

## NORTH CAROLINA RAILWAYS.

### Corporation Commission Fixes Value of the Same.

RALEIGH, July 19.—The corporation commission has ordered that all street cars in this state be vested. It passes over for the present the matter of requiring fenders. At present only the street cars at Asheville are vested.

The corporation commission has completed the assessments of railways as follows:

Atlantic Coast Line, \$13,982,126; Southern, \$15,479,002; Seaboard Air Line, \$6,683,800; miscellaneous roads, \$4,570,230. The only increase is \$75,000 on miscellaneous roads, as under the terms of a compromise the assessment of the great roads is to stand for four years.

Street railways \$830,850, made up as follows: Raleigh, \$40,000; Charlotte, \$290,000; Wilmington, \$100,000; Winston, \$291,000; five Asheville railways, \$177,850; Durham, \$31,850.

The state has chartered the Boston-North Carolina Lumber company of Woodlawn, McDowell county, capital, \$125,000; the Traversa Cotton Mill company of Graham, capital, \$100,000; the Commercial Ice and cold storage company of Sanford, capital, \$15,000.

## AMMONIA BOILER BURSTS.

### Disastrous Explosion in a North Carolina Ice Factory.

ELIZABETH CITY, N. C., July 22.—As the result of an explosion of an ammonia boiler here the ice factory of the Crystal Ice and Coal company is in ruins, one negro fireman is dead and another is seriously injured and property to the extent of \$10,000 is destroyed. The town is also threatened with an ice famine, and the fish industry will suffer.

Superintendent Dunston and Foreman Brown had very narrow escapes. Huge parts of the defective tank, which was the cause of the explosion, passed through the office of the factory while the superintendent was at his desk, completely demolishing the building, but leaving Mr. Dunston uninjured. The shock of the explosion was very severe, being felt all over the city, while windows were broken three blocks away.

### State Will Have to Borrow.

COLUMBIA, S. C., July 20.—The state of South Carolina will have to borrow money this year to meet running expenses. This was the common course until a few years ago, as since 1877 the state had always been one year behind, but some time ago she caught up. The present situation is caused by large extra items on the last appropriation bill, one being \$50,000 for the exposition. The tax levy will raise all the money required, but the taxes cannot be collected in time.

### Work on the Congaree.

COLUMBIA, S. C., July 23.—Good headway was made during the past week upon the government work on the Congaree river, incident to the deepening of the channel of the river. On Saturday the work of pumping the water out of the new coffer dam was commenced. The force of men on the work is quite large, the contractors having resolved to take advantage of the low water. It is not expected that there will be much more trouble from freshets.

### Head Severed From Body.

GREENSBORO, N. C., July 23.—Lake Landreth, a young white man of this city, met an instant and horrible death. With three companions he boarded a freight train which was being shifted in the yards of the Southern railway for the purpose of riding to the station. The young men were on top of a box car. Landreth lost his footing and fell to the ground. He fell across a rail and a car wheel completely severed his head from his body.

### Tournament at Charlotte.

CHARLOTTE, N. C., July 23.—The state firemen's convention opens in this city tomorrow, and there will be four days of parades and contests. The occasion will bring many representative firemen and representative men to Charlotte from all parts of the state, and some from South Carolina. It will also be a week of baseball, and furthermore the out-of-door men are to assemble in the city during the week.

### Wanted by the Officers.

RALEIGH, July 19.—A white man, James Workman, came here Saturday from the country and bound out his 8-year-old daughter, saying she was motherless and he was unable to support her. Last night he went to the family to which he had bound her and asked to be allowed to stay all night. About midnight he left, taking the girl and all the money he could find. Officers are in search of him.

### Western Men Chosen.

RALEIGH, July 19.—The executive committee of the board of agriculture has elected F. L. Stevens of the University of Chicago biologist. It has elected Tait Butler of Kansas state veterinarian. It has also elected a professor of agriculture, salary \$2,500, at the agricultural college here, but he has not yet accepted. There were 50 applicants for this position.

### Sold to Oil Mill Trust.

CHARLOTTE, N. C., July 23.—A special from Albemarle to The Observer says that J. Allen Smith and Joel Smith, who own the out-of-door oil and fertilizer works at that place and Athens, Ga., have sold the two plants to the oil mill trust. The price paid was \$63,000.

### Revival at Charlotte Closes.

CHARLOTTE, N. C., July 23.—The meeting of Highland Park Baptist church, which has been in progress for a week, has closed. There were several professions of faith under the preaching of Rev. Fowler and Brock.

### Lightning Kills Boy.

CHESTER, S. C., July 20.—George Jackson, 5 years old, was killed in his home in Chester yesterday by lightning. The bolt came in the open window. Other members of the family were shocked.

## FROM THE KLONDIKE COMES TRAGIC STORY

### Party of Six Prospectors Perish in the Arctic.

## OVERTAKEN BY A STORM

### Wrapped in Blankets, Their Bodies Were Found Outstretched on the Tundra—Effort Will Be Made to Identify the Unfortunate Men.

NOKE, July 10, via Seattle, Wash., July 23.—A tragic story comes from St. Michael. A party of men enroute to Nome found the bodies of six men at a point near Cape Romanoff. It is presumed that they all froze to death last winter.

The bodies were scattered at intervals—five of them about a half mile apart. They were outstretched upon the tundra and were found wrapped in blankets. Each had some camp equipment near him but no food. One of the dead men had evidently either been dead or injured, as he lay on a litter constructed of a pair of oars and a canvas sheet. It would seem that a storm overcame the men carrying him. Evidently becoming exhausted, they had abandoned him, and wandered off to perish where found.

General Randall has ordered soldiers to bring in the bodies and every effort will be made to identify them. General Randall thinks they were a party of prospectors who, in an effort to reach St. Michael, had run out of provisions and perished from exhaustion and exposure.

## SOUTHERN DEVELOPMENT.

### A List of New Industries Reported For the Past Week.

CHATTANOOGA, July 23.—The most important of the new industries reported by the Tradesman for the week ended July 20, are as follows:

A \$20,000 bridge company at Seabreeze, Fla.; a \$5,000 canning factory at Durham, N. C.; a \$100,000 cigar factory at Tampa, Fla.; a coal mining company at Newcomb, Tenn.; a collar and harness factory at Hickory, N. C.; cotton gins at Goodwater, Ala.; a \$100,000 cotton mill at Aberdeen, Miss.; a \$100,000 cotton mill at Graham, N. C.; electric light plant at Tryon, N. C.; a \$25,000 furniture factory at Hickory, N. C.; gas works at Birmingham, Ala.; grist mills at Enfield, Ala., Covington, Ga., and Rock Hill, S. C.; a \$30,000 hardware company at Statesville, N. C.; ice factories at Ashburn and Douglas, Ga.; a \$100,000 lumber company at Statesville, N. C.; a \$100,000 oil company at Huntsville, Ala.; an oil mill at Laurens, S. C.; a \$25,000 quarrying company at Shuford, Ala.; roofing works at Nashville, Tenn.; a \$50,000 sash, door and blind factory at Nashville, Tenn.; saw mills at Spring Hill, Fla., and Covington, Ga.; a trunk factory at Macon, Ga.; a \$30,000 hardware company at Statesville, N. C.; a woodworking plant at Athens, Tenn.

## SHALL NOT BE CATHOLICS.

### Their Uncle Again Abducts the Two-Brady Children.

SPOKANE, Wash., July 23.—The 7-year-old daughter and the 8-year-old son of the late Judge Brady have again disappeared from Rathdrum, Ida. Their uncle, Frank Pine, of Keswick, Ia., and their father's housekeeper, Miss Campbell, have also disappeared and it is believed they have abducted the children, who, up to Saturday, were with them.

Father Parris, parish priest of the Catholic church, acting under authority of the will filed in the probate court, made a formal demand Saturday upon Pine for the children. Pine said he would first consult his attorney. Later the prosecuting attorney of the county sued out a writ of habeas corpus, demanding that Pine appear in court Tuesday to show by what authority he retained possession of the children.

The trouble over the children arose over the fact that they were baptized as Catholics a week ago at their dying father's bedside. Judge Brady was a Catholic. His wife, now two years dead, was a Methodist. Pine, her brother, objected to the children being baptized, saying a promise had been made to their mother that they should not be made Catholics.

## THE APPOINTING POWER.

### Several Officeholders Made Happy by the President.

WASHINGTON, July 23.—The president today made the following appointments: State—Richard Sprague, Massachusetts, consul at Gibraltar, Spain; Edward A. O. Reever, Connecticut, superintendent at Glouchan, Saxony; Samuel Smith, New Jersey, consul at Moscow, Russia; E. S. Reynolds, Ill., Illinois, third secretary United States embassy at Paris, France.

### Treasury—John V. Wild, second lieutenant, revenue cutter service.

War—Elden Swift, Jr., first lieutenant and G. P. Morrow, second lieutenant, Porto Rico provisional regiment. Henry Scott, second lieutenant, artillery corps.

### A Tennessee Tragedy.

KNOXVILLE, July 23.—At Notchey Creek church Azell Crafts and Walter Hooper, both aged about 16, became engaged in a quarrel over remarks Hooper is alleged to have made concerning a young lady friend of Crafts'. Hooper drew his knife and stabbed Crafts in the heart, killing him instantly. Hooper fled.

### More Oil in Kentucky.

CHATTANOOGA, July 23.—A special to The News from Jamestown, Tenn., says: A telephone message today from Sonnybrook, Ky., relates that another oil gusher has been struck, which is flowing at the rate of 100 barrels an hour. It is located 300 feet from well No. 2 that began flowing last month.

## BIRMINGHAM MILLS BUSY.

### Manufacturing Interests in That City and District Are Prosperous.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., July 23.—There is no cause for any special complaint in this district, the manufacturing interests of the district being at full tilt and all wheels turning. The rolling mills are giving steady work to a large force of men and tomorrow the steel plant at the rolling mills will be manufacturing a supply of steel. There are more blast furnaces in operation now than there were running two weeks ago, and the pig iron production of the state is greater by more than 100 tons of iron a day than a month ago.

There are indications that the demand for pig iron will be better in the near future, while some improvement is noted in the coal market. There are but three mines in the state where there are differences between capital and labor and less than 800 men are affected in all of them. There are more than 10,000 miners at work, while the railroads are doing a heavier traffic in this district, both passenger and freight, than this time last year. The various industries, such as foundries and machine shops, woodworking establishments and others, are doing well and are turning out employment to a large complement of men, all told.

Some heavy payrolls are being experienced in this district and much money is going on deposit in the banks of Birmingham and those in the suburbs.

## SHIPMENTS OF IRON.

### Southern Field Makes Good Showing For Past Six Months.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., July 23.—The shipments of iron and iron pipe from the southern field during the first half of the present year made a very satisfactory showing. This territory embraces Alabama and Tennessee, and is under the control of the southern iron committee.

For the time mentioned the shipments of pig iron from the entire field were 700,903 tons, an increase of the first six months of 1900 of 71,895 tons. From the Birmingham district 420,879, a decrease of 5,937 tons. There were shipped during this period 79,910 tons of cast iron pipe, 48,101 tons better than last year. The Birmingham district sent out 31,049 more than in 1900, or 40,428 tons in all.

The exports were as follows: For first six months of 1901, 18,374 tons of pig iron and 1,539 tons of pipe, being 34,556 tons less than last year of iron and 3,004 less of pipe.

The tonnage out of the district, it will be seen, is considerably above that of last year. The outlook for the last half of 1901 is that it will be heavier than the first.

The falling off in the export business is due to the good condition of the domestic market.

## CUT HIS WIFE'S THROAT.

### Will Probably Hang For Crime, but Says He Doesn't Care.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., July 23.—Jerry Demus, a negro, is in the county jail charged with wife murder, committed at Easley on Saturday night. Demus says that he doesn't care if he hangs for his crime. He states that his wife had not been kind to him and that he had grown tired of her treatment. He says that she left him recently, but he prevailed upon her to return home and begin life anew. She came back Saturday. Demus adds that when she came home he sat down and looked at her and she longer he looked the madder he got. Finally he said he could not stand it any longer, so he went out, procured his razor, sharpened it and returning jerked the woman's head back and cut her throat. When asked if he did not think that he would be hanged for the crime, Demus replied:

"Yes, I know they will hang me for it, but I don't care. I will be with two negroes out of the way—me and her."

Coroner Parris made a preliminary investigation into the killing and the facts brought out substantiate the story told by Demus.

### Rocked Passenger Train.

OPELIKA, Ala., July 23.—Friday night the passenger train from Atlanta to Montgomery was rocked near Auburn, in this county. Yesterday Detective J. Yarbrough of the Atlanta and West Point railway ascertained that Gus Dowdell, a negro boy about 15 years old, was the guilty party. He arrested Dowdell, brought him to Opelika and turned him over to the sheriff. Dowdell pleaded guilty to the offense charged in the county court and a fine was imposed.

### Baby Ate Lye.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., July 23.—Louis Buxton, the 18-month-old baby boy of Mr. and Mrs. John Buxton, living on First avenue and Seventh street, died a horrible death last afternoon, the result of poisoning from concentrated lye. The child was crawling along the floor when in some manner it got hold of a box of lye and placed some of it in his mouth. Considerable was swallowed and the sufferings of the little fellow were terrible. Death came in a short time.

### Contract Renewed.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., July 20.—The United Mine workers have made a contract with the Corona Coal and Iron company, at Corona. The company operates mines at Corona, Lockhart, Patton and Coal Valley, and the old contract which was in force during the past mining year, has been renewed. The steady work at the mines of the Corona company, which has secured large contracts which will insure a busy season.

### Trains Kill Three.

TUSCUMBA, Ala., July 23.—The incoming Southern passenger train, No. 35, Conductor Harry Ryan, and Engineer Robert Wilson, at a street crossing in this city, struck a 2-hour wagon occupied by Sy Rice, a well-to-do negro farmer, and his two daughters, killing all of them and demolishing the wagon.

### Wealthy Alabamian Dies.

MONTGOMERY, Ala., July 23.—Joseph Goetter, of the Lehman-Durr company, died yesterday. He was one of the wealthiest men in Montgomery and had been here since she was.

## IN A TENEMENT FIRE FOUR PEOPLE PERISH

### Early Morning Tragedy in Pittsburgh

## RESULT OF AN EXPLOSION

### While Preparing Breakfast For the Family, Mrs. Ratza Pours Oil On the Kitchen Fire and Fatal Results Follow.

PITTSBURGH, July 23.—A whole family was burned in a Pennsylvania avenue tenement fire shortly before 6 o'clock this morning. The mother and three children are dead and the husband is badly burned and is now at the hospital. The explosion of an oil can was the cause of the fire.

The dead: Mrs. Sophia Ratza, aged 30 years, mother of the children. Viola Ratza, aged 8 years, oldest daughter. Rashler Ratza, a boy, aged 5 years. Woodcock Ratza, a boy, aged 9 years.

The injured: Francis Ratza, husband and father of the family, badly burned, removed to the Pennsylvania hospital. It is hoped he will recover.

From what can be learned, Mrs. Ratza was preparing breakfast in her apartment on the third floor of the tenement house in the rear of 2716 Pennsylvania avenue shortly before 6 o'clock this morning. The fire in the kitchen stove was not burning as quickly as she wanted it to and she took an oil can and poured some of the oil on the fire. In a moment a blaze from the grate of the stove ignited the oil in the can and an explosion which was heard throughout the house followed.

The burning oil was scattered over the room, setting fire to the clothes of Mrs. Ratza and the children.

The husband was in an adjoining room and his injuries were sustained while trying to save his wife and children. The house in which the fire occurred was a 2 1/2-story frame. It was owned by Mrs. Barbara Zankle, who conducted a livery on the first floor. The loss is placed at \$1,500, partially insured.

It was occupied by three families, but the Ratzas were the only ones injured. The victims were removed to the morgue.

### Big Fire in Aberdeen, O.

MAYFIELD, Ky., July 23.—Early today the large tanyard at Aberdeen, O., belonging to Martin & Riedley, burned together with several small dwellings and other houses, entailing a loss of \$30,000. In the storeroom of the tanyard were \$3,000 worth of fine leather stock ready to ship today.

### Fire at Flora, Miss.

MEMPHIS, July 23.—The postoffice and eight stores at Flora, Miss., were burned yesterday morning. Loss about \$6,000.

## TWO BOYS MURDERED.

### Their Bodies Found in a Mill Pond in Tennessee.

KNOXVILLE, July 23.—The bodies of Wheeler and Mynatt Hatmaker were found in a mill pond near the Kentucky line not far from Jackson, Tenn. Investigation by a coroner's jury showed that the boys had been murdered by being stabbed and beaten and then their bodies thrown into the water.

Suspicion is said to point to Silas Neilly. Neilly fled after the verdict of the coroner's jury was known. A feud has existed between Neilly and the Hatmakers for several years. Neilly having been whipped by a brother of the Hatmaker boys. The boys who were killed were only 11 and 14 years old, and the murder must have been unprovoked and therefore a statement is intense in the community.

### Will L. & N. Enter Charleston?

CHARLESTON, July 23.—Rumors concerning the entrance of the Louisville and Nashville railway system into Charleston are current here from good, reliable sources. For a day or more railroad people have heard in an indirect way that the Louisville and Nashville had purchased, or arranged to purchase, the Augusta division of the Southern railway, extending from Augusta to Branchville, and that Charleston would be reached over the line of the Southern under traffic arrangements between the two systems. While no official word is authorized to talk of the report, the fact is not denied that it has reached their ears, and just now the situation is extremely interesting.

### Shot From Ambush.

KNOXVILLE, July 23.—News has reached here from Tazewell, Tenn., stating that Clint Legers was shot from an ambush and instantly killed in Hancock county, Tenn. He was robbed of about \$50 which he had on his person.

### Lightning Strikes Mill Owner.

COLQUITT, Ga., July 23.—A. J. Cowart, while at his sawmill, was struck by lightning yesterday and is not expected to live.

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## SOLD TO GOVERNMENT.

### Florida Disposes of Quarantine Plant at Mullet Key.

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., July 20.—Information was obtained here today that negotiations pending for some time between the Florida board of health and Florida board of commissioners of state institutions and the United States treasury department for the sale of the state quarantine plant at Mullet Key, near Tampa, to the treasury department have been completed, only the formal execution of the papers remaining. It is also stated that negotiations have been consummated for a lease of all the Florida quarantine stations to the treasury department for three years.

Under the new management the quarantine stations will be operated by the United States marine hospital service regulations. Dr. J. Y. Porter, state health officer, and Governor Jennings recently conferred with officials in Washington and an agreement as to terms of the sale and lease has just been reached as a result of their visit. It is not announced how much the government paid for Mullet Key.

## WILL FAST FIFTY DAYS.

### Murderer Will Try to Escape Jail by Starving Himself.

MAON, July 20.—Isador Minder, the condemned murderer of Andrew Mahoney, who has been in the Bibb county jail ever since the crime was committed, last October, announced this morning that on tomorrow he will commence to fast for 50 days, presumably with the view of starving himself to death and thus escape dying on the gallows. He made this announcement when informed that the supreme court had refused to grant him a new trial. At a recent term of the superior court Minder was found guilty of murder and was sentenced to death, but a stay of execution was granted, as Minder's counsel appealed to the supreme court for a new trial.

The case of Minder will in all probability go to the supreme court of the United States on a federal question.

## SOON BE CITY AGAIN.

### Jacksonville Rising Rapidly From Her Ashes.

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., July 23.—There is considerable activity in Jacksonville, so far as rebuilding the city is concerned, and skilled workmen are in demand. In all parts of the city carpenters and masons are at work, and within two months Jacksonville will again be a city. Outside of the business section about 300 houses have been built or are under construction since the fire. Some of these are commodious and handsome residences, while a majority are cottages or small 2-story houses. The western portion of the city is on a big boom just now, but step by step the progress is showing up towards the east.

### Internal Revenue Receipts.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., July 20.—It is now estimated that the internal revenue receipts of Alabama collected by the federal government for the present month, the first of the new fiscal year, will be \$80,000. This would show a falling off of but \$5,000. The falling off in the sale of revenue stamps in July will probably amount to \$10,000, but in other respects increases will be shown to the extent of about \$6,000. It is figured that the falling off in stamp sales in Alabama for the ensuing fiscal year will be about \$100,000.

### Boys Drown in Pond.

AUGUSTA, Ga., July 23.—Clayton Whitton, aged 18 years; Sumter Bradley, aged 10 years, and his brother, aged 6 years, went in "washing" in a pond made by the excavation of clay at Harkinson's pottery in north Augusta last afternoon. The two older boys stepped off into a deep hole and were drowned. The little fellow returned home, found his parents out riding and said nothing about the drowning until their return. When the boys were gotten out they had been dead several hours.

### Big Florida Land Deal.

ST. ANDREWS BAY, Fla., July 23.—The German-American Lumber company, of which Messrs. B. P. Jones and J. R. Saunders of Valdosta, Ga., have a controlling interest, has purchased 30,000 acres of timber land near this place from the St. Andrews Lumber company, paying about \$48,000 for it. This gives the company about 80,000 acres in this section, which is said to be realizing about \$8 an acre for milling purposes, to say nothing of its value for naval stores.

### Wants \$11,500 Damages.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., July 20.—In the United States court today suit was filed by Joseph Bryan against the Ivy Coal and Coke company for \$11,500. The plaintiff alleges that the defendant company cut trees from his property in Walker county to the number of 1,135, for which he claims damages in the sum named.

### Headquarters at Jacksonville.

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., July 23.—The Florida Fancy Pineapple association, which is composed of about 150 leading pineapple growers of the state, has arranged to make Jacksonville its business headquarters and general distributing point. H. P. Chenoweth is general manager of the association.

### Howard Case Dies in England.

LONDON, July 23.—Howard Case, an American, prominent in Paris and New York, died suddenly at Lancaster today. Mr. Case, who had been in England a couple of months, had been under the care of physicians who had been treating him for heart disease. His death is attributed to syncope.

### Crops Given Over to Grass.

RALEIGH, July 19.—Farmers assert positively that in this part of North Carolina one-fourth of the cotton and corn crops has been turned out to grass.

### Lightning Kills Negro Woman.

PERKINS, July 23.—Rhodie Noble, a negro woman, living 3 miles from here, was killed by lightning while in a field near her home.

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