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SHERIFF IS BLAMED

Indignant People Demand He be Prosecuted.

NINETEEN KILLED

And Forty-One Injured—The Bloody Crisis Near Lattimer—Four Miners Died This Morning.

By Telegraph to the Press-Visitor.
HAZELTON, Pa., Sept. 11.—The strike situation reached a terrible crisis yesterday when a band of deputy sheriffs fired into an infuriated mob of miners. The men fell like so many sheep, and no accurate figures of the dead and wounded can be obtained.

HAZELTON, Pa., Sept. 11.—The state militia, every man with loaded rifle gleaming and bayonet ready for any sort of work he may be called to do, are on guard today at the little mining village of Lattimer. The ninth regiment of Wilkesbarre arrived early this morning. It is expected the rest of the third brigade numbering about twenty-five hundred will be in full possession of this city and the neighboring mining villages this afternoon. The brigade is commanded by Gen. Gobin, recently elected grand commander of the grand army of the republic. The governor's action in ordering troops is in response to a telegram of leading citizens at Hazelton. A mass-meeting of citizens not in any way connected with the coal strike was held last night and resolutions passed denouncing the shooting of miners and protesting against sending troops on ground, that they are not needed and demanding the prosecution of the sheriff and deputies. Indignation is at fever heat and the sheriff's explanation is received every where with expressions of disgust.

Official information is that nineteen were killed and forty-one wounded. Eleven were instantly killed and four died during the night and four died this morning.

POTILLA WILL SUE.

Will Take Action Against Jim Young for Libel.

W. A. Potilla, of Oxford, the colored educator who was defeated by Joe Perry for the position of principal of the colored institution for the deaf and dumb, will sue Jim Young for libel.

Potilla states in a letter to a friend in Raleigh that he will take this course. The article on which Potilla bases his suit for libel is not known, but it is a matter of fact that charges were preferred against his character before the election.

Potilla has retained Mr. T. M. Pittman, of Henderson as his attorney in his suit against Young.

FILIBUSTERER OFF.

Arms, Ammunition and Cubans Got Away in Florida.

By Telegraph to the Press-Visitor.
JACKSONVILLE, Fla., Sept. 11.—Information from Garrabell announced last night that the filibustering expedition left there on a schooner at daybreak, carrying thirty Cubans besides arms and ammunition. It is believed that the transfer will be made outside to some other vessel.

Suspicious Cases in New Orleans.

By Telegraph to the Press-Visitor.
NEW YORK, Sept. 11.—The announcement of twelve suspicious cases on one square in this city, and that three cases had developed since the death of a young lady, who had come from Ocean Springs, caused a large measure of alarm in the public mind early in the day, but this was allayed when the facts became known. All reports received by Dr. Oliphant were so favorable that renewed confidence was infused in the officials of the board.

Court Milked the Cow.

By Telegraph to the Press-Visitor.
PITTSBURG, Pa., Sept. 11.—Alderman Eynon, of this city, is almost a Solomon in judgment. John Kovinski brought before his Honor a cow he had bought of Bernard Keller, and claimed her milk was bad. The Alderman stepped from his courtroom door and milked the cow. If good cream rises on the milk by morning his judgment will be for the defense.

Mrs J. O. Gresham and Misses Catharine, Isabelle and Louise Gresham, of Roaring Gap, are registered at the Park hotel.

CANCELS ALL DATES.

Bad Business Causes the Widow Goldstein Company to Return to New York.

The Widow Goldstein Company cancelled its Southern engagements and returned to New York this morning by the Southern Railway via Norfolk.

The bad business, due to the intense heat, caused Manager Marks to take the step. The company played the large Virginia towns and business was not much better there than in Raleigh. Manager Marks will take the company west from New York, where he can escape the heat that has produced such bad business.

The company was to have played in Goldsboro tonight, Wilmington Monday, and Florence, S. C. Tuesday. They were booked south as far as New Orleans.

The Widow Goldstein, the new three act comedy, was presented at the Academy of Music last evening to a very small audience, but an appreciative one that was liberal in its manifestations of applause.

The evening was one of the warmest of the year and the heat was almost unbearable. The Widow Goldstein is not deserving of the raps given it by certain Norfolk and Richmond papers. The piece is a good one and is bound to be a winner.

Though the heat was intense the company presented the play in an altogether acceptable manner. The work of Mr. Harry Rogers, as Sam Goldstein was the life of the play. He represents the legitimate in comedy and it was plainly evident that he was the favorite with those present.

BANCROFT, MAGICIAN.

A Notable Engagement at the Academy Next Friday Night.

In Bancroft's brilliant entertainment modern magic has reached its climactic point. The death of the late Herrman left Bancroft the supreme and undisputed master of the field, but it is not too much to say that even if the old veteran were alive today he could scarcely hope to hold his own in comparison with the splendid genius of the younger man. Bancroft's performance includes many of his latest inventions and novelties and his newest feats oflegerdemain exceed anything of the kind heretofore presented. The perfect bearing of the finished artist is observable in every move and syllable of the magician's staccato presence and conversation and it is certain that he has reached the pinnacle of artistic success. Costly scenery and elaborate surroundings add mystery and bewilderment to his unrivalled performance.

The scenery for one of his principal acts is painted to represent oyst columns and in the background is an immense marble stair case, descending which, the magician makes his first appearance. The scene is a beautiful one and off-set by magnificently carved furniture. There are tables supported by elephants' tusks, coiling serpents and other equally unique designs. The entire programme is staged in the same sumptuous fashion. Bancroft is a matchless personification of surprise and mystery. His natural equipment as a magician and entertainer has never been equalled. His slight-of-hand skill is completely baffling and far in advance of the magicians of the old school. He has been called the "end of the century magician." He is remarkably handsome, with charm of manner and wit as an entertainer that make his performance as merry as it is mysterious. Among the many special features which are novelties in his repertoire for this season may be mentioned the "Secrets of Jeypore," the "Oracle of Egypt," the "Miracles of Chunder Hula," and the "Unveiled Marvels of the Pyramids."

The programme which Bancroft will present next Friday at the Academy of Music eclipses all of his previous efforts and his entertainment is one of the most noteworthy of this season's theatrical attractions.

It's the Truth, Bailley.

The Raleigh correspondent of the Charlotte Observer says: Senator Butler is shouting "Depose the commissioners!" Bailley of North Carolina wants to know why, if there is such a row about the renting by Maj Wilson to Otho Wilson of the Round Knob eating house, it is not correct to ask if there is "undue influence" in the leasing of Gov. Russell's seaside villa to Senator Butler.

A BEAUTIFUL COIN.

The Souvenir Issued for the Cause of the Cuban Republic.

Several of the souvenir coins of the Cuban republic, which are being sold to secure funds for the fighting patriots have been received in Raleigh during the past few days. The coin, which is of silver, is a work of art.

A. J. Cobe, president of the Bel-seur Coal Mining Company, of New York, while visiting Havana last winter, became interested in the Cuban war and on his return north, determined to help the struggling Cubans. He consulted the Cuban Junta in New York and proposed to them the idea of issuing a silver dollar redeemable by the Cuban republic on obtaining their liberty. He offered to furnish the capital necessary and give all the profits to the Junta. February last he bought machinery at a cost of eighteen thousand dollars and had dies cast for the making of the coin.

When his first issue was ready the United States Treasury department at Washington made him stop the coinage on account of international law which forbids coining money.

The design of the coin on one side was a beautiful head, really a work of art, representing Liberty with the words "Patria y Libertad, 1897, Uno Pecho"—on the reverse side, a shield, the rising sun and a key with the words "Republica De Cuba" and six stars. When the government interfered with the coinage, to get around the law the words "Uno Pecho" which means one dollar, was removed and "Souvenir" put on instead.

The coin is about the size of an American dollar and contains the same amount of silver.

The cost of the making of the coin is about sixty cents and is sold for one dollar, the profit of forty cents going to the Cuban cause—to purchase ammunition, guns, war vessels, etc. About one hundred thousand have already been sold and it is expected to sell at least one million of these souvenirs.

It makes a beautiful pocket piece and is quite a curiosity for coin collectors and it is hoped in the near future will be redeemable by the republic of Cuba for one good American dollar. Every sympathizer with Cuba should possess one of these beautiful souvenirs.

MAY BE COOLER MONDAY

The Weather Bureau Predicts a Slight Chance for Rain on Monday.

The prediction by the Weather Bureau for Raleigh and vicinity is fair tonight and Sunday; increasing cloudiness Sunday afternoon. Slight chance for rain and cooler weather Monday.

The maximum temperature yesterday was 94 degrees. The barometer this morning was 30.18 inches. The barometer has fallen over Florida, indicating the presence of a storm in the east Gulf. A wind velocity of 30 miles was reported from Port Eads. Heavy rains continue over Florida.

The high area has moved from the northwest to the Lake region and joins the ridge of high pressure on the middle Atlantic coast. The weather continues fair and very warm throughout the greater portion of the country and especially warm on the north Atlantic coast, with 80 degrees at 8 a. m., at Boston and 82 at Philadelphia. Cloudy weather prevails in the Lake region and northwest.

Great Revival in Progress.

Revival services are being held at Brooklyn Church, of which Rev. R. H. Whitaker is the pastor. During the early part of the week the preaching was done by Rev. T. H. Bain, formerly of this city, who preached with power. Six young ladies were converted Thursday night. Rev. John F. Batt of Charlotte, former pastor of Brooklyn Mission has arrived and is now preaching to great crowds who come out nightly to hear their old pastor. He will remain here for several days to come and will preach at Brooklyn each night. The indications are that a great revival will be the result of earnest labors.

Sons of the Revolution.

Mr. William E. Stone, of Greensboro, was yesterday elected a member of the Sons of the Revolution and the membership of the F. B. Dancy was transferred to the Virginia society.

Mayor Russ fined a hack-driver named Ruth \$7.25 this morning for violating a depot ordinance.

SPED PAST CROSSING

Engineer Failed to Stop in a Race Near Cary.

AN INVESTIGATION HAD.

Superintendent Mebee Examines Engineer Allen—Southern Engineer at Fault—Passenger Trains Raced.

An investigation is now being had by the Seaboard authorities of a race between the Southern Railway and Seaboard mail trains from here to Cary, in which it is alleged that the engineer of the Southern failed to stop or slack up when he crossed the Seaboard track this side of Cary, though fully cognizant of the fact that the Seaboard train was speeding just behind at the rate of 60 miles an hour.

The General Superintendent of the Seaboard, Mr. V. E. McBea, summoned Engineer Tom Allen to appear before him at Portsmouth, and furnish the facts in the matter as he knew them.

No blame is attached to Engineer Allen, who was at the throttle on No. 11, the Seaboard engine, as he made a full stop before covering the Southern's track.

If the facts as alleged are developed at the investigation by the Seaboard, then charges will be preferred and turned over to the Southern. It is difficult to believe that an engineer would be so reckless and careless as to be guilty of the charge, preferred against the Southern railway engineer.

FARMER FLIM-FLAMMED.

Two Town Boys do up a Countryman From Holly Springs.

Nelson Battle is a well to do farmer from Holly Springs. This morning he came to Raleigh and disposed of a wagon load of fruit and vegetables. After making sale of these goods Nelson went to a livery stable to put up his horse in order to do some shopping.

But here is where the innocent farmer made a mistake. He was sized up by a glib colored youth, who gave him the glad hand and invited him around the corner, where he made it appear that he had all kinds of easy money to pick up.

When around the corner the youth with the gay face was accosted by a companion who offered to sell him a deck of cards. These the other fellow agreed to buy and pulled out a dollar with which to pay for them. Neither of the boys claimed to have any change and the old man from Holly Springs was asked to make the change. He pulled out a handful of money. One of the boys grabbed the money in the old man's hand and ran, followed by his partner. The countryman was so dumfounded that he did not fully realize what had happened for several minutes.

Old man Battle reported the occurrence to the officers, but there is no way to locate the boys.

MARSHALS AT THE FAIR.

Col. Lybrook Coming with Aides, Who Will Bring their Own Horses.

Col. P. H. Lybrook, the Chief Marshal of the State fair writes that eight young gentlemen of Winston have been appointed aides to the Chief Marshal and that they will accompany him to the fair, each bringing his own horse. Col. Lybrook and aides will make the Park Hotel headquarters, apartments having already been secured.

Col. Lybrook also states in the letter, which is addressed to Major J. E. Alexander, that 34 gentlemen from other parts of the state have signified their intention of being present at the Fair.

The chief marshal further says that seventy-five assistant marshals outside of those in Raleigh will be present. Quite a number of Raleigh gentlemen have been requested to act as assistant marshals.

Sheriff Call, of Wilkesboro, brought two convicts, both boys, to the penitentiary today. Andrew Buze, a lad of about 19 years of age, comes to serve a twelve year term for manslaughter. The other convict, who is colored, serves a short term.

Mr S C Pool, after spending some time at Buffalo Lithia Springs, Va., has returned home.

ODD FELLOWS COLUMN

What the Order is Doing Throughout the State.

The brethren are glad to welcome back to the city brother Bryant of Peace Institute, who has been sojourning among the green hills of Vermont. A new orchestra is soon to be organized in Capitol Lodge under the directorship of Prof. Bryant.

The Sovereign Grand Lodge will witness the opening of a new dormitory for the girls at the orphan home of Lincoln, Illinois at the coming session. This is one of the best conducted homes in the land and is a monument to the sisters of that jurisdiction.

Past Grand Sire Busbee will visit the Nashville Exposition on his way to Springfield to attend the session of the Sovereign Grand Lodge. No Past Grand Sire has more friends, or is more a favorite among the members of that august body than is our Brother Busbee.

While the order in the world is going ahead, our Grand Secretary is trying to build up the same in our midst. On the afternoon of Wednesday last the Daughters of Rebecca, which is a branch of the order and is a valuable auxiliary too, was organized at Charlotte and here is what the Charlotte paper says of it:

"The order, Daughters of Rebecca, was instituted yesterday afternoon in the Odd Fellows' Hall, in the Davidson building, by Mr. B. H. Woodell with twenty members.

"Pretty gold badges, or pins, of the order were presented the Noble Grand and Vice Noble Grand, Mr. J. A. Bell making the presentation speech in handsome words and style."

Whenever the good women of this State make up their minds fully to assist their brethren in visiting the sick, relieving the distressed, burying the dead and educating the orphan as they are doing for other similar organizations, we may expect to see great and grand results as are now being accomplished in the north and west by the true Rebeccas. Such orphan homes as the one at Lincoln, Ill., where a new girls dormitory will be thrown open next week, is the result of the Rebeccas of that grand jurisdiction.

All eyes are now turned towards Springfield, Ill., where the Sovereign Grand Lodge meets on the 20th. The advance reports of the officers show a membership of nine hundred and ninety-seven thousand members and \$68,000 on hand. The running expenses for the fiscal year has been \$62,000. There has been expended for relief alone during the past sixty-six years \$74,356,668. The coming session, being held at a central point, bids fair to be the largest in point of numbers of any in years. The meetings are to be held in the House of Representatives and the Governor holds a reception in honor of the order at the Governors Mansion. The capital city of Illinois will strive to excel if possible all previous demonstrations. Our Virginia brethren are making strenuous efforts, as is also the young men's business association to secure for Richmond the 1898 session.

SOWING THE WIND.

A Splendid Attraction at Metropolitan Opera House.

If there were not a number of more or less good plays now before the public having a similar theme as "Sowing the Wind," by Sydney Grundy, this play would mark an epoch in dramatic literature. As it is, it is certainly the greatest and admittedly the cleanest of them all. It handles a great question boldly, yet with the utmost delicacy, garnished with the grace of superlatively excellent English and devoid of offensive flippancy. Few plays of the generation have given so strong evidence of power to fascinate, interest and hold the play-going public. We will understand the reason when one of the greatest companies which has ever illustrated it will be seen at the Metropolitan.

Fairbrother Indicted for Libel.

The grand jury of Durham county have returned a true bill against Al. Fairbrother, formerly editor of the Durham Globe, but now editor of Fairbrother's Farrago, published at Danville, Va., for criminal libel. The case will come up for trial at the January term of court. It is alleged that George W. Watts, a member of the firm of W. Duke, Sons & Co., was the person libelled, and that publication of the articles appeared some time last spring or early summer in the Farrago.

GETS THREE YEARS.

Milam, the Embezzler, is Sentenced to the Penitentiary.

John L. Milam, the local ticket agent at Charlotte who embezzled \$1,444.44, the property of the Seaboard Air-Line, was sentenced to three years imprisonment in the penitentiary last evening.

Mr. Milam was, at the time the theft was committed, chief clerk in the Seaboard's ticket office in Charlotte. He began to deal in futures and this was the secret of his downfall. He mysteriously disappeared the evening of August 31 and nothing was heard of him until he was arrested at Morristown, Tenn. He came back to Charlotte without requisition papers and has since been confined in the county jail.

Milam is a man of family and is about 50 years old. He has held several prominent positions with different roads in the south and is considered one of the best of ticket agents. Mr. Gilbert, representing the bond company, of Baltimore, was put on the stand and questioned regarding the surety bond that Milam held for \$2,000 in his company.

TODAY'S MARKETS.

The Movements in New York and Liverpool Markets.

NEW YORK, Sept. 11.
By private wire to John A. Duncan, broker, 307 Wilmington street.
The following are the opening, highest, lowest and closing quotations of the New York cotton market:

MONTHS.	OPEN-ING.	HIGH-EST.	LOW-EST.	CLOS-ING.
January	6 80	6 83	6 80	6 80-81
February	6 83	6 86	6 83-85	6 83-85
March	6 78	6 80	6 87	6 87-88
April	6 90	7 02	6 90	6 90-92
May	6 95	6 98	6 95	6 94-96
June	.....	.....	.....	.....
July	.....	.....	.....	.....
August	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sept'm'b'r	7 02	7 02	6 95	6 96-97
October	6 83	7 83	6 73	6 80-81
November	6 75	6 76	6 73	6 73-74
December	6 76	6 79	6 75	6 76-77

Port Receipts of Cotton.

	TODAY.	LAST YR.
Boston	.....	145
Baltimore	.....	.....
Brunswick	.....	.....
Charleston	1458	4084
Galveston	7997	8586
Houston	.....	2765
New York	.....	.....
New Orleans	.....	6192
New York News	.....	.....
Norfolk	217	1281
Port Royal	.....	.....
Savannah	6400	554
Houston	10518	12299

Chicago Grain and Provision Market.

The following were the closing quotations on the Chicago Grain and Provision market today:

Lard—Dec. 1.35; Oct. 1.45.
Pork—Oct. 8.20; Dec. 8.27.
Clear Rib Sides—Dec. 5.22; Oct. 5.77.
Wheat—Sept. 96; Dec. 95.
Corn—Sept. 30; Dec. 31.
Oats—Sept. 19; Dec. 21.

Liverpool Cotton Market.

The following were the closing quotations of the Liverpool cotton market today:

August	.....
August-September	3.62-3
September-October	3.55-56
October-November	3.48-49
November-December	3.44-45
December-January	3.43-44
January-February	3.43-44
February-March	3.44

New York Stock Market.

The following were the closing quotations on the New York Stock Exchange:

Sugar	155
American Tobacco	934
Chicago Gas	1044
Manhattan	1114
Louisville and Nashville	614
Western Union	964
Jersey central	97
Burlington and Quincy	1014
Omaha	834
Rock Island	974
St. Paul	101
B. & O.	15
Chesapeake & Ohio	254
Missouri Pacific	39
New York central	1124
Southern Preferred	374
Union Pacific	194
Wabash Preferred	234
Chicago & North Western	1274

Live Items, These.

O. F. Cooper, of North Carolina, has passed the examination at Annapolis, and been admitted to the Academy.

Mr. J. W. Fries, the Salem manufacturer, who has been selected as a member of the proposed monetary commission (proposed by the Indianapolis conference) has been notified and has accepted.

General Thomas Lanier Clingman, of Asheville, has been taken to the hospital at Morgan.

Justice Roberts has decided the test case instituted against Z. T. Broughton for auctioneering without license. Justice Roberts decides in favor of Mr. Broughton.

SHORT STATEMENTS

Minor Matters Manipulated for the Many.

AROUND IN THE CITY.

Port-Points of the News Pictured on Paper—Points and People Pertinently Picked and Pithily Put in Print.

Mr Ben Baker went to Baltimore today.

Mr J C Brown, of Durham, is here.

Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Capehart returned to Kittrell today.

Two ten-wheel locomotives, built by the Richmond Locomotive-Works for the Seaboard Air-Line, arrived here yesterday. These engines are found to be admirable work.

Rev. John F. Butt will preach at Brooklyn at 11 a. m., tomorrow and also at 8 p. m. Let all the people go and hear this earnest, zealous and successful minister of the gospel.

The Epworth League services of Central M. E. Church tomorrow afternoon at 5 o'clock will be of a revival nature. Mr. J. R. Johnson, formerly of Colorado, will discuss the topic, Saints and sinners are urged to attend.

Mr F A Hege has returned from the west where he has been attending Farmers' Institutes. Mr Hege expects his ostrich eggs to hatch the first week in October. It takes 6 weeks for them to hatch.

Mr. Harry Sellers, the general representative of Bancroft, the greatest, who appears here next Friday, was here today. The town is being billed heavily for this splendid attraction.

In the case of Samuel P. Langdon against Miss Kate Waite (the Cum-moed coal mine case) evidence is being taken and is entirely that of discharged miners or those who have had trouble at the mine.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Carroll, of Shelby, N. C., who have been visiting their daughter, Mrs. Kim W. Weathers, in Portsmouth, Va., are spending a couple of days in the city, the guest of Mr. Ernest Martin No. 215 West Jones St.

Mr. K. W. Weathers and Mrs. Weathers are in the city, and it is a pleasure to their many friends to have them here. Kim looks younger every trip he makes to his old home. He and his estimable lady will return to Portsmouth, Virginia, tomorrow.

NEARLY 250 STUDENTS.

A. and M. College Dormitory Overran—Another Building Needed.

The attendance at the A. and M. College has gone beyond the 200 mark and is now nearing the 250 point.

Every room in the dormitory is occupied and as many as two or three students are crowded in each room. It has become apparent that another dormitory building is absolutely necessary and steps will be taken at once looking to the erection of a new building.

The attendance promises to go to 300 next week.

BANKERS DOUBT IT.

Not Believed that the Bank of England Will Keep a Silver Reserve.

By Cable to the Press-Visitor.

LONDON, Sept. 11.—Bankers here refuse to believe that the Bank of England will agree, as reported, to keep one-fifth of its reserve in silver notwithstanding the urgent requests which are believed are being made by the bimetallic members of the Britain government. A definite statement is expected at the forthcoming meeting of the bank.

Celebrated Her 101st Birthday.

By Telegraph to the Press-Visitor.
WONNATY, N. J., Sept. 11.—Mrs Miram Barber, of Almonesson, celebrated her one hundred and first birthday yesterday. She is failing in health, but highly enjoyed the gathering of relatives and friends. Her husband, Edward Barber, died thirteen years ago, aged 98 years, and she has since made her home with her son, Andrew J. Barber. She was the mother of eleven children, three of whom are living.