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Kaiser Bill or whoever was responsible for the war certainly played the mischief, and the offender ought to be tried for malicious mischief aggravated and given the limit of the law on each count.

It is gratifying to people of this section that none of the trains running between Goldsboro and Greensboro are to be taken off, and to those who ride them it has not appeared that there is any material dropping off in the patronage.

The police reports for circus day show a remarkable record for good order. There was little rowdiness in evidence, and only two or three offenders were taken up. The Indians and other attaches of the show visited the business district between their performances, but they didn't find any "fire water," and hence did not add to their bunch of scalp feathers. Just another testimonial to the virtue of a sallow town.

The Free Press reporter demonstrated that he was a real newspaper man and not afraid to enter most any place when he "scopied" an interview from "Old Iron Tail," the Sioux Chief of Custer Massacre and Buffalo nickel fame. The old fellow is considerably more tame than he used to be, though, may it be said without any disparagement to the "valor" of the scribe.

When the city sanitary officer is commissioned he should not only be backed up by the milk and meat inspection, anti-spitting, and other sanitary laws now on the statute books, but an adequate provision should be made for the elimination of the fly-breeding places. The proper disposition of the droppings from the stables now and until the summer comes again will do much to reduce the crop of flies next year.

Some of the young men of town have acquired the habit, it is alleged, of congregating on the corners near the Caswell monument late at night and indulging in loud and quite frequently profane and indecent language, which is objectionable to the residents of that section of town. Some complaint has been made, and it is asserted by the residents that further complaints will be lodged and action taken unless the practice is stopped. A hint to the wise should be sufficient.

Among the trains, which the Corporation Commission's withdrawal permit to the Southern included, are trains Nos. 37 and 38, the solid Pullman—no-pass—New York to New Orleans limited. For years these trains have been down on the Southern's schedules, and patrons of the line will be glad to see the time come when they will be reinstated. They are among the South's best equipped and fastest through trains, and the officials of the Southern should not take them off unless it is absolutely necessary, and if they are taken off they should be put back as soon as conditions warrant.

### ASSURANCES FROM R. R. OFFICIALS

The people of Kinston and those living along the line of the Norfolk Southern from Goldsboro to New Bern will note with interest the statement of General Passenger Agent Leard, printed in Wednesday's Free Press, that no passenger trains are to be taken off of this division now. It was rumored a few days ago that the night trains would be discontinued, and protests from all along the line were made. Col. Leard gives assurance that, although the

revenues have been very materially cut down, there will be no retrenchment in the passenger service so long as it is possible to maintain the present schedules.

Traffic Manager Kyle, who accompanied Mr. Leard, remarked that he wanted the people to know that officials of the Norfolk Southern were optimistic. He spoke of the good fortune of eastern Carolina in having its splendid tobacco crop to fall back on and not wholly dependent upon cotton, as are some of the other sections of the State and the South. Certainly the wisdom of crop diversification has been impressed upon people of this section by the experience of this year. Messrs. Kyle and Leard spoke of the better feeling that seemed to exist between the railroads and the people now, and they seem to appreciate the necessity for a closer cooperation.

### CUTTING OUT LOCK STEP

Warden Wells of the Kentucky State Prison, in speaking before the American Prison Association in session in St. Paul a few days ago, advocated the elimination of the "lock-step," "silent system" and other inhuman methods which have been in use at the various large penitentiaries throughout the country for many years. Mr. Wells urged that kindness be the underlying principle of the disciplinary measures pursued and said he thought the prisoners should have the right to appeal to the warden at the end of any day's work. Mr. Wells' advocacy was based on his experience that kindness would win where the old brutal methods would not. The idea has too long prevailed among those who have to do with criminology that harsh and severe treatment was necessary in order to make the unfortunate lawbreaker corrigible. It is no doubt true that many a man has been forced to lead a criminal career just because he had fallen once, and was branded with the lock step or other prison brand for life and because he was hounded by petty detectives after his release and prevented from making an honest livelihood. The words of Mr. Wells were very timely, and it is to be hoped that the other wardens, who heard him will follow his example and suggestions. The time is coming when the "lock-step," "water treatment" and other relics of barbarism in prison methods are to be relegated, and the sooner the better. It is a disgrace to a civilized country that they have been allowed this long.

### WHAT OTHERS SAY

#### FOND OF THE LADIES

Greensboro News: "The German prince is lucky, if he only knew it. Why if we could only station him on Elm street and let half a dozen Greensboro girls approach, then and there he would have six heart attacks at once."

#### THE STUFF TO MAKE FRIENDS

Charlotte News: "Colonel Harvey has forgotten the old grievance and has just held a conference with the President. It may even go so far as to warrant a visit to the White House from the colonel of the Kentucky mint. Mr. Wilson's enemies are diminishing in number rapidly. There are extremely few left."

#### CERTAINLY VERY IMPORTANT

Raleigh Times: "As important as the taxation amendment is, it is not any more important than the amendment designed to limit special, private and local legislation. This sort of legislation keeps the Legislature busy considering the damming up of Gooseberry branch or the question of whether Buncombe roosters should be allowed to crow before 4 a. m. If you want to serve your State, vote for the amendment doing away with all private and special legislation. Let the communities attend to their own affairs."

#### AMENDMENTS KEEPING GOOD COMPANY

Raleigh News and Observer: "One of the reasons that the average voter can feel safe in voting for the constitutional amendments is the fact that the State's leading citizens, men who are known to have the best interests of all the people at heart, are supporting the amendments and advising that they be adopted. The Greenville Reflector says in connection with the announcement that Governor Craig will speak for the amendments: "Governor Craig an-

nounces that he is going to speak for the amendments in his political addresses made this fall. His assistance makes one more strong addition to the advocates of the adoption of these measures."

#### N. C. APPLES WORLD'S BEST

Charlotte Observer: "Some of the North Carolina readers of The Observer were inclined to doubt its statement that apples are selling in western New York at \$1.50 a bushel. Let us see what evidence we can produce. The New York Packer is good authority. Through the Rochester section it quotes "Greenings," whatever that may be, selling at top notch at \$1.25 a barrel, Baldwins hardly getting a bid at that figure, and Kings, evidently a fine grade, bringing only \$1.50. Other apples are quoted as low as \$1 a barrel. In the western part of North Carolina apples are bringing \$2.50 and up a barrel, but these apples are the finest grown in the world, and are holding in firm demand, notwithstanding the tremendous crop the orchards yielded the past summer. When it comes to apples, North Carolina is an easy winner alike for quality, quantity and prices."

#### AN AWAKENING IN PHILADELPHIA

Richmond News Leader: "Discussing the differences in Congress touching the Philippines bill, the Philadelphia Evening Ledger shows incidentally how the light continues to break at the north over the crime of Southern reconstruction. The real issue as respects the Filipinos, says our contemporary, is not whether they shall ultimately have self-government. It is, have they proved themselves worthy of a more liberal share in their own government?"

Then, in supporting its contention, the Ledger, after dwelling upon the gravity of the responsibilities we assumed in taking over the islands, warns both sides to the controversy and both parties that it is imperative that we should not repeat the "mistake" that was made in the reconstruction period of our own history.

The Fifteenth amendment is, the Ledger admits, a dead letter, and it justifies the killing on the ground and "for the simple reason" that "previous condition of servitude is something that absolutely must be considered in any grant or extension of political liberty." Especial significance will be recognized in the Ledger's admission and commitment, when the "traditions of Philadelphia," respecting equal rights for the 'man and the brother' are recalled.

"The Ledger urges 'patient waiting' in our 'colonial policy,' and in so doing, shows that through 'patient waiting' the South is coming to find vindication of her policy regarding the reconstruction amendments, at the hands even of aforesaid most virulent denunciators of it."

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### ROUTE OF THE "NIGHT EXPRESS"

(Schedule in Effect October 4, 1914.)  
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#### TRAINS LEAVE KINSTON:

East Bound  
11:21 p. m.—"Night Express," Pullman Sleeping Cars  
New Bern to Norfolk.  
7:50 a. m.—Daily, for Washington and Norfolk. Connects for all points North and West. Parlor Car Service between New Bern and Norfolk.  
4:41 p. m.—Daily for Beaufort and Oriental.  
West Bound  
5:40 a. m.—Daily for Goldsboro.  
10:28 a. m.—Daily for Goldsboro.  
7:35 p. m.—Daily for Goldsboro.

For complete information or reservation of Pullman Sleeping Car space, apply to W. J. Nicholson, Agent, Kinston, N. C.  
H. S. LEARD,  
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J. D. STACK,  
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No. 1 STATIONS No. 2

4:00 Lv. Kinston ..... Ar. 8:10  
4:10 Lv. Jackson ..... Ar. 7:50  
4:20 Lv. Albritton's ..... Ar. 7:40  
4:50 Lv. Sparrow's ..... Ar. 7:20  
5:20 Lv. Lynchburg ..... Ar. 7:05  
5:30 Ar. Pink Hill ..... Lv. 7:00  
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Spend a day with old friends at the Carolina State Fair.  
W. J. CRAIG, Passenger Traffic Manager, Wilmington, N. C.  
T. C. WHITE, General Passenger Agent, Wilmington, N. C.  
10-7 to 24th (adv.)

#### MORTGAGE SALE

North Carolina,  
Lenoir County:—

Whereas, W. G. McLwaine and wife, Jeb. W. McLwaine, executed a certain mortgage deed to N. E. Bradford, bearing date of March 3, 1914, recorded in the office of the Register to Deeds for Lenoir county, North Carolina, in Book 49, at page 354; and,  
Whereas, default has been made in the payment of the indebtedness, secured by said mortgage deed, the undersigned, under and by virtue of the power of sale therein contained, will at 12 o'clock M. on Monday, the 12th day of October, 1914, sell for cash to the highest bidder, at the court house door, in Kinston, N. C., a one-half interest in the following tract or parcel of land:

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APPLICATION FOR PARDON OF C. R. SANDLIN  
Application will be made to the Governor of North Carolina for the pardon of C. R. Sandlin, convicted at the May term of the Superior Court of Lenoir county for the crime of selling whisky and sentenced to the roads of said county for a term of six months.  
All persons who oppose the granting of said pardon are invited to forward their protests to the Governor without delay.  
This the 24th day of September, 1914.  
J. A. POWERS,  
His Attorney.  
9-25-eod-dly for 2 wks.

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