey his compliments to you Admiral, and I do so with very great pleasure."

The Prince saluted the Hohenzollern which is to be his home and gave a luncheon, then returned a number of officials calls and paid visits.

TEMPERANCE ITEMS.

Called by M. E. McCarty.

In an interesting article in "The Literary Digest" Edwin Dexter claims drunkenness is affected by the weather.

He finds there is forty-seven per cent. less in July than in December. Though there is a holiday in each month, when the drinker is supposed to indulge more. He claims drunkenness is increased by low temperature, to some extent by high barometer, by high humidity and by high wind. Depleted vitality sends men to the saloon oftener than we dream. He rightly claims we can lessen the demand and the attendant suffering will keep pace.

The Gillet Lodge Bill was given a hearing in the House Committee on January 18th. The most of the members of the committee had heard little from the Christian citizens in their districts in the way of petitions or letters so the matter was postponed.

Dr. Craft declares the venerable Dr. Paton has pleaded for this bill for nine years, and it would have passed in one week's session in Congress had one percent of the Christian vote of the country—by petition or word, spoken against it.

At Clarksville, Tenn., the Young Ladies Temperance Band prepared one hundred and fifty sprays of holly—tied with white ribbon with scripture texts attached for a fireman's banquet. As a result no drinking was indulged in.

Three things to fight for, honor, country and home.

Three things to wish for, health, friends and a cheerful spirit.

Andrew Carnegie says, a drinking man should have no place in a railway system—indeed he should have no place anywhere.

In the twenty-eighth National Convention of the W. C. T. U., held at Fort Worth, Texas, Mrs. John, one of the Superintendents of Department work, reported that the Medical press had acted favorably in bringing to the notice of the physicians the appeal issued by the Union, asking help in bringing to the mothers' notice the baneful result of giving medicine that has alcohol in it.

SALE OF VALUABLE PROPERTY.

Rev. Mr. Lutz to Sell Household and Kitchen Furniture March 7th.

The Rev. W. A. Lutz will sell his household and kitchen furniture on Friday, the 7th day of March, at his home in Mt. Pleasant. It will consist of a fine piano and elegant suits of furniture, cooking and heating stoves, an abundance of table ware, etc., needed for running a college boarding department. There will be many good bargains, no doubt. The sale will begin at 1 o'clock p. m.

Mr. Delp Hamilton Goes West.

We notice from the Spartanburg correspondence to the Charlotte Observer that Mr. A. Hamilton, former night operator and agent for the Southern at the Spartanburg Junction, has secured a position in State Fe. N. M. in the drug business. Mr. Hamilton is a Concord boy and we wish him well.

Killed at Toasting.

One young lady was killed and four others of a coasting party were severely hurt at Pittsburg on the 22nd. They were going down a steep grade in the street and the sled got beyond the control of the guide and crashed into an obstacle with fatal results.

Notice.

State of North Carolina, Cabarrus County.
Notice is hereby given to the public that application will be made to the Governor of North Carolina for the commutation to life imprisonment of Ed Morgan convicted at January term of the Superior Court of Cabarrus County for the crime of rape and sentenced to be hung on 31st day of March, 1902. J. W. MORGAN, applicant. This 24th, Feb. 1902.

THE YADKIN TO BE HARNESSSED.

That Great Water Power Will be Developed Soon by the Whitley Reduction Company and Power Sent Out for 80 Miles around—\$5,000,000 to be Spent.

The Whitley Reduction Company seems to have the biggest enterprise in the State on hand. It is a gigantic work indeed.

The immense power there is on the Yadkin about the Falls and Narrows is to be harnessed and made to turn wheels that will generate electricity to light and run machinery throughout a circuit with a radius of 80 miles.

It is proposed to furnish power at greatly reduced rates and the years may not be distant when all our power for running machinery here will come from that great center.

The company, it is said, will spend \$5,000,000 as an outlay.

The dam on the Yadkin will necessarily be a great engineering feat. It will be 1500 feet long, 40 feet high and 50 feet thick at the base. It is calculated that 46,000 horse power will be available to run machinery.

The railroad from New London to the Narrows is now being built.

There will be large factories at New London run by the company.

Its mines and quarries also will utilize this great water power on the Yadkin.

Items From Glass.

Glass, N. C., Feb. 25, 1902.

Owing to misunderstanding, Rev's. Wertz and Stucky were both at Center Grove last Sunday evening.

The Rev. J. F. Pharr announced last Sunday to his people at Bethpage that owing to his bad health he will give up his work and return to his old home in Georgia. So this leaves two more country churches without a preacher. It seems to me that we are progressing backwards in the country churches.

The oats that was sowed last fall are all froze out and the wheat showing but little signs of life.

Mr. F. W. Glass went to the St. John's neighborhood today to assist in laying off a public road.

Mr. J. J. Cochran, who has been in doors with the grippe, we are glad to say, is out again.

Mr. George Winecoff, who is teaching school in Mecklenburg, spent part of last week with his father, Mr. S. W. Winecoff. He returned to his school Monday.

Miss Mary Winecoff is now at Dr. Will Flowers'. Any one wanting a trained nurse would do well to take notice of this. She can answer a 'phone message at any time.

Mr. W. L. Hammond expects to return in March to his home in New York. He says his trip South this year was a success.

Mr. Will Isenhour entered the Business College in Charlotte last week. Will is a good boy and we hope he will succeed.

There will be an educational meeting at the Bethpage school house next Friday. It is hoped all interested in education will attend.

Mr. Lee Earnhardt spent a few days last week with his father, Mr. Jessie Earnhardt. He is making quite a reputation in Charlotte as a carpenter. R.

Child Born With Two Heads.

Kankakee, Ill., Dispatch to Chicago Record-Herald:

"A child with two heads has been born in this city. The secondary head is about two-thirds the size and projects from the back of the normal head. While the second head is well formed, the features are not developed. The doctor in charge is of the opinion that it is possible to remove the excrescence, through it will be three months before an operation can be undertaken, and possibly it may not be safe then or at any future time. The child is healthy."

Cleve Parry, colored, was arrested this morning for an assault and carrying a concealed weapon. He was placed in jail to await court.



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COLDS IN THE HEAD.

How to Assist Nature in Subduing Inflammation.

"There has been more rot written about colds and their prevention and cure than would fill a volume," said a hotel physician at Washington Star. "A cold in the head is a manifestation of an inflamed and congested condition of the mucous membrane, and these inflammatory diseases run their course and have their regular stages."

"A remedy which would eliminate this inflammatory condition from the system in a day or two would be a great help to the human race, saving inestimable suffering and countless deaths. I don't think it will ever be found, and generations hence our descendants will blow their noses and wipe their watery eyes just the same as today. The use of salt water-chiefs will more than repay for their purchase. Limes is harsh and tends to produce soreness and redness of the nose. Therefore, since the suffering attendant to this condition cannot be avoided and must be endured, the best way to 'cure a cold' is to make this condition as easily borne as possible and aid nature in subduing the congestion. Those who can stay indoors should do so, and those who must go out should put on additional clothing, either under or outer garments.

"Warmth is what is wanted. Quinine in two grain doses every two or three hours, according to the susceptibility of the patient, is better than heavy doses. Elixir of iron, quinine and strychnine in teaspoonful doses an hour before meals or one-third grain granule of strychnine an hour before meals provides a tonic which tends to counteract the depression attending a cold. The nervous and muscular systems are stimulated, and the 'cold feels better.' The appetite, always affected, is sharpened, the patient eats, the vital forces are renewed and a cure is effected in half the time usually required if the warmth of the body is maintained and additional colds and checks are not taken."

"How to Freshen Ribbons. Gasoline is excellent for cleaning colored ribbons that have become soiled, but it makes white ones yellowish in color and does not affect creases as water will. For white ribbons or those badly creased or matted prepare a soda of soft water and any pure soap. Wash the ribbons in this just as you would wash a fine handkerchief; rinse and let it partially dry. Take it down while still damp in all parts and roll it smoothly over a wide card or piece of pasteboard, rolling a piece of clean white muslin over it. Then wrap the muslin around last, so that the ribbon shall be covered, and place the whole under a heavy weight. A letter press is an excellent place in which to press it. Leave it until it shall have had time to dry. The muslin will come out looking fresh and clean and will have lost none of its 'life,' as is the case with ribbons which are pressed with an iron.

"Favorite Nearly Everywhere. Constipation means dullness, depression, headache, generally disordered health. DeWitt's Little Early Risers stimulate the liver, open the bowels and relieve this condition. Safe, speedy and thorough. They never gripe. Favorite Pills.—Gibson Drug Store.

"How to Cook Rice. Wash the rice thoroughly in cold water. The amount of water used in cooking rice should be sufficient to cover it and rise about an inch above it in the cooking vessel. The cold water always and let it come to the boiling point gradually on a fire of medium intensity. When it begins to boil thoroughly, remove the vessel to the back part of the stove or where it may be kept steaming for about fifteen minutes, when it will be sufficiently cooked. This will be manifested by its being point gradually on the bottom. The vessel used must be provided with a cover which fits perfectly tight. A thick iron pot is the best. Put on salt into the rice or water while cooking. The allowance of time for cooking the rice should be forty-five minutes—twenty minutes for it to come to the boiling point and twenty-five minutes for steaming.

"When a man starts for a dentist's office he usually strikes a tooth-burly gait."