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THE NEWSPAPERS.

The Mt. Olive *Telegram* is mistaken as to the authorship of "Sunday Morning."

The *Goldboro Mercury* is to be congratulated upon obtaining our old friend Maj. W. A. Hearn to edit it. He is an editor of marked ability and on certain lines has no equal among North Carolina journalists.

Our friend of the *Rocky Mount Plain Dealer* gives the wrong credit in that tobacco article copied. It belongs to the MESSENGER. We see every week just such mistakes.

The *Tarboro Banner* is decidedly improved.

Our old friend *Dossey Battle* is driving the *faber* for the *Tarboro Southern* and with his accustomed industry and brightness.

The *Farmers' Exchange* is a new and well printed weekly at Fayetteville, published by J. & O. Evans. It begins well and is in the interest of the great farming class.

The *Raleigh Signal* has been revived. It is an indigo-blue Republican paper edited by Mr. J. C. L. Harris, a man of ability, at \$1.50 a year.

The *Nashville Argonaut* is one year old. It is edited by Rev. Dr. B. F. Long and he makes an excellent, able, useful weekly—quite a model of its kind. It is one of the very best of State papers.

PISTOL GRAPHS.

Down with the merciless pistol. It is the foe to civilization and the destroyer of life.

Harrison's own ward at home gave 218 Democratic gain over last year. Excellent! Roll on the ball.

Wilkje Collins asked for a "simple funeral," and it was accorded him. There were no ceremonies or parade, feathers, flowers or crape.

The biggest pumpkin in the Northern fairs have been able to scare up, weighed 130 pounds. Cannot the South beat that?

Vermont and New Hampshire are talking of what? Can you guess? Well of importing foreigners to occupy the vacant lands. That is tough.

When that poor man called the *Czar* goes from home he has to be protected every step he moves by a wall of police and soldiers. He is probably the most miserable man in Europe.

The *Memphis Appeal* is of the opinion that Harrison will not deny anything Private Datzell says as he "knows full well that the private carries a razor in his bootleg."

Hurrah! Hurrah! Right at Harrison's own home the Democrats have gained a victory—the first in fifteen years. They have elected the Mayor of Indianapolis by over 2,000 majority and have five majority in the Board of Aldermen. A most auspicious sign! The Indians are disgusted with the Harrison gang.

It is the same charming Mr. Pearson. What a wonderful preacher! How clear, how earnest, how spiritual, how scriptural, how tender, how pathetic! His tear-tones ought to move a heart of stone. What a great intellectual and spiritual entertainment he gave us on Friday night. He goes to Tarboro, thence to Henderson. Next Spring he proposes under the Divine Will to visit the Holy Land. God go with him and bless him and preserve him from all accidents and bring him safely home! So hundreds promised to pray.

The people of Fayetteville are making preparations for a grand Centennial. They are putting forth great energy and public spirit in this patriotic matter, and we hope that a great gathering will be there. We hope to go ourselves and see people there from Currituck to Cherokee—from the mountains to the seaboard—from the splendid West and bountiful Center and fertile East. Give North Carolina a few days to this celebration that so appeals to the North Carolina heart. Let everybody go. We are sorry to see that ex-President Davis writes to Gov. Fowle that he fears he will not be able to attend on account of his health, but he adds:

"My earnest desire to participate with your people in the celebration of that event causes me still to cherish the hope that it may be in my power to be with you. Should that happily be the case, you will be duly notified when the time is near at hand."

If he shall at last telegraph or write that he is coming what rejoicing there will be. North Carolinians will delight to pay him honor. Grand men, he can well adopt the language of Shakespeare:

"What I did, I did in honor. Led by the impartial conduct of my soul: And never shall you see, that I will beg A ragged and forestall'd remission."

THE PRESBYTERIANS

THE NEW PRESBYTERY TO BE CALLED THE ALBEMARLE.

The First Meeting Will be in Goldsboro November 20th—Treasurer W. S. Primrose Submits His Report and Tenders His Resignation—Foreign and Domestic Missions—Trinity College.

CHARLOTTE, N. C., Oct. 11, 1889.—The Synod convened at 9.30 a. m. and was opened with the Moderator in the chair, and prayer by Ruling Elder E. M. Stephenson.

The report of the treasurer of the Synod was read, received and referred to the standing committee on the treasurer's books.

The treasurer of the Synod, W. S. Primrose, tendered his resignation, which was accepted, and the nomination of his successor referred to the committee on the books of the treasurer.

Ruling Elder G. P. Erwin was added to the committee on treasurer's books.

Rev. H. G. Gilliland offered the report on the records of Orange Presbytery. The report was received and adopted.

Rev. Dr. J. S. Watkins, the Synod's agent of publication and colportage, submitted his annual report. This report showed that \$345.00 had been contributed to this work by the churches. The report was considered at length, the Rev. Messrs. Barclay, Smith, Primrose, Law, Hill and others making speeches on the importance of the work. The report was received and adopted.

A paper was prepared in response to the address of Rev. Dr. J. K. Hazen, the General Assembly's Secretary in the department of publication endorsing his management and strongly commending to the patronage of the people the publications of our own publishing house in Richmond, Va. The paper was adopted.

The report of the Synod's Colporteur, P. C. Ennis, was received and approved.

The report of the trustees of the Synod was received and placed in the hands of a committee for a report.

The hearing of memorial tributes to deceased members of the Synod was made the order of the day after hearing the report of the agent of Foreign Missions and addresses thereon by Rev. Dr. Houston and Rev. E. Lane tonight.

Rev. T. H. Law, district superintendent of the American Bible Society for North and South Carolina delivered an address on the work of the organization he represents.

A resolution was adopted to appoint a committee to make a report suggesting a better method of advancing the work of Bible distribution in the Synod.

All the Presbyterian agents of Sunday Schools were made a committee, of which the Synodical agent is the chairman, to make a report to add if possible to the efficiency of Sunday School work in the Synod. The committee is to report at the next Synod. The Synod took a recess until 3 o'clock p. m.

The Synod, according to the recommendations of the committee on Evangelistic labor, transferred the counties of Randolph and Chatham from the Orange to the Fayetteville Presbytery; and the counties of Ashe, Alleghany, and Wilkes from the Concord to the Orange Presbytery.

The new Presbytery formed out of the Eastern portion of Orange Presbytery was ordered to meet in Goldsboro on the fourth Wednesday in November (the 20th day) for organization. The Rev. J. M. Atkinson, D. D., was appointed to preach the opening sermon and to preside till the election of a Moderator. The new Presbytery is to be known as the Presbytery of the Albemarle, by order of the Synod. It begins with bright prospects of opening many avenues of Evangelization.

The cause of Home Missions has received an impetus greater than ever yet given to this cause by the Synod. The greatest enthusiasm was this afternoon manifested in this great cause.

The Rev. Dr. J. B. Shearer was heard in an eloquent address on the subject of Davidson College and Christian Education. Dr. Shearer is President of Davidson College, and is justly proud of the stand taken by the graduates of Davidson in the Northern Colleges and Universities. There were six prizes offered last year in Princeton Theological Seminary, and the students of Davidson College won four of them, and the fifth one won first position in his class. The only money prize offered last year in Cornell University was won by a Davidson graduate.

The address of Dr. Shearer was highly interesting.

There was a mass meeting in the interest of Foreign Missions at night. The report of the Synodical Agent of Foreign Missions was read and followed with an address by Rev. M. H. Houston, D. D., Secretary of the Executive Committee of Foreign Missions, who always commands the attention of his hearers. The Rev. Edward Lane, of the Synod of Brazil, made a stirring address upon the general cause of Missions, with special reference to the Missions in Brazil. (Many in your city had the pleasure of hearing Mr. Lane last June.) They can imagine the interest he stirred in the Synod and the congregation which assembled to hear him.

It was expected that memorials of deceased ministers of the Synod would be read to-night, but such was the interest manifested in Foreign Missions that it was a late hour when the subject was concluded. These memorials will be considered to-morrow.

A most delightful entertainment was enjoyed by the Synod to-night at the Charlotte Female Institute, through the courtesy of the Principal, Rev. W. R. Atkinson.

A CHICAGO SENSATION.

The Record and Other Evidence in the Cronin Case Stolen—Arrested for Fixing Jurors.

CHICAGO, Oct. 12.—The *Tribune* says: A startling rumor was current in the early hours this morning that the entire official record of the Cronin case had been stolen. The record includes a copy of the proceedings before the coroner's jury, the sworn affidavits of witnesses before the grand jury, portions of the hair, blood clots, cotton batting, and other tangible evidences of crime found in the catch basin, Carlson cottage and the body trunk.

An ex-employee of the State's Attorney's office, who had full access to all the valuable pieces of evidence, is now missing and may be in Canada. The voluminous documentary testimony and more precious, but still bulky material evidences were kept in what was considered a safe place in the State's Attorney's office, to which only trusted employes had access. The ex-employee is said to have several times been seen in the proximity of this vault, which, when he was in the employ of the county, he had abundant opportunity to learn every nook and crevice. The rumor says the work of abstracting the documents is said to have been carried on with such skill that at first blush it seemed to necessitate the co-operation of some one inside the office. The discovery is said to have been made yesterday morning when the necessity of looking up the addresses of witnesses in compliance with an order expected to be entered by Judge McConnell at the morning session of trial which made a reference to affidavits taken before the grand jury imperative. Then it is said that the awful fact presented itself to the State's Attorney and his colleagues that the result of their labors since May 4th had vanished as if by magic.

Judge McConnell convened his court at the appointed time this afternoon to proceed with the Cronin trial, but immediately adjourned until Monday. He announced that the State's Attorney had declared the case could not be proceeded with to-day without injury to the public interest.

Judge Horton issued a venire for a special grand jury, returnable at 12:30 o'clock to investigate the attempts at jury fixing in connection with the Cronin trial. Ex-Mayor Roche is on the grand jury and will be foreman of the body.

Al Hanks and Mark Solomon, criminal court bailiffs, are under arrest, charged with packing the Cronin jury. The first suspicion of this fact was the failure of the men to report for duty this morning. Then it was learned that they were in State's Attorney Longnecker's office yesterday and had not been seen since. Their absence is due to the fact that they were taken to the North Side hotel by several detectives, and have been kept there in close surveillance. The men have been discovered in attempting to corrupt veniremen summoned to Judge McConnell's court, and to instruct those favorable to the prisoners how to answer the questions of the State's Attorney in order to be retained as jurors.

The bailiffs in custody have not at any time been engaged, in summoning jurors for trial, and it was not known that they had any connection with the defense. Neither is an Irishman, but that they have been acting as agents of the defense is almost certain.

Washington Notes.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 12.—[SPECIAL.]—E. A. White, Esq., Revenue Collector is here consulting with Commissioner Mason as to the appointment of a number of special deputies to look after illicit distilling in North Carolina. There is a number of such places reported and these special deputies are to be sent on the war path after the moonshiners. The pay is five dollars a day but the majority of these appointments are good for only about ninety days.

Mr. George Everett, formerly one of the big Sherman leaders of North Carolina is here. He was given a lucrative place in the far Northwest under Arthur's administration at the instance of Mr. Sherman, was bounced under Mr. Cleveland, and is now building up a law practice in his distant home.

The Knights Templar have literally taken the town. A wood cut of Mr. Porter, of Asheville, appeared in the local papers, and the *Star* of this afternoon says:

"Cyrene commandery, No. 5 of Asheville, N. C., attracted much notice by the neat appearance it made in the parade. Twenty-six members of this commandery came last Sunday and are going to remain here another week. They are stopping at No. 515 11th street. Among the members is Sir Knight Wm. E. Randolph, who formerly resided here. The sir knights are much pleased with their trip. They have visited many places of interest during the week, and before returning home will go to Mount Vernon. The officers of the commandery who are here are A. J. Blair, eminent commander; A. H. Cobb, generalissimo; J. A. Wagner, junior warden; Wm. Shopton, standard bearer; J. M. Brockshire, sword bearer; C. D. Blanton, recorder; R. B. Porter, treasurer."

Mrs. J. A. Bonitz, of Wilmington, is at the Metropolitan, accompanied by the children, the Misses Norma and Hilda, and Master Dudley. Quite a number of friends have called on her.

A Congressman resigns.

OSEWEGO, N. Y., Oct. 12.—Hon. N. W. Nutting, Representative in Congress from the 27th district, who has been dangerously ill at his home in this city since the adjournment of Congress, resigned yesterday. His resignation was filed in Albany this morning. The Governor immediately issued a proclamation ordering an election to fill the vacancy, to be held at the same time as the general election, November the fifth.

THE STATE FAIR.

IT WILL BE THE LARGEST ONE EVER HELD IN THE STATE.

Joe Wilson, the Moonshiner in Jail—Big Industrial Display in Raleigh—Next Week—New Stores for Raleigh—The Blind Sery—Fugitive Campaign in Virginia.

MESSENGER BUREAU, RALEIGH, N. C., Oct. 7.

Interest now centers in the State fair, and if the weather remains all right it will be a remarkably successful display in all respects. Secretary P. M. Wilson said to-day that it will be the largest fair ever held in the State. Up to last night there were more entries made in the agricultural department than at any fair on record here, and to-day these exhibits are coming in by the car-load. Johnston county will show 50 bales of cotton and there are all-round displays of sixty entries each. The line of cattle will be unusually large and will show great progress made in this direction in the past few years. There will also be a full line of standard bred horses and light draft horses. The agricultural display fills one-half of the old exposition building, and more room is now needed to contain all the displays.

Joe Wilson, the moonshiner, at whose distillery officer B. B. Bouldin, of the revenue service, was shot last April, was captured yesterday and is now in jail under a capias from the civil authorities. Sugg, who shot Bouldin, is now at large. He is only twenty miles from here and is acting in a very daring manner.

The industrial parade here next Thursday will be a big thing. The Raleigh and Gaston Railroad will have 100 men in line. The Knights of Pythias and military will parade.

The following is the official programme of the State Fair, as prepared to-day. The president, W. G. Upchurch, Herbert Norris, chief marshal, will, on Monday, escort the Governor at 11 a. m., to the Yarboro, whence the procession will move to the Fair Grounds. The Fair will be presented to the Governor, who will officially open it. There will be concerts by a party of pupils from the Oxford Orphan Asylum, pony races, etc., and trial tests of sulky cultivators, potato diggers, etc. The Governor's little daughter, Mary, will, at 1 o'clock, set the machinery in motion. There will be pig races, bag races, wheelbarrow races, climbing the greased pole, etc., for the amusement of the children, to which the whole afternoon will be devoted. There will be a sale of poultry at 3 o'clock.

Thousands of tickets have been distributed to little children under 12 years of age.

In the way of amusements next week Carrie Stanly will appear three nights and Augustin Duly's "A Night Off" Company three nights.

Sheriff J. W. Woody, of Yancey county, to-day brought two prisoners to the penitentiary.

Col. Wharton J. Green was here to-day. He was on his way home from the Warrenton Fair, where he spoke yesterday to the veterans. He is enthusiastic about the Fayetteville Celebration, and believes Mr. Davis will attend if his health permits. Mr. Davis' remarks if he does attend, will be very brief. His health will not permit him to speak at any length.

The weather is very warm; in fact almost oppressive, and its effect is quite debilitating after the frost and ice of the first part of the week.

Two mill men were here to-day from Pennsylvania, on their way home after a visit to Moore and Montgomery county. They have bought 22,000 acres of land in those counties and will erect very large saw mills and employ many laborers.

Some of the old buildings on South Wilmington street have been torn down and are to be replaced by handsome stores.

Sergeant W. H. Hamilton (the blind sergeant major of Col. R. T. Bennett's old regiment) will leave here for the month on the 5th of November, by invitation of the G. A. R., to raise money for the Soldiers Home. He will have two comrades with him and will first go to Pennsylvania. He will spend several months north, and will be very cordially welcomed. He has a unique plan for raising funds.

Wesley Whitaker, Esq., the father of Miss Geneva Whitaker, was noticed on the streets to-day. He looks broken and haggard. He will remove his family to a quiet place in the country near here. The trial and the preceding events have marked his life. He has for years been a magistrate and was for quite a while mayor of Raleigh.

Superintendent E. P. Moses of the public schools, said to-day that there are now 1,500 pupils in attendance. There are five schools, of which two are white. There will soon be a considerable increase in the number of pupils.

The State of Virginia has been flooded with small circular mirrors, in the reverse of which is this inscription: "If in doubt about your Vote, reverse this and look at the color of your skin." This is a practical and new way of owning the color line, and must be effective. North Carolina democrats should make a note of this and get out something as striking for the next campaign.

Senator Ransom's address at the Fayetteville celebration will perhaps be his best effort. He has for some time been engaged in its preparation. It is of course the opportunity of his life.

The Negro Was Not Lynched.

SAVANNAH, Oct. 12.—No negro was lynched near Jesup Thursday as reported in yesterday's press dispatches from Chicago. The negro alluded to was killed by being struck by a bridge while walking on the top of a freight car.

THE EPISCOPAL CONV.

Proposed Changes of the Constitution—Much Opposition to Changes in the Prayer Book.

NEW YORK, Oct. 12.—The tenth day's session of the Protestant Episcopal Convention was opened this morning with regular services conducted by Rev. Nathaniel Harding, of the East Carolina Diocese, assisted by Bishop Nealy, of Maine. There was comparatively a small attendance. Dr. Dix presided. A number of members were absent at St. Thomas' Church attending the consecration of Rev. William Andrew Leonard, the new Bishop of Ohio. The House was called to order at 10:10. Rev. W. Tallock, Secretary of the House of Bishops, presented several messages from the upper house proposing changes in the prayer book, which were referred to the committee in charge of the prayer book.

Dr. Elliott of the committee on amendments to the constitution read a long and interesting paper and presented the following resolutions as the result of their labors:

Resolved, The House of Bishops concurring, that the following change be made in article nine of the constitution and that the proposed alteration be made known to the Diocesan Conventions that the same may be adopted in the next general convention, in accordance with the provisions of article nine of the constitution. Change the words "a majority" in line second to "two-thirds" so that it shall read as follows: "This constitution shall be unalterable unless changed in general convention by the church in two-thirds of the dioceses which may have adopted the same etc."

Resolved, The House of Bishops concurring, that the following change be made in article eight of the constitution, and that the proposed alteration be made known to the several diocesan conventions in order that same may be adopted in the ensuing general convention, namely: Change the words "a majority" in two places to "two-thirds," and add the words "provided that this amendment shall take effect after the general convention of 1892."

Rev. Mr. Converse, of Mass. presented the report of the committee on the state of church, recommending increased interest on the part of church members in raising a pension fund for aged clergymen. It was placed on next week's calendar. After thanking the committee on the revision of the Hymnal Dr. Huntington moved that the order of the day (the report of the committee on Liturgical revision) be taken up. This was agreed to, and then the deputy desired that the report of the minority be read.

After a long discussion it was resolved that the minority of the committee should be permitted to read their report to the house. The announcement of the result was received with some applause, whereupon the president said that a standing rule of the house provided that there should be no applause. The report of the minority of the committee on Liturgical Revision, was then read by Rev. W. J. Gold. It concludes with the following resolution:

Resolved, That the revision of the Prayer Book be brought to an end at the present session of the General Convention with the ratification of such propositions of the Convention of 1886 as may seem best. The House then adjourned.

Baseball.

WASHINGTON, October 12.—The following is the record made by the clubs in the various games played yesterday:

At Cincinnati—
Rain—St. Louis and Cincinnati game not played.
At Philadelphia—
Baltimore.....2 0 0 0 1—3
Athletic.....0 0 3 1 3 0—7
Basehits, Athletic 9, Baltimore 6.
Errors, Athletic 3, Baltimore 6.
Batteries, McMahan and Robinson, Kilroy and Tate.
At Louisville—
Kansas City.....0 0 0 1 0 1 0 2—4
Louisville.....0 0 0 0 0 1 1 4—6
Basehits, Kansas City 9, Louisville 10.
Errors, Kansas City 3, Louisville 3.
Batteries, Pears and Donahue, Ehret and Ryan.
At Columbus—
Columbus.....0 0 0 0 1 0 0 1 5—7
Brooklyn.....0 0 0 4 0 1 0 0—5
Basehits, Columbus 10, Brooklyn 3.
Errors, Columbus 1, Brooklyn 3.
Batteries, Baldwin and Connor, Caruthers and Visser.

President.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 12.—The President made the following appointments to-day: Andrew W. Smythe, of Louisiana, to be Superintendent of the mint of the United States at New Orleans, La.; Charles A. Cook, of North Carolina, to be Attorney of the United States for the Eastern District of North Carolina; Simon S. Matthews, of Mississippi, to be Marshal of the United States for the Southern district of Mississippi; Benjamin W. Walker, of Alabama, to be Marshal of the United States for the Middle and Southern districts of Alabama.

Special Movements.

NEW YORK, Oct. 12.—Exports of specie from the port of New York last week amounted to \$721,017, of which \$58,100 was in gold and \$662,917 in silver. Of the total exports, \$11,000 in gold and \$452,662 in silver went to Europe and \$47,100 in gold and \$10,255 in silver to South America.

Imports of specie for the week amounted to \$27,964, of which \$9,351 was in gold and \$18,613 in silver.

Weekly Bank Statement.

NEW YORK, Oct. 12.—Weekly bank statement. Reserve increase \$960,025. Loans decrease \$4,070,300. Specie increase \$1,835,300. Legal tenders decrease \$2,152,200. Deposits decrease, \$5,107,700. Circulation decrease \$13,200. Banks now hold \$70,578 less than the 25 per cent rule calls for.

NEWS IN EUROPE.

BISMARCK GAINS HIS DESIRED INTERVIEW WITH THE CZAR.

The Emperor and the Czar Go Hunting Together—The Firmness on a 7,000 Mile Steamer Strike—The Czar Mak's an Important Speech Pleading to the Russians.

BERLIN, Oct. 12.—(Copyright)—Prince Bismarck will have another conference with the Czar to-morrow or Monday morning. Yesterday's conference was chiefly occupied by Bismarck in reading to the Czar a memorandum on the aims of an European alliance of peace.

The Czar's subsequent friendly and even affable demeanor toward Prince Bismarck proved that he took the Chancellor's exposition with good natured courtesy.

The presence of an English squadron at Kiel was meant to impress upon the Czar the fact of English co-operation. Just as Emperor William's visit to Constantinople makes the admission of Turkey into the Peace League, Bismarck is represented as advising the Czar that in view of this coalition, what Russia had best do is to accept the policy of conciliation, recognize Prince Ferdinand as Ruler of Bulgaria, and aid the other great powers in effecting a permanent peace programme that will ultimately result in decreased armaments and increased prosperity of the different people.

Prince Bismarck received the Austrian Ambassador. Articles published in the official *Abendpost* and *Freidenkblatt* on the following day express the supreme confidence that nothing will be done in Berlin to weaken mutual ties. The *Freidenkblatt* hopes that the meeting will have weighty consequences, remove misunderstanding about the objects of the allied powers, and induce the Czar to assist in giving Europe a sense of permanent security. The official press here remains silent on the probable results until the Czar's departure. The *National Gazette* records the impression of the highest circles that the visit will increase the cordiality of the relation between the two monarchs.

BERLIN, Oct. 12.—Emperor William went to the Russian Embassy at 7 o'clock this morning and met the Czar. At 7:15 their Majesties started for Hubertusstock where the day will be devoted to hunting. The Emperor and his Imperial visitor enjoyed a good day's sport in the forest. Both displayed skillful marksmanship, killing a number of red and fallow deer. Shortly after noon they took luncheon in the open, guarded by cuirassiers. After the repast they resumed the shooting and returned to Berlin this evening.

LIVERPOOL, Oct. 12.—The firemen on the Cunard line steamer *Umbria*, who belong to the Union, struck to-day because non-Union men were employed on the vessel. The strike will delay the sailing of the steamer a few hours.

BERLIN, Oct. 12.—The *Tagblatt* says: The short speech made by the Czar at the banquet at the Schloss last evening shows that he is determined to preserve a free hand. The *Forstliche Zeitung* says everything indicates that the Czar's visit to the Emperor is purely a personal matter and is essentially independent of political affairs.

A Shocking Anniversary.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Oct. 12.—A special to the *Times* from St. Joseph, Mo., says: For a week Mr. and Mrs. Richard J. Ambrose have been missing, but their absence attracted no attention until Thursday when Ambrose's half brother, by whom the latter was employed, attempted to find him. Upon entering the rooms in the tenement where Ambrose and his wife lived a horrible spectacle was presented. Mrs. Ambrose lay dead on a straw pallet on the floor, and in a corner of the room lay her husband in the last stages of delirium tremens. The body of the woman was turned over to the coroner and Ambrose was taken to the hospital. Physicians say he will die.

A week ago last Thursday Mrs. Ambrose informed her neighbors that it was the tenth anniversary of their wedding and told them that they had arranged to celebrate the event in "grand style," as she expressed it. Ambrose laid in a stock of whiskey and he and his wife celebrated their marriage anniversary by drinking, keeping it up whenever they awoke from their drunken stupor, for ten days. During the week succeeding neither of them ate a mouthful of food.

The neighbors of the unfortunate couple say that Mr. and Mrs. Ambrose were in the habit of getting drunk for ten days at a time about every two months. They would lock themselves in their rooms and admit no one. During these debauches they never quarrelled and always appeared to be very fond of each other. The coroner's jury brought in a verdict that Mrs. Ambrose died of alcoholism and starvation.

A Bishop Consecrated.

NEW YORK, Oct. 12.—At St. Thomas Church this morning Rev. Dr. Leonard was made Bishop of the Protestant Episcopal Church. The diocese of Southern Ohio chose him as their Assistant Bishop. The General Convention consented to his election and the House of Bishops concurred in the action of the House of Deputies. The Presiding Bishop of the House, Rt. Rev. Dr. Williams, consecrated the new Bishop. His precursors were Bishops Paret and Vincent. A sermon was preached by Bishop Doane of Albany.

Bond Offerings.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 12.—Bond offerings to-day aggregated \$119,500; all accepted at 127 fo. fours and 1.05 fo. fours and a halfs.