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#### THE RAILROADS.

ARRIVAL AND DEPARTURE OF TRAINS. RICHMOND AND DANVILLE RAILROAD. Arrives from Richmond at ..... 9.43 a m

	Leaves	for Ri	chmond a	it 8.32 a m	
	**		"	9.55 p m	
		N	ORTH CA	ROLINA RAILROAD.	
	Arrives	from	Charlott	e at 8.22 a m	
•	**	••	**	9.40 pm	
	Leaves	for C	harlotte a	at 9.48 a m	
	6.0		**	10.44 p m	
	Arrives	from	Goldsbo	ro at 9.30 p m	
		**	"	10.20 p m	
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	Leaves	for G	oldsboro	at 9.50 a m	
	4.		44	6.00 a m	
			4	10.20 p m	

NORTH-WESTERN N. C. RAILROAD Arrives from Salem at..... 8.00 a m Leaves for Salem at ..... 10.00 a m C. F. AND Y. V. RAILROAD. Arrives from Fayetteville at ..... 6.15 p m

Leaves for Fayetteville at ..... 10.00 a m THE POSTOFFICE.

half east of Tyro. J. D. Mitchem came upon the destroyed bones of mammoth proportions. The remains thus far searched for, were found at a there is a steamer leaving Rio every depth of not more than two feet in a three or four days for England, while CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., April 20.-John Ray and William Carson were neighbors in James county, this marshy place just east of the house, and that other bones will be found is quite sure. The bones are of unusual proportions, but are mostly so far destroyed as to render it impossible to measure them. The teeth of the animal are almost perfectly preserved because of the enamel. The largest tooth found measured six and three quarter inches in length, four inches in width, and twenty inches in circum-ference, and weighed two pounds and ten ounces. The other teeth diminish in size to the smallest, which is three. inches each way, and weighs less than one pound. These are the second remains of this class found in this sec-

#### TELEGRAPHIC BRIEFS.

ST. PETERSBURG, April 20. Six of the prisoners implicated in the attempt of March 13th to assassinate the Czar have been sentenced to death and the remainder to imprisonment for life,

BALTIMORE, Md., April 20. The jury in the trial of James H. Hamlin and Henry Heintzerling, judges of election in the Eighteenth Ward, brought in a verdict of guilty to-day. The defendants appealed.

LONDON, Apr. 20. Mr. J. G. Biggar, Parnellite member of Parliament for of the Times to the bar of the House West Cavan, has brought suit against ports, then loads with our cotton and resolved: That in the death of Col. o substantiate the authenticity of the the Times for libel, for the publication nellism and Crime."

# by which steamers from the United States would run between the two

countries as often as the steamers; of England and France. For instance, there is but one steamer a month that leaves for the United States." While not believing in large sums of money being appropriated for subsidies, yet the Governor thinks that if our Government would pay say, the net sum of \$250,000, to a steamboat company which would run a line of steamers weekly to touch at Para City of Marombau, City of Pernambuco, Bahia, Rio Janeiro, Santos, Montevideo and Beunos Ayers, in time the United States would have as great a trade with Brazil and the other South American countries as England and France. Brazil already pays a subsidy of \$100,000 a year to a steamboat company for running a steamer from the United States to Brazilian ports once a month. The Argentine Republic is willing to give \$100,000 per annum to a company that will run a steamer to ber ports once a week. Now, if the United States will fall in line and give \$250,000 for a steamer to run once a week, \$450.000 would be the total countries. A company undertaking to run a steamer once a week between ports in the United States and these countries would thus receive \$450,000 in subsidies and the freight receipts.

There is a company which runs steamers from Brazil now, which

weetheart, good night!

Some time we will not need to part,

The clock strikes twelve. How swift time flies!

Adieu, my heart !

For I must jog. What ! jog ? Nay, fly on swiftest

wings; Your father's coming, and he's got the dog

With him, by jings !

#### ENVOI.

- Swift through the night A youth flies with a dog behind, cruel pa grins with delight-
- Why so unkind?

A maid bewails

A lover's fate, and she has cause, A dog returns, two frock coat tails Between his jaws.

## -Boston Courier.

## RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT.

At a called meeting of the Greensboro Tobacco Association on April amount of all the subsidies of the three 8th, a Committee was appointed to draft suitable resolutions relative to the death of Colonel D. B. Bell, who died on March 19th, 1887. The following was unanimously adopted :

WHEREAS, the Supreme Ruler of the Universe in his inscrutable wisdom has seen fit to call another member of brings the Brazilian Coffees to our our trade to his eternal home. Be it

"We need something more than good men-of-war if we should have a little bout with Britain," said an ex-naval officer. "We also need good American seamen; men who love their country and can be relied on in battle. These we have not. Why, do you know that fully two-thirds of our sailors are foreign born, with foreign affections, and without a thought of becoming citizens of the country from which they earn their substance? These men are undoubtedly good seamen, but if a great naval war came on, to which their native countries were parties, would you consider them reliable? They serve us solely because we pay them a little more, give them better rations and clothes and more privileges; so they could not be held by motives of patriotism and might desert us at a critical moment. I am sure I would not like to command a man-of-war in war times with two-third of my men foreigners, perhaps in sympathy with

the very nation I am fighting." "How did all these foreigners get

into the United States navy?" asked the reporter.

"Because, in the first place, we are not a nation of seamen, and it is hard to get Americans to go aboard our vessels. Then, it seems that the naval authorities have a particular love for foreign seamen and accept them more readily than Americans." "Why?"

"Because foreign sailors, especially the Dutch, Swedes, and Norwegians, are servile, cringing, and will submit to treatment that no American would brook. They are said by the naval officers to be more amenable to discipline, but the fact is they are liked because they have been used to brutal treatment and show no signs of objection to it."-Cor. S. Terris Republican.

#### She Enjoyed the Picture.

A lady who resides on Delaware avenue has a girl in her employ fresh some region far removed from the thehave been deprived of one of our ater. Thinking to give the girl a grand treat, and knowing that she had never seen a theater, the lady purchased a ticket for a play at the opera-house. The girl went, but returned before 9 o'clock. "What is the matter? Did you not like it?" asked the mistress. "Oh, I liked it ever so much; it's a fine painting." "But," inquired her mistress, "why have you returned so soon? Surely you did not see it all." "Yes, ma'am, I did. I went in and sat down and looked at the large picture hanging up in front. People kept coming in and pretty soon there was quite a crowd, all looking at the picture. Then they took it away, and some men and women went to talking up there where it had been about something that didn't concern me, so-I got up and came home. But I enjoyed the picture."\_ Wilmington (Del.) News.

the Parnell forged letter.

ed the intention to summons the editor letter, it was resolved to invite Mr. of articles under the caption of "Par-Parnell to move the summons or have the entire matter submitted to the Committee of the House as Mr. Parnell might elect. Mr. Parnell being absent at the time, leading members of the Nationalist party were consulted. After a brief discussion they rejected the proposal.

tion.

State, and were good friends until yesterday afternoon, when they quar-relled about a piece of land. Both men drew their weapons and simul-taneously fired. Both were instantly killed, Carson being shot through the temple and Ray receiving a bullet in his heart.

Both Instantly Killed.

Extra Session of W. Va. Legislature.

CHARLESTOWN, W. Va., April 20 .-The State Legislature re-convened in special session to-day upon the call of Governor Wilson, for the purpose of passing the appropriation bills. Noth-ing was said in the Governor's proclamation about the senatorial vacancy, but it is, conceded that balloting will be resumed after the financial business has been disposed of.

#### General Foreign News.

LONDON, April 20.-In the lobby of the House of Commons this morning prominent Liberal members had an informal meeting on the affair of

The government having reconsider-

Mails for the North close at 8.00 a. m. and 9.00 p.m. Charlotte " 9.00 9.00

- Raleigh 9.00 " 9.00 Salem 0.00
- Fayetteville " 9.00 The money order and registered letter office will

only be open from 800 a. m. to 7 p. m. General Delivery is open from 7 a.m. until 8 p.m. -except when opening mails. Also, 15 minutes after

opening the Eastern night mail.

Sunday hours, for general delivery, 8.00 a. m. for half hour ; and half hour after the opening of the mails from both North and South. The lock-boxes are from 6.00 a. m. to 10;30 p. n

### RESIDENT CLERGYMEN.

Presbyterian :

Dr. J. Henry Smith, N. Church St. Rev. E. W. Smith, Asheboro St. S. Greensboro **Baptist** : Kev. W. R. Gwaltney, S. Elm St., South Greensbord Methodist Episcopal. Rev. J. E. Mann, W. Market St. " G. F. Smith, S. Greensboro. Methodist Protestant : Rev. J. L. Michaux, N. Greene St. " J. R. Ball, Spring St. Episcopal : Rev. A. H. Stubbs, N. Elm St.

PRODUCE MARKET

Apples-green, per bu..... 1.00ar.50 Bacon-hog round .....aq Chickens-old ..... 15a20 Peaches, unpared 1-2, 2 1-2 " unpared 1-4, Flaxseed......75 Rags-Cotton.....I Wheat ......\$1a1 25 RETAIL PRICES OF GROCERIES. Coffee-Rio.....19 2-3810 PATENTS. Inventors and patentees and all hav-

ing business with the U. S. Patent Office are invited to communicate with me

The Times repeats that it has procured specimens of Mr. Parnell's signature, written about the time of the letter, in addition to those previously mentioned, and challenges Mr. Parnell to an investigation in the law courts or elsewhere.

The publication of Lord Salisbury's dispatch on the fishery dispute has created a bad impression in the political circles and is welcomed by the Liberals as one of the best possible electioneering cards for the next appeal to the country. The dispatch is attacked as the most abject back down ever since the acceptance of Boer supremacy in the Transvaal.

The colonial conference to-day appointed a sub-committee to examine and report on the question of a readjustment of British and colonial tariffs, with a view to the improvement of trade in home products and the imposition of suitable import duties on all articles of foreign growth and manufacture coming into direct competition with native industries.

A Berlin dispatch to-day states that there has been medical consultation in relation to the cancer in the tongue, from which the Crown Prince of Germany is suffering. It is beleived that tho patient will recover.

#### Lord Salisbury's Dispatch.

LONDON, April 20 .- The official dispatch of Lord Salisbury, sent on March 24th to Sir Lionel Sackville West, the British Minister at Wash-tion of the United States in denouncing the articles in the treaty of Washington with regard to Canadian fisheries, was in a great degree, the result of disappointment on the part of the United States for having been called upon to pay £1,100,000, (\$5,500,000) under the Halifax fisheries award, offers to revert to the old condition of affairs without pecuniary indemnity, which it trusts will commend itself to the American government as being based upon a spirit of good will and generosity which should animate two great kindred nations, whose common origin, language and institutions, constitute so many bends of amity and concord.

A Gambling House Raid.

NORWALK, Ohio, April 20. A telegram from Voltaire, Kan., says: Capt. Fred H. Boalt, of this city. who occupies a government claim 16 miles from Voltaire, was found dead in his cabin on Monday, shot through the head. It is thought he was murdered by claim jumpers.

MONTREAL, Quebec, April 20. The Protestant ministers are earnestly protesting against the bill now before the Quebec Legislature, proposing to place crucifixes in all courts of law for the purpose of strengthening the oaths of witnesses. The ministers say it is a serious outrage upon the religious convictions of Protestants.

#### SMILES.

A young man who has been jilted a halt dozen times, is going around town trying to organize a love insurance company.

It is said of a great man just dead, that "he began life a barefooted boy." We will venture to say that he began it bareheaded, too.

"Say, Jim, do you carry a pocketpiece ?" "Yes, most of the time." "What is it, gold or silver ?" "Neither it's a pawn ticket."

"Oh ! for a muse of fire," sings the spring poet. That fellow should live on kerosene cocktails and sit near a red-haired orator.

Boston has a Co-operative Milk Association. Co-operative milk is produced by the addition of water, and the stuff is not confined to Boston.

Employer-Young man, you don't know beans ! Employee-Don't be incautious in your statements, sir. I came here from a coffee factory.

Pastor-Well, what did you young people realize at your entertainment? Member of the committee-we have just realized that we are \$25 out.

"What is filling our insane asylums?" asks a patent-medicine advertisement. Well, there are 350,000 brass bands in this country, and the number is rapidly increasing.

#### Base Ball Yesterday.

Baltimore-Athletic, 2; Baltimore, Cincinnati-Cincinnati, 14; Cleveland, 5. Louisville-Louisville, 6; St. Louis, Pittsburg-Pittsburg, 12; Altoona, New York-New York, 8; Jersey City, 2. Brooklyn-Brooklyn, 12; Metropol-

tobacco and sails for England. Arriving at England this cargo is discharged, and a car load of English manufactured goods are taken on and carried to Brazil. Thus articles manufactured in England from raw materials obtained from American markets, have a greater sale in South American countries than our manufactured goods made of our own materials, Then there are a large number of manufactured articles shipped from this country to England, there repacked and restamped and shipped to Brazil. In fact English goods in Brazil have such a hold that it would require some length of time for the merchants of this country to cater to the Brazilian trade in a manner that would be satis-

factory to them. We now have but a steamer a month, and if an order from a Brazilian merchant was late on reaching the steamer the order could not be shipped until the next boat left, one month hence. Governor Jarvis informs us that Virginia tobacco shipped to England in bulk is there manufactured and shipped to Brazil in fancy packages, and has a large sale. He also says that the United States ought surely be able to manufacture its own materials and sell them as cheap as the Englishmen can, for the Englishmen buys from the United States, then manufactures and ships to Brazil, thus causing the article to cross the ocean twice. He thinks that steamers of less than 2,000 tons burden should not be used.

#### A Snake Story.

Gen Lilley, who fought under Gen Jubal Early on the Confederate side has been visiting friends in this city, The General lost an arm at the battle of Carter's farm in 1862. He says that when he was struck by the bullet he fell among some rocks. While lying on his back in a perfectly helpless and weak condition a huge rattlesnake crawled on his breast and when half way across stopped. Then his snakeship stretched his head on a flat stone and curled his rattles on the other side of the General. Several wounded men on their way to the rear came along and he did not know what to do to attract their attention. If he shouted it would arouse the reptile to pernicious activity. There he was, wounded by a Northern bullet and held a prisoner by a snake. He finally mustered sufficient strength to raise his unwounded arm and one of the soldiers saw the signal. He approached, and on getting near the prostrate officer saw the horrible situation of affairs at a glance. He walked a short distance hack, picked up a sword from the side of a dead lieutenant, and creeping up slowly behind cut the rattle in two. "I suppose," said Gen. Lilley, "the rattlesnake was across my

D. B. Bell, we fully realize that we honored members whose loss we deeply deplore, and whose memory will ever be cherished by the members of this Association.

Resolved, That we hereby tender to his bereaved family our sincere sympathy in their bereavement.

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be spread on the minutes of this Association. That a copy also be sent to the family of the deceased. And that this action of the committee be given the city papers for publication.

> W. E. BEVILL, H.W. HOLCOMBE H. E. HARMON, Committee.

### Detectives' Work.

"The public," said a detective to a reporter for the New York Mail and Express, "thinks that the most difficult part of our work is in discovering a clew. That is a mistake. The hardest task is found usually in keeping a suspect under our eyes. I'll give you an instance. Supposing I am on a big case, and believe I know the culprit. I have to follow him all over the city. town, and country in the hope of securing convincing evidence of his guilt. Ten chances to one he is a real sport, and always moving. He visits this and that liquor store, travels into that and this house, and now and then steals into the theater, gambling-house, or some other resort. Well, no matter where he goes, I must always be on hand to follow him still further when he comes forth again. Sometimes, when in a liquor saloon, he will remain two or three hours drinking and talking with friends. It would not do for me to go inside, for his guilty conscience might cause him to suspect me. I am therefore compelled to stay in the freezing air until he chooses to come out. Tracking suspects down-town is also bad, because the majority of business houses in the lower districts have an entrance on two different streets. While you are watching the door on this side the fellow may be getting away through the other. Winter is no time for detective work, and I know it from experience."

Buffalo has natural gas now which is brought eighty-seven miles by pipes.

#### Wanted,

Buyers for good fresh Butter, Eggs, Dried Apples, Sweet Potatoes, &c. apzzti HOUSTON BROS.

#### Astronomy.

A large telescope will be on the Court House square during the re- dug its grave with his paws. When breast for fully half an hour. I was mainder of the week, showing Saturn the grave was prepared he put its untoo weak from the loss of blood to move a limb and what breath was left moons, and other celestial bodies. Explanations will be given by the Five lots with buildings on themtwo vacant lots. There are four never-failing wells on the property. This tomb and started off on a run. The block fronts on three streets, Wash- dog soon caught him and buried him ington, Davie and Swaim. The prop-erty can be bought on reasonable terms. M. T. HUGHES. terms. Just received-a fresh lot of Country Butter, Sweet and Irish potatoes.

J. A. GROOME.

During the past year \$13,284,986 was expended for educational purposes in the State of New York. Of this amount \$9,102,268 was for teachers" wages. There are \$1,325 school teachers and 1,735,073 school children in the State.

A man in Cumberland county, Tennessee, found a crock containing 1,500 pieces of old money resembling \$20 gold pieces, and thought he was suddenly enriched to the amount of \$30,-000. But an application of acid showed the metal to be mainly copper, and suddenly his feelings fell to zero.

In California, writes a correspondent, every collection of animals of any sort is called a "band." A herd of cattle, a flock of sheep, a party of Indians-anything and everything that walks-when seen in numbers, is known as a band, and it is regarded as a sure sign of being a "tenderfoot" to use any other term.

The island of Juan Fernandez is to be rendered of more practical value than it was in the days of Robinson Crusoe. An enterprising individual in Valparaiso advertises that he will run a steamer so as to enable all to pass a vacation there who wish to escape the chances of cholera in Valparaiso.

Dr. Edward H. Leffingwell of New Haven, Conn., now over 80 years of age, has a collection of autographs and engraved portraits for which he has paid not less than \$20,000. In early life he was professor of toxicology in a Missouri college. He subsequently visited Peru, where he married a lady of high family.

The Romney (Me.) Independent tells a story of a dog that tried to bury a live rabbit which he had caught. He held the rabbit in his mouth while he willing occupant into it, covered it up carefully and, after patting the dirt with its paws, retired to a little distance and lay down, watching it. Presently bunny, doubtless thinking judgment day had arrived, arose from the again. Three times the little animal resurrected itself, and each time the dog caught and buried it, but on the fourth trial concluded that the rabbit was a little too lively for a corpse, and killed it before proceeding with the obsequies.

with confident reliance upon my fidelity JAMESTOWN, N. Y., April 20.-Ed. itans, 3. Nashville-Nashville, 12: Charles-Perry's gambling rooms were raided to their interests. in me was kept at a very low ebb, so as not to disturb the reptile."-N. Y. astronomer. New inventions patented. Old invenby the police last night, and ten men ton, 8. tions improved, and rejected applica-tions revived. Caveats filed. Tradewere captured, among them were Harry Williams and John Kane, who World. The barbed-wire fence is on trial in Marks registered. Prompt attention. Skilltul service. Moderate charges. Send model or hours in which to leave town, and one of the Pennsylvania counties, suit having been brought for damages to a Wanted to Hire. A good house with 6 or more rooms. horse that ran against a wire lence, and near the court house. P. O Box 235 sustained injuries. Arbitrators decided that the owner of the fence was responsketch for free report as to patentability. Williams was held in \$500 bail. Soon Fruit! Fruit! Preliminary information cheerfully after Kane left the court room, a house sible for damages. The case will probturnished. on Buffalo street was entered by a I have just received a large and fresh lot of Fruit, such as Bananas, A. S. YANTIS, Solicitor of American and Foreign Pat-brought back and held. The author-and the decision will be important not Solicitor of American and Foreign Pat-ents, 816 F Street, N. W., Washington, ities say that Kane's picture is in the only in Pennsylvania, but in other kinds. D. C. rogues' gallery. Jamestown is just States .- Richmond Whig. M. K. CALLUM. 21-IW.