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FRIDAY EVENING, JANUARY 22, 1915

An attorney named Beer has talked too much, it seems, from what the various gentlemen, of whom he spoke, have to say. That is not unusual for beer; it very often talks too much and says nothing.

If General Garza's proposition, to make Mexico City neutral and hold there the parleys of the various factions, prevails, the capital of the rebellion-torn republic will become known as the "convention city." There will probably be about 99 separate and distinct confabs held daily.

The Free Press is in receipt of a list of House committees, appointed by Speaker Wooten. The Kinstonian is making a record for dispatching the business of the lower branch of the General Assembly, and his work is receiving the favorable comment of the press of the State.

General Garza, the latest provisional president of Mexico, is already looking for a soft place. He now proposes to make Mexico City neutral ground, where the parleys of the opposing factions can be held. The idea is a pretty good one, if the capital's neutrality didn't have the same fate as poor Belgium's did.

Another march on Paris is anticipated, if the Germans succeed in recapturing Soissons. It is needless to say that the French will fight to the last ditch to hold the ground they now occupy, but then in this game of see-saw who knows but what the Kaiserines will be on the run toward Berlin again tomorrow?

Villa continues to give assurances that the life and property of Americans in Mexico, so far as his ability to do so goes, will be protected. And so far, Villa has shown no disposition to go back on his word. The ex-outlaw is just about as dependable as any of his countrymen, so far as the outsider's observations go.

Senator Burton is trying to prove himself to be the "iron man" of the Senate. He doesn't even halt his talk-fest for lunch, but has raw eggs brought him, which he swallows while some of his colleagues play for time with a parliamentary query. The trouble about this talk is that it is not so cheap. The people are at an enormous expense to maintain a three-day session of the Senate to listen to a wind-jammer's efforts to block the majority's program.

Perhaps very few thinking people regarded the rumor that Secretary Bryan had threatened to resign if Sullivan received President Wilson's endorsement, very seriously, anyway. And now comes the emphatic denial from the White House that any such attitude had been assumed by the Commoner. As a matter of fact, Mr. Wilson's support of Sullivan in the recent elections was somewhat contrary to what public opinion felt should have been, and Mr. Bryan's "dislike" for the Illinoisan would probably have the approval of most of the people.

The Raleigh News and Observer's Washington correspondent writes his paper that Mr. Howard A. Banks, private secretary to Mr. Daniels, will sail via the Panama Canal on January 27 for San Francisco, where he will have charge of the Navy Department's exhibit. Taking this in connection with the story printed in the Greensboro News a short time ago to the effect that Mr. Banks would succeed Mr. Britton as editor of the Raleigh paper, when the latter gentleman was appointed postmaster, it looks like Editor Britton's chances of appointment are not so rosy as they were.

THE PRINCIPLE OF DOING AWAY WITH "HOT AIR" IS ALL RIGHT.

The principle of getting down to business and eliminating the "hot air" period of the General Assembly is all right. The placing of a forty-day limit on the session before any of the important legislation has been intro-

duced is, The Free Press believes, unnecessary. The contention of the papers in the State, advocating this plan, is that the voters will appreciate the saving of twenty thousand dollars by curtailing the session twenty days. Most assuredly they will appreciate such a saving. Why not let the leaders see to it that the business is attended to and that all unnecessary delays are eliminated and adjourn just as soon as the essential matters have been disposed of? It might be found that more than twenty days could be saved or might be necessary to run fifty days. Some of the forty-day sponsors are even suggesting that those, who voted against the proposition in the Senate, will be held accountable by their constituents. The Free Press doesn't believe that there is any constituency in the State that would be misled into disapproving the record of its representative if the evidence at the conclusion of the session proved that he had performed his work faithfully and well and had taken the necessary time to do it. If the legislators earnestly strive to transact the people's business in the shortest possible time there will not be so much grumbling back home as some would insinuate. Results are wanted and not demonstrations for the galleries.

MINOR OFFICIALS NOT NECESSARILY AFFECTED.

In changing the system of city government from the mayor and aldermanic administrative plan to the commission form or city manager plan, the various department heads would not necessarily be affected. A city manager would have to have assistants, and there would be no reason for changes where the present incumbents are giving efficient service. Some of the friends of present department heads are understood to be making inquiry as to what effect a change would have on their particular friends. The Free Press would most assuredly urge the retention of capable officials and department heads, where they could be used under a new plan. The Free Press believes that unquestionably a capable city manager would find it necessary to drop some of the present employees and heads of departments. It would be quite out of the ordinary should that not be the case. A most remarkable organization, that, which would have no weak places, to be strengthened. The question at issue is not a personal one; it is not so much man against man as it is system against system. The object should be to find and utilize that system by which the public's business could be carried on most efficiently and most economically and that regardless of any personal eliminations or changes.

The Free Press believes that a committee of Kinston's successful citizens, appointed to act as an advisory body to the committee of councilmen would conserve the ends of justice, all things being considered, far better than could any other course. The matter is one that should be given most careful thought. The people, as a whole, are not in position to pass intelligently upon the best plan. The committee plan is the only feasible one, and the selection of the committee should be made very carefully, and with a view to obtaining a wide range of thought and advice. The council could not, The Free Press feels very certain, appoint a committee composed entirely of its own members, who could handle the question as well and with the fullest confidence of the people in their judgment as with a citizens' committee, working with the councilmen. There should be a united and cordially co-operative effort made in solving this question. It is a get-together time by all means. Let personal feelings and dislikes be put aside and all heads be put together to devise the best way to govern Kinston.

WHAT OTHERS SAY

MIGHT BE VIOLATION OF LOTTERY LAWS

Charlotte Observer: "The proposition for a voting contest for the naming of the White House baby, is about the yellowest that has been sprung on the country. It is like an invasion of the sanctity of the home."

GIVE 'EM TIME TO THINK

Greensboro Daily News: "The view of the Daily News is that if the gentlemen now assembled in Raleigh have the capacity to think, they should have the time and the opportunity to think."

HOW OUR BREAD IS BUTTERED

Wilmington Star: "If we were putting up houses and barns all over Eastern North Carolina for Belgian or other settlers, every carpenter and bricklayer in this part of the State would have plenty to do. Nobody hears that farm labor is out of a job in North Carolina. Nine-tenths of the counties in the State report that farm labor is scarce. When farm labor is scarce it means that agricultural production and development is necessarily halted in North Carolina. We have the lands, but producers are few. We attach a great deal of importance to industrial developments without thinking that agriculture is one of our chief sources of wealth. All our resources need development, and none more than the State's immense agricultural possibilities."

VOX POPULI

ENDORSES "PRAYER MEETING NIGHT" SUGGESTION

To the Editor of The Free Press: Please allow me space in your valuable paper to most heartily endorse the suggestion made by "A Church Member" on the creation of "A Prayer Meeting Night." I also wish to express my appreciation of your editorial comment on "A Church Member's Appeal." Will not every church member in our city take these suggestions seriously and help to make the idea real. Nothing will more quickly revolutionize the spiritual condition of the community than for the Christian people to really take on the nourishment to their spiritual life that would come from regular attendance of these devotional meetings. Men of affairs, most of all, need this tonic after the conflicts of their daily toils.

C. W. BLANCHARD.

SOFT FLUFFY HAIR IS FIRST AID TO BEAUTY

If your hair is not fluffy, soft and lustrous, is falling out, streaked, faded, brittle, or full of dandruff, and if the scalp itches, do not think it must always be that way, for pretty hair is only a matter of care and the use of the proper hair dressing. Your hair is like a plant—if neglected it soon dies, while with a little attention it keeps fresh and beautiful. Parisian Sage is a scientific preparation that supplies just the elements needed to invigorate the hair to grow long, thick, fluffy, soft and lustrous. It removes all dandruff with one application and quickly stops itching head and falling hair. It is the ideal hair tonic and scalp treatment—contains nothing injurious and is delicately perfumed. J. E. Hood & Co. or any druggist can supply you with Parisian Sage—it is inexpensive. You cannot be disappointed with this delightful and helpful toilet necessity, for it will surely give your hair the beauty and charm of youth.

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CAROLINA RAILROAD

TIME TABLE NO. 1

Effective October 4, 1914, 6:00 a. m.	
First class freight and passenger	
South Bound	North Bound
332	333
Daily	Daily
A. M.	P. M.
7:35	Ar Kinston Lv.
7:29	Hines Junction
7:16	Pools
7:11	Dawson
7:01	Glenfield
6:55	Suggs Siding
6:45	Lv Snow Hill Ar
	6:00
All trains governed by the Norfolk Southern rules while using the track from Kinston to Hines Junction, and subject to the orders of its superintendent.	
The above schedule is given as information only, and is supposed to be the time that trains will arrive and depart, but it is not guaranteed.	
W. M. HAYES,	
General Superintendent.	
R. A. HONEYUTT,	
Superintendent	
Kinston, N. C.	
G. A. JONES, F. & P. A.	

NORFOLK-SOUTHERN RAILROAD

ROUTE OF THE "NIGHT EXPRESS"

(Schedule in Effect October 4, 1914.)
N. B.—The following schedule figures published as information only, and are not guaranteed.

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, General Passenger Agent.	

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MARKETS

TODAY'S QUOTATIONS

PRODUCE

Wholesale Prices Reported by the Kinston Peanut Company	
Pork	..... 12 1/2
Lard	..... 14
Bacon, side	..... 15
Bacon, ham	..... 20
Bacon, shoulder	..... 15
Corn, bushel	..... 80
Potatoes, sweet	..... 60
Eggs	..... 30
Country butter	..... 30

TODAYS

COTTON MARKET

New York, Jan. 22.—Today's futures quotations:		
	Open	Close
January	..... 8.55	8.42
March	..... 8.78	8.62
May	..... 8.96	8.84
July	..... 9.17	9.02
October	..... 9.38	9.24
December	..... 9.50	
Local Sales Today		
About 200 bales, 6 to 8 cents.		

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

FRANK AWAITS

COURT APPEAL

Atlanta, Ga., Jan. 22.—Instead of swinging on the gallows today, Lem M. Frank, thrice convicted of murdering Mary Phagan, a young factory girl in April 1913, was in his cell hopeful awaiting the result of his appeal to the United States Supreme Court, allowed by Justice Lamar. This was the day last set for Frank's execution. It was the third time he had been sentenced to death. The writ granted by Justice Lamar automatically stayed the execution of the death penalty today until Frank's appeal is determined.

FOLEY KIDNEY PILLS