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WASHINGTON LETTER.

What is Happening in the Capital of Our Country.

(From our Regular Correspondent.)

Washington, March 4, 1898.

That no immediate action is expected on the Maine catastrophe was shown by the departure for Cuba, this week, of a party including Senators Thurston, Money and Gallinger, and Representatives Amos J. Cummings and William Alden Smith. These gentlemen are going directly to Havana on a private yacht, for the purpose of doing a little investigating on their own hook, and they expect to get information that will be useful when the matter gets before Congress. They expect to be gone about ten days.

There is quite a stir among members of the House over a report that Czar Reed intended to try to rush the rest of the appropriation bills through and to force an adjournment of Congress in order to prevent a declaration of war, or any other action on Cuba. A paper was at once circulated by Republicans among Republicans pledging the signers to vote against adjournment under any circumstances before satisfactory action had been taken on the Cuban question, and enough signers have already been obtained to block any adjournment scheme, with the aid of the Democratic and Populist votes, which have been promised.

A bill for the conditional repeal of the Federal tax on currency issued by State banks has been introduced by Senator Platt, of New York, much to the surprise of Democrats, who have at various times sought the repeal of that tax, which they have always considered unjust. Mr. Platt's bill authorizes State banks to deposit with the United States Treasurer the bonds of any State, city or county and to receive in exchange circulating notes to the extent of 80 per cent of the deposits and 20 per cent of the capital stock of the bank. The securities to be held in trust for the redemption of the bonds circulating notes, just as United States bonds are now held for national bank notes.

It was officially announced this week by Secretary Alger that the government relief expedition to the Klondike miners had been abandoned, and authority to sell the stuff purchased, including the remainder, has been asked of Congress. No official announcement has been made to that effect, but it is stated that it is now fully known that the whole business was a systematic scheme on the part of certain sharpers to "do" the government.

RAILWAY NOTES.

The new schedule on the run to Norfolk puts two of the conductors back in Greensboro who have not been here in some time. Capt. Witherspoon and Capt. Will. Coble, who have been running from Selma to Norfolk, now run through to this place. Capt. Tom Fowler, who had the night run to and from Raleigh, is the other man on the new run.

Jim Graves the other conductor on the Raleigh train, has it is said, skipped the country, not for anything wrong, but the "horse" says Jim was thrown with a man who had small pox and the company told him he must go into quarantine, whereupon Jim left and has not been seen lately.

However, this is likely a fake, for a man yesterday said he was in Greensboro, and the "horse" says Jim was thrown with a man who had small pox and the company told him he must go into quarantine, whereupon Jim left and has not been seen lately.

There are now six conductors of Southern passenger trains running into Raleigh, three on the run between this place and Norfolk, and three on the Goldsboro run—Captains Fry, Pollock and Gilliland.

The Monroe Enquirer says that a man was granted a divorce in Union court last week and the next night was married again and is now living with wife No. 2.

The need of a good Spring Medicine is almost universal and Hood's Sarsaparilla exactly meets this need. Be sure to get Hood's.

Sam Allison, colored, who lives in Chatham has a fine cow, the cow as if she were his mother. The cow stands on its hind feet and puts its fore feet upon the cow.

WANTED.

To rent a Remington Typewriter. Address "L," No. 118 E. Hargett street, 21.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY. Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 25 cents. The genuine has L. B. Q. on each tablet.

LOST. A pointer puppy, about ten months old, white with lemon spots. Answers to the name of "Audie." Reward will be paid for his return. J. F. FERRALL.

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WANTED.

Forty spinning room hands at once. Apply at CARALEIGH MILLS.

Nice lot of Apples just received. W. B. BARNES & CO., Academy of Music, March 3-21.

FOR SALE.

5,000 cords of wood for sale, seven miles from city. Call on Walter L. Womble, city. 51-e-o-d

FOR SALE.

A first-class second hand gent's wheel. See 20-17

Consumption Positively Cured.

Mr. R. B. Greeve, merchant, of Chilhowie, Va., certifies that he had consumption, was given up to die, sought all medical treatment that money could procure, tried all cough remedies he could hear of, but got no relief; spent many nights sitting up in a chair; was induced to try Dr. King's New Discovery, and was cured by use of two bottles. For past three years has been attending to business, and says Dr. King's New Discovery is the grandest remedy ever made, as it has done so much for him and also for others in his community. Dr. King's New Discovery is guaranteed for coughs, colds and consumption. It don't fail. Trial bottle free at any drug store.

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For School Boys and Girls:

With every 5¢ tablet, ink or pen, writing or composition book, we give a red pencil, 6 months, a blue ink, a box of eraser, 6 pieces of candy, a sheet of paper, does a box of colored ink, or a few's help.

We want you to see we give the biggest and best tablet for 5 cent in Raleigh.

So dress oranges and juicy, sweet oranges and juicy, sweet oranges and juicy, California oranges and juicy, all for 45¢ doz., 20¢ doz., and 25¢ doz. This is all sweet and good and if you buy them and they are not sweet we will return your money.

Push now puts 10¢ per doz. of these and fresh and if you do not find them so money can be returned.

Riggan's Toy Store.

Raleigh's Biggest Store.

Is all a bloom with the new Spring Wash Fabrics; faithful imitations of nature's sweetest blossoms, and rarest flowers. The most delightful blending of richest colors into harmonious creations of rarest loveliness.

Dreams of loveliness from over the seas, are side by side with the soft filmy fabrics of America's brightest artists. Marvelous productions of high art fabrics to adorn Raleigh's fair women, and all at prices which place them in reach of all. We have the most elaborate collection of all the most exclusive and best patterns of all the new things we ever had, even at The Big Store, where all women have learned to come first, for style, beauty, grace, worth, and lowness of price.

Our First Opening is Monday,

On which day we will have this line of goods on display.

We invite all the ladies to come and enjoy the whole day with us, and take the time to look through the whole stock.

If you love to look at lovely gowns and beautiful patterns, you will be well repaid for coming.

We invite you Cordially.

JONES' BIG STORE.

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A number of comfortable rooms at Park Hotel, with fire, lights and attendance at very low rates by the month with or without board at the Yarbrough House.

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If your eyes give you trouble, don't wait for them to get better themselves; but come to us and we will give you with proper GLASSES. Your eyesight may be ruined never can be recovered. Don't trouble with so important a matter. It is no trouble to wear glasses if they are properly made, and to some people they are necessary.

If you are half blind, let us show you what means SEE.

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The Big Racket Store

If you want to get a bargain go to the Lion Racket Store.

They have got anything you want in the way of dress goods, shoes, millinery. Also a line of reduce crockery.

See plates for 14¢; 75¢ plates for 30¢; 80¢ cups and saucers for 64¢; fruit covers we sold for 45¢, reduced to 20¢ for 80¢; better plates 20¢ per dozen.

Then we have a line of 10¢ things. Come look at our blankets, comforts and pillows.

Four pound pillows for 54¢.

Three and a half pound pillows for 49¢.

Come and look before buying elsewhere.

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A machine you will use every day. Call and see it.

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We have aimed to build this business on the solid rock of public confidence, and it has been our earnest endeavor to have every statement true and free from misrepresentation or exaggeration. To a generous public who made us a success we owe and extend our most grateful acknowledgments. You will always find us enterprising, progressive and aggressive in every thing pertaining to business—liberal in our ways of dealing—eager to please—glad to right any wrong, and ever ready to take back anything bought of us that isn't entirely satisfactory. How well we have served you is a matter of history; how well we shall do it is what concerns us. The look is always ahead.

NEW SILKS.

Time was when the buying of a silk dress or waist was an event; now-a-days it is merely an incident. Price and the wonderful progressiveness of this great Nineteenth century makes it impossible for these gently fabrics to come within the reach of all. Our prices will amply surprise you. Black Plain Swiss Taffeta \$3.99, 4.99, 5.99, 6.99, 7.99, 8.99, 9.99, 10.99, 11.99, 12.99, 13.99, 14.99, 15.99, 16.99, 17.99, 18.99, 19.99, 20.99, 21.99, 22.99, 23.99, 24.99, 25.99, 26.99, 27.99, 28.99, 29.99, 30.99, 31.99, 32.99, 33.99, 34.99, 35.99, 36.99, 37.99, 38.99, 39.99, 40.99, 41.99, 42.99, 43.99, 44.99, 45.99, 46.99, 47.99, 48.99, 49.99, 50.99, 51.99, 52.99, 53.99, 54.99, 55.99, 56.99, 57.99, 58.99, 59.99, 60.99, 61.99, 62.99, 63.99, 64.99, 65.99, 66.99, 67.99, 68.99, 69.99, 70.99, 71.99, 72.99, 73.99, 74.99, 75.99, 76.99, 77.99, 78.99, 79.99, 80.99, 81.99, 82.99, 83.99, 84.99, 85.99, 86.99, 87.99, 88.99, 89.99, 90.99, 91.99, 92.99, 93.99, 94.99, 95.99, 96.99, 97.99, 98.99, 99.99, 100.99, 101.99, 102.99, 103.99, 104.99, 105.99, 106.99, 107.99, 108.99, 109.99, 110.99, 111.99, 112.99, 113.99, 114.99, 115.99, 116.99, 117.99, 118.99, 119.99, 120.99, 121.99, 122.99, 123.99, 124.99, 125.99, 126.99, 127.99, 128.99, 129.99, 130.99, 131.99, 132.99, 133.99, 134.99, 135.99, 136.99, 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