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ANGRY WORDS.

U. S. Senators Indulge in More Bitter Talk Than Has Been Heard in the Senate in Years. Lodge and Teller Nearly Go to Blows. Wrathful Passage Between Tillman and Spooner.

Washington, Jan. 28.—A Philippine storm was central in the senate chamber today for nearly three hours but was void of definite results. At times it looked very serious, and the spectators, who thronged the galleries, watched it with breathless interest.

Acrimony in senate debates is not frequent, but old senators say it has been years since there has been such a hurrying of bitter vituperation, of personal taunt, of ugly charges and of unmodified criticism as was witnessed today. Not since the discussion of the resolutions leading up to the Hispano-American war have any such scenes occurred in the senate. Even that debate lacked the personal bitterness manifested at times today.

Irritation was aroused on both sides of the chamber and once or twice personal encounters between senators seemed imminent. Once when Senator Teller taunted the Republican senators by declaring they knew the statements made in a recent dispatch from Manila in which General Wheaton was represented as criticising the opponents of the government's policy in the Philippines were true, a half dozen Republicans were on their feet in an instant. Senator Lodge, at whom the taunt seemed aimed particularly, hurriedly crossed from his seat in the center of the Republican side to the main aisle of the senate, and, white to the lips, passionately challenged the statement of the Colorado senator and demanded that he withdraw it. Senator Teller so modified the statement that further hostilities at that time were averted.

One of the sharpest colloquies of the session was between Senators Spooner, of Wisconsin, and Tillman, of South Carolina. The race problem, involving the lynching of negroes was injected into the controversy and much feeling was manifested. Senators, in their excitement, seemed for the moment to have forgotten the subject of debate. The chair (Mr. Frye) was able, with difficulty, to maintain order. When the discussion finally ended for the day the chair felt called upon seriously to admonish senators that the rules of the body had not been observed, and after reading the rule which had been violated he expressed the hope that in the future senators would have a care to observe it. Such an admonition has not been made by the presiding officer of the senate in many years.

Cotton Market.

Futures on the New York cotton exchange closed today as follows:
January 8, March 8.08, May 8.14.
Spot cotton on the Kinston market 7 1/2.



Every woman in the country ought to know about

Mother's Friend

Those who do know about it wonder how they ever got along without it. It has robbed childbirth of its terrors for many a young wife. It has preserved her girlish figure and saved her much suffering. It is an external liniment and carries with it therefore, absolutely no danger of upsetting the system as drugs taken internally are apt to do. It is to be rubbed into the abdomen to soften and strengthen the muscles which are to bear the strain. This means much less pain. It also prevents morning sickness and all of the other discomforts of pregnancy.

A druggist of Macon, Ga., says: "I have sold a large quantity of Mother's Friend and have never known an instance where it has failed to produce the good results claimed for it."

A prominent lady of Lambert, Ark., writes: "With my first six children I was in labor from 24 to 30 hours. After using Mother's Friend, my seventh was born in 4 hours."

Get Mother's Friend at the drug stores, 50c per bottle.
THE BRADFIELD REGULATOR CO., ATLANTA, GA.
Write for our free illustrated book, "SAFE BABY IN BIRTH."

GROWTH OF ADVERTISING.

Fifty Years Ago Considered by Many a Waste of Money.

YOUTH'S COMPANION. Fifty years ago it was considered beneath the dignity of many substantial concerns to advertise beyond the insertion in the newspapers of an occasional business card. Some of the experiences of that time show how recently advertising, as we know it, has developed.

A retail hardware house in an eastern city once found itself possessed of ten times the number of articles of a certain kind that it had intended to buy. As they had been ordered especially for a new hotel and were of a peculiar design, there seemed to be no way of disposing of them except at a merely nominal sum.

One of the younger men connected with the concern offered to "move them" at a fair price provided he be permitted to advertise. The suggestion encountered much opposition, but finally a small sum was set apart to carry it out. The advertisement was drafted in an attractive way, and the people soon began to buy the new article. Finally the house was obliged to send to the manufacturers for more. When the next season's trade opened, the member of the firm who had opposed the experiment whispered to the young man that he had better write out a few notices "and put them in the papers."

From such beginnings the advertising practice has come. Thousands of dollars are now spent not only in advertising itself, but in devising clever catch words, ingenious phrases and illustrations which will stick in the memory of the reader as well as new general methods. No doubt money may be wasted in ineffective advertising or in advertising worthless goods; but, on the other hand, fortunes are made where there is in an article a happy union between publicity and merit.

Got His Price.

"Away over on the east side of the city," said a New Yorker, "lies the shop of a well known butcher, who rejoices in the euphonious and suggestive name of 'Four Cent Miller.' He sells meat in smallest quantity to his customers, and, as the coin of the realm in that locality is principally conspicuous by its absence, there is a constant effort to beat him down in price. The other day Miller and a would be customer all but came to blows over a pound or so of pork chops, and the discussion finally culminated in Miller irately demanding:

"Well, why don't you go to Smith (a rival butcher) if you can get them cheaper?"
"Because," explained the customer, "Smith hasn't got any."
"Oh!" said Miller, "is that so? Well, when I haven't got any my price will be 4 cents, too, but while I have they cost 7 cents. See?"
"The customer saw and purchased."
—New York Tribune.

Alaska's Inhospitable Interior.

In the vast and almost unknown interior of Alaska the climate is arctic. The winter is of eight months' duration, dry and, excepting certain restricted localities, entirely free from wind. The temperature descends as low as 80 degrees, with a mean of perhaps 40 degrees. Ice forms in the rivers and lakes to a thickness of eight feet and more. Summer extends over four months. During its earliest month high winds prevail. The balance of this short season is mild and the temperature pleasant, rarely exceeding 80 degrees. The snow and rain annually precipitated is about 12.9 inches.—Era.

An Owl's Toes.

It is alleged that taxidermists are careless in the mounting of owls. In museums and elsewhere our wise eyed friends are set up with three toes in front of and one behind the perch on which they are seated. One who has observed the habits of the hooters maintains that this is incorrect and that no living owl ever places three toes in front of his perch. How is this?—New York Press.

Hearing the Finish.

"How long has the minister been preaching?" whispered the stranger who had wandered into the church and sat down away back.
"About thirty years, I believe," replied the other occupant of the pew.
"That being the case," rejoined the stranger, "I guess I'll stay. He must be nearly done."—Chicago News.

Strange Misapprehension.

Borus—How do you like that last poem of mine?
Nagrus—First rate. It's so restful, so soothing, don't you know?
Borus—Restful! Great Scott, man! It's an epic!
Nagrus—Good heavens! I thought it was a lullaby!—Chicago Tribune.

STATE NEWS.

Interesting North Carolina Items in Condensed Form.

Raleigh has raised money for the purpose of re-establishing a tobacco market in that city.

Ayden Baptist: The Ayden Lumber company have extended their road to within a few miles of Snow Hill. They are doing a fine business under the very excellent management of F. G. Buhmann.

Rocky Mount Motor: A lady in this town, and who lives on Church street, broke the only cambric needle in the house on Tuesday and in examining the interior of a large 35 years old pin cushion for a duplicate, found 1,063 needles of sizes ranging from the cambric to that of a bodkin.

The Norwegian steamer Daggery, Capt. Simson, and a crew of seventeen men, bound from New York to Mexico, with a cargo of coal and railroad iron, stranded two and one half miles south of Gulf Shoal life saving station, North Carolina, on Monday. The crew were safely landed and it is thought the boat will be saved.

The death of Mr. Jesse E. Hollowell, of Wayne county, occurred at his home on Neuse river Saturday, from the ravages of cancer of the face, of which he had been a sufferer for several years. He was about 55 years of age and leaves a wife and several children and a wide circle of friends and relatives to mourn his demise.

Greenville Reflector: Monday evening the firm of W. T. Lee & Co., dealers in dry goods, made an assignment for the benefit of their creditors, naming F. G. James as assignee. The liabilities of the firm are about \$2,500, with assets about \$2,250. It is regretted that circumstances have been such as to force them to this step.

The board of trustees of Atlantic Christian College, of Wilson, have elected Dr. J. C. Coggins, of Illinois, as president of the college. He is only 36 years old but has had wide experience in college and university work and is one of the most prominent preachers of his church in the United States. He accepted the call and will soon enter the field in the interest of the college. The college has recently received a handsome gift as the beginning of its endowment fund.

The editor of the North Carolina Baptist has been compiling figures on the liquor traffic for the temperance department of his paper. He finds that there are forty-eight counties under local option or prohibition; seven counties have dispensaries; forty-three have saloons, of which three have dispensaries as well as saloons. New Hanover leads off with fifty-seven bar-rooms; Wake comes next with twenty-seven; Mecklenburg has sixteen; Newbern has fourteen, Kinston nine.

A special from Greensboro says that Hardy Cole, a young white man from near Julian, was brought to the city Saturday night and placed in jail on account of insanity. His father, who accompanied him to Greensboro, said that his son was subject to epileptic fits. While one of the fits was on the young man recently he tried to kill his father. The physician's certificate, by authority of which he was brought for confinement, says that it would be dangerous to his family and to the community for him to remain at large. At the jail the young man refuses to eat and indulges in foolish chatter.

A special from Goldsboro says: A shocking fatal accident occurred on the banks of Neuse river, in Johnston county, Saturday evening. Miss Minnie Rose, daughter of the late Mr. James Rose, and granddaughter of Mr. W. T. Cox, of this city, in company with her brother's wife, went down to the river bank to carry dinner to her brother and party who were constructing a raft. The two ladies took a seat on one of the large logs on the sloping bank. In some mysterious way the log started rolling. The other lady jumped to the next log above and thus started it rolling. Miss Cox was caught by the skirt by the first log and jerked under it; and both logs rolled over her, crushing the life out of her instantly.

Carnegie Trustees.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 29.—The eminent educators, members of congress and other public men entrusted to carry out the purpose of Andrew Carnegie in endowing Carnegie Institution held a preliminary conference today at the department of state. Owing to the absence of a number of those named as trustees and to other causes little progress was made in the way of actual business, but another meeting is to be held in the near future at which permanent organization will be effected and arrangements completed for beginning active work. All concerned are deeply impressed with the magnitude of the project and recognize the wisdom of going slowly. Among other things it is desired to learn the opinions and profit by the advice of leading educators throughout the country before formulating definite plans.

Remove Your Stomach with Cascara. Candy Cathartic, cure constipation forever. 25c. If O. C. O. fail, druggists refund money.

HORRIBLE SUFFERING.

American Marines Who Took Part In An Expedition Into the Interior of Samar. Had Terrible Experiences. Had to Eat Raw Dog Flesh.

Manila, Jan. 28.—General Chaffee curtailed his trip and returned here this morning. He says he found the conditions satisfactory everywhere except at Samar, where continuous rain, during the past two months, has retarded the campaign, especially against such an elusive enemy.

The condition of Captain David D. Porter's marines, who took part in the expedition into the interior of Samar, is much worse than previously described. They suffered fearful hardships and were without food for several days. The natives who accompanied the marines claimed they were unable to distinguish the edible roots, which the marines did not believe. The anger of the marines against the natives is intense. None of the latter returned with the marines.

The marines suffered so acutely from starvation that they ate, raw, the flesh of two dogs.

When Captain Porter and the first three of his men staggered into camp, they were delirious and difficulty was experienced in ascertaining the whereabouts of their companions.

Williams, of the First Infantry, headed the relief expedition in the face of a torrential rain storm which flooded the rivers. He succeeded in reaching the remaining ten men, who would otherwise have certainly perished. He found them all delirious. Two of the men were discovered, in the branches of trees, barking like dogs. Some of the marines are so ill that they are not likely to recover.

General Chaffee has endeavored to obtain full details of the trip of the marines, but Captain Porter is not yet able to lucidly explain matters.

The expedition into the interior of Samar led by Captain David D. Porter, of the marine corps, numbered 26 men. It had been absent two weeks. The marines had been provided with rations for only five days. On January 21, Captain Porter and 26 members of his party reached the coast of the Island of Samar. The other ten men were missing and little hope of their recovery was entertained.

In Memory of McKinley.

Cleveland, O., Jan. 29.—Advises received at the headquarters of the McKinley National Memorial association indicate a wide observance today of the anniversary of the late president's birthday. In response to the suggestion of Governor Nash, of Ohio, the governors of every state and territory of the union designated the day as one for observance in memory of Mr. McKinley. It is also expected that a large sum will be realized from collections toward completing the national memorial fund.

Niles, O., Jan. 29.—This town, where President McKinley first saw the light of day, Jan. 29, 1843, observed the anniversary today in the widest sense. In response to a proclamation of the town authorities business was wholly suspended and public offices, banks and stores were closed. In the public schools exercises appropriate to the occasion were held.

Canton, O., Jan. 29.—Flags were everywhere displayed at half-mast in Canton today in observance of the birthday anniversary of President McKinley. Scores of citizens visited the tomb of the martyred president during the early hours of the forenoon and when Mrs. McKinley arrived she found the sarcophagus heaped high with flowers and memorial wreaths, many of the offerings having been sent from distant parts of the country.

COVE ITEMS.

January 28, 1902.

Mr. J. R. Bowden, the telegraph operator, spent Sunday in Kinston.

Miss Stella Ingram spent Saturday and Sunday in Trenton visiting the family of Dr. Monke.

Rev. J. B. Newton filled his appointment here Saturday and Sunday and preached two able and instructive sermons.

Our farmers, while very much discouraged on account of the short crops last year, have commenced to prepare for another. About the same acreage in truck will be planted while tobacco will be increased 100 per cent.

The Cove and Core Creek schools, taught by Misses Bertha Tucker and Stella Ingram, will close next Friday week with commencement exercises. An admission fee of ten cents will be charged. No doubt this will be the best ever given in this section. Our people were fortunate in securing these ladies as teachers.

Cold Comfort From Doctors.

Doctors say neuralgia is not dangerous. This is poor consolation to a sufferer who feels as if his face were pierced with hot needles and torn with a thousand pairs of pinners. A word of advice to him: stay in doors and use Perry Davis' Painkiller. The blessed freedom from pain which follows this treatment cannot be told. There is but one Painkiller, Perry Davis'.

BARGAIN COLUMN.

A HORSELESS PROPOSITION.

I have a fine Mule, Harness and Buggy that I wish to sell for cash or on time with good security. The Mule, Buggy and Harness are in good condition. The Mule is gentle, a good driver and will work to anything. Come and look them over.
C. E. SPEAR.

The Bicycle Man.

YOU DON'T MEAN IT!

I certainly do, and it is good for either Bread or Pastry. How can he do it? He simply bought one car load at the right time and the right price, and it is right Flour—\$4.50 per barrel while it lasts—at
W. M. CARROLL'S,
Staple and Fancy Grocer.

North Street.

AN EYE OPENER.

For breakfast use Coffee and Hecken's Tea, and for good things to eat in the Grocery line stop LaRoque & Buntrees' wagon, or phone your order, and it will receive prompt attention and free delivery. All the latest delicacies in Canned Goods, Soups, Potted Ham, Chicken, Turkey, Lamb's Tongue, etc. All kinds of breakfast food. Give us a trial order.

WE WANT TO

C-U-B-A customer of ours. Our stock of Staple and Fancy Groceries is complete, new and fresh, and the best the market affords, and our prices are as low as the lowest. Give us one call and convince yourself of the above assertion.
J. H. ALEXANDER,
General Store.

DON'T GET MAD

at your wife just because you did not rest well last night. Was there a lump in the mattress or did the spring sag? If so you should call and see Quinn & Miller, dealers in Furniture and House Furnishings, and they will make sleeping a comfort. Just think, a White Enamel Bed with Woven Wire Springs and Mattresses for 750 cents.

WE HAVE NO GRIT

in our Corn Meal, because our latest improved process separates it from the meal. Phone 49 or 118, and your order will receive prompt attention and free delivery. Sold in small or large quantities. Our specialty is grinding of corn and oats while you wait, also buy any amount you may have and pay liberally.
NEUSE MILLING CO.

We Have Oat Seeds.

YOU MAY HAVE

a place to eat and a place to sleep, but how about the clothes you are often judged by? We can make you look like ready money for \$15.00, a suit that is really worth \$18.50 and will equal any tailor-made suit costing \$25.00; a \$15.00 suit for \$12.35, \$12.50 suit \$9.60 and a \$10.00 suit for \$7.60. These clothes are worth your inspection. Call and look them over.
OETTINGER'S.

SLAUGHTERED THEM,

cut two-tenths off from them—meaning 20 per cent. on our entire stock of Oak Rockers, with leather seats, and Dining Room Chairs, Extension Tables in highly polished golden oak. Five-piece Bedroom Suits, Sideboards and Parlor Furniture. Pick a Banjo, Guitar or Mandolin from our large assortment. Second-hand Organs and Pianos, new and second-hand Sewing Machines at

SLAUGHTER BROS.

Your credit is good.

ARE YOU ONE

who is going to build or anticipates building? If so we wish to let it be known that we can furnish on receipt of order Framing and Box Boards, cut from Long Leaf Pines, also all kinds of Dressed Lumber. Come and examine our stock and get our prices before purchasing. Thanking our customers for past patronage and hoping to renew same, we remain, Yours truly,
THE GAY LUMBER CO.

Prompt Delivery.

BARGAINS IN PRINTING.

We have some more of those Letter Heads, Note Heads, Bill Heads and Statements in fine quality colored bond papers, pink and blue. They are good value for price charged. If in need of some stationery examine these goods before making your selection. Letter Heads 500 for \$1.75, 1,000 for \$3.00. Note Heads 500 for \$1.35, 1,000 for \$2.25. Fine Old Hampshire Bond pink Note Heads 500 for \$1.65, 1,000 for \$2.65. Fine blue or pink Bill Heads, 7x8 1/2 inches, 500 for \$1.40, 1,000 for \$2.40. Statements, elegant quality bond papers in blue, pink, lemon or salmon, 500 for \$1.50, 1,000 for \$2.50.