

THE GOLD LEAF.

THURSDAY, JANUARY 24, 1907.

Fares, a Flat Rate, and Needed Railroad Legislation.

Charlotte Observer.

Senator Graham of Orange, tells the Raleigh correspondent of the Observer that he is confident the Legislature will fix railroad fares at approximately 2 1/2 cents for first-class and 2 cents for second-class and that one fare at a flat rate of 2 1/2 cents would not be satisfactory to the public.

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Roosevelt and the Negro. Negro preachers who continue to criticize President Roosevelt for dismissing the black battalion for its disgraceful and murderous conduct at Brownsville, Texas, are not helping the cause, and the race must suffer because of the unscrupulous and unscrupulous leaders.

President Roosevelt must admit the senate was too clear to admit of any misunderstanding or miscomprehension. He showed that he simply did what the good of the United States army demanded.

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Our Raleigh Letter.

GORMAN NEWS BUREAU, Raleigh, N. C., Jan. 21.

The third week's work of the General Assembly began today at noon with every prospect of a busy week.

Among these is the Aycock anti-trust bill introduced by the senator from Wayne last Friday and which is now in the hands of the senate judiciary committee.

The important bills introduced early in the session by Senator Graham and others to regulate the railway operation and reduce the rates of transportation and for other purposes will be considered by the senate committee on railroads.

There appears to be a largely shared disposition among the legislators, so far as the readjustment of passenger rates is concerned, to make the first-class fare two and a half cents, maximum.

The important bills affecting the life insurance business that have so far been introduced are in the hands of the committee and they will probably not come up in the senate proper this week.

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The famous insane asylum case was tried here during the past week and after consuming three days ended Friday night in the acquittal of the defendant charged with the death of the patient.

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GORMAN NEWS BUREAU, Raleigh, N. C., Jan. 4.

I have never known the first five days of the session of our General Assembly of North Carolina in any year to have been crowded with more interest than that of the present Legislature during the past week and the prospects are that this will be the most important and interesting session that has marked the progress and development of the State.

As in all years ago the demagogue and the political trickster is here again and their presence will be felt in both branches of the Legislature, but they are greatly outnumbered by the serious and patriotic sons of the Old North State who have come here at the bidding of their people and the call of their State to serve them and to better the welfare and advancement of all the people and all the interests of the State that stand for its higher enlightenment and material and moral advancement.

But in their views of these matters they will honestly differ and for a Legislature made up largely of the members of only one political organization there is good to be expected of a spirited scrapping during the next sixty days.

During the past week a number of bills were introduced that will provoke a lot of discussion. There has already been an avalanche of bills designed to "regulate" railroads and other corporations.

Fully a score of bills variously worded have already found their way into the legislative hopper calling for passenger and freight rates, and one of them even attempts to stipulate how and in what manner passengers shall enter and leave railroad coaches.

Chronic Constipation Cured. One who suffers from chronic constipation is in danger of many serious ailments.

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