Weather.

Washington, March 13.-Forecast for North Carolina for tonight and Sunday: Rain tonight and Sunday; moderate to brisk southerly winds.

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ONE IS KILLED; AND OTHERS ARE

Terrible Wreck on the Seaboard Near Colon Early This Morning

ORDERS WERE MISREAD

Terrible Head on Collision Near Colon This Morning-Passenger and Freight Ran Together on a Curve, Both Engines Leaving the Track-Several Cars Splintered Into Kindling Wood-The Freight Engineer Had Misrcad His Orders -The Fireman on the Passenger Train Was Killed, and the Engineer, Ed. Robertson, Injured.

There was a terrible wreck early this morning, six miles from Colon, at full speed when the collision ocof the freight train, misread his orwas an hour and a half late, which tude was not the case. It was number 32 that was late.

The trains came together on a The baggage and express cars, and to meet the pay roll. the first passenger car of the passenger train were splintered into kindling wood.

Mr. Eisenhart, of the freight train, of Raleigh, was killed and up to nine six months is \$57.59. o'clock his body had not been found. Captain W. C. Cox, conductor on number 33, had his leg broken.

Mr. Ed. C. Robertson, of Raleigh, engineer on number 33 was badly cut and bruised. He was pinned under the wreckage.

porter on the passenger train was also injured.

Hamlet, who was on number 23, was very badly bruised, John Newton, colored, of Hamlet, had his leg painfully crushed.

Mr. W. S. Rowe, the express messenger, was badly cut and bruised. Sam Wicks, colored, of Charlotte, received a cut on the head.

Col. Haywood, a colored waiter of the Yarborough House, Raleigh, was painfully injured and cut very badly.

Captain Cox, when found, was in inter-marrying. danger of being crushed by the express safe, which was hanging over by the uninjured ones of the crew.

The injured will either be brought to Raleigh or taken to Sanford for treatment. The body of Hosey, the colored

fireman, was found under the hear that she will come with him to Texas of the boiler, badly mutilated. One and remain here as long as she passenger had not been found today at one o'clock. The baggage car, which was badly

smashed, was found to contain an extra large amount of booze.

At 12:20 today the track was and 66 were allowed to pass.

VAGRANTS GETTING SCARCE.

In West Raleigh-Authorities' Close After Them. Since Squire Yerby and D. Byrum,

the efficient constable of Raleigh township, got in behind the loafers of West Raleigh their number has considerably lessened.

The treatment accorded one Shine Finch, a member of the colore: branch of the "sons of rest," by the above named combination, has had a most satisfactory effect. According to the testimony of his own witnesses "Shine" had only worked six months, all told, in six years. He is now doing his duty by the county of his nativity at Superintendent Allen's detention camp.

RECEPTION LAST NIGHT.

Baracas of West Raleigh Are Entertained.

Farmer were also present,

9 o'clock refreshments were served oughly understood, or at least offic- vestment they have made. consisting of brick cream and home- ials of the state department, who are made cake. The occasion was much particularly reticent on the subject, enjoyed by all present.

Present Income and Cost of CONGRESS MEETS ITALIAN DETECTIVE Operation of City Schools

To the Voters of Raleigh Township:

As an election is to be held on Tuesday the 16th inst, to determine whether or not we will increase our tax rate for the graded schools by 15 cents on the hundred dollars of property and 45 cents on the poll, we deem it proper at this time to give you the present income and cost of operation of the schools, and an estimate of the probable amount to be raised by the increase.

From the general county taxes for schools for 1908, the county board of education has apportioned to Raleigh township. \$18,813.90 The levy from special graded school tax 21,111.50

From this amount is to be deducted insolvents as well as commissions of sheriff and treasurer On the basis of past experience this will amount to about \$4,000.00. This leaves a net income of about \$34,-

We now have enrolled 3,027 children with 79 teachers. The cost of teachers and janitors will amount to\$38,117.50 Estimated cost of fuel 1,600.00 Repairs, improvements, and supplies......

Sinking fund on High School loan and interest on money borrowed 2,170.00 Incidentals for 13 buildings Insurance Water Current and lights

Total cost of term\$44,582.00 In addition to the High School loan there is an indebtedness to the Raleigh Savings Bank of \$10,000.00 which must be taken care of at the rate of at least \$2,500.00 a year. This makes the total expense about

The 15 cents increase will raise three-fourths of the amount now raised by the 20 cents levy and will amount to \$15,833.00 less commissions and insolvents, leaving net amount that would be derived by the increased tax of about \$13,500.00. This would make the total estimated ger train, No. 33, which left Raleigh income \$49,425.00. This gives an apparent excess of revenue of \$2,343. at 3:15, ran into a north-bound but we call your attention to the fact that our public schools comprise 13 freight. Both trains were running buildings requiring constant repairs and will need painting in the next year or two. The Brooklyn school acommodates only about one half of curred. Engineer M. J. Eisenhart, the children within its territory. The growth of our population will make it absolutely necessary to continue increasing our facilities, hence ders, understanding it that No. 33 the margin shown is a very small one for an enterprise of such magni-

After paying outstanding warrants, bills, and accounts, we expect to bave a balance of \$948.09 on hand for the present year. This will make it necessary for us to borrow a sufficient sum of money to meet curve and both engines left the track. the first month's salaries of the fall term, as taxes are not paid in time

At our request, a competent committee from the Chamber of Commerce has gone carefully over our salary list and expenses and are unanimously of the opinion that they are not too high. Even with the present force of teachers many of our grades are the crowded and should be and his fireman both jumped and relieved by the employment of more teachers. In our opinion, it will be were saved. The fireman of the pas- a great mistake to reduce the efficiency of the schools by cutting out any senger train, Hosey Lindsey, colored, of its departments. The total cost of the Industrial School for the past

> In the conduct of the school we can only promise you that we exercise the most rigid economy consistent with efficiency. James I. Johnson, chairman ex-officio; Richard H. Lewis, H. W. Jackson, G. Rosenthal, T. B. Crowder, E. L. Harris, B. F. Montague.

Mr. Ernest Duval, baggage master, was hurt very badly in the back. The

(By Leased Wire to The Times) Galveston, Texas, March 13 .- If brings his white wife to Galveston he mitted suicide at Monte Carlo as will be prosecuted under the Texas dawn today under remarkable and laws, which forbids whites and blacks

Reports that Johnson has a negro wife living in this city and that tronhis head. He was finally gotten out ble would ensue when the champion returned home, brought out a reply from Johnson that he was legally di- enez cried: vorced from his negro wife and that he had court papers to prove this. He says his white wife is with him, and

pleases. Johnson is basing his defiance of prosecution on the ground that his marriage to the white woman did not take place in Texas, and, therefore, is not amenable to the Texas laws. cleared and trains numbers 81, 38 The United States Supreme court. however, has ruled on the question, and declared that a state has the right to so regulate the union of whites and blacks and impose the penalty if a negro and a white person live together, even though they were legally married in a state per-

mitting such unions. Johnson's attorneys will also fight the case upon the plea that the champion and his wife are only sojourning in Texas...

JAPAN BUYING GUNS.

Gives Orders to the Krupp Works For a Large Number of Cannons.

(By Leased Wire to The Times) Washington, March 12-The state department has just been privately d school tax rate, prior to the aboliadvised by its representatives in tion of the dispensary, was 45c. on Germany that orders for cannon from the \$100. After the dispensary was Japan and Roumania have caused abolished the school committee found such activity in the great Krupp ord- this insufficient to properly conduct Garden today. nance works that the eight hour day the schools efficiently, including the has been extended to ten hours. In high school department, and they The Golden Deeds class of the West the case of Roumania this order is asked for 15c. additional. This was est contenders with a score of 685 miles Raleigh Baptist church, gave a rebelieved to be due to the probability voted with only two against the
and eight laps.

Davis and Metkus
were second d Dineen and Prouty. ception last night to the Baraca class of impending war with another Eu- proposition. This makes their presof that Sunday school and its officers propean power, but in the case af Ja- nt special tax rate for school purand teachers. Rev. and Mrs. J. S. pan the actual reason for the demand poses 60 cents-just three tin.es the for an increased number of cannon present Raleigh rate. The people of The reception was from 8 to 10. At at this particular time is not thorprofess ignorance on the subject.

SHEER BOREDOM AND WHITE WIFE CAUSES SUICIDE

(By Cable to The Times)

Paris, March 13.-Ferdinand Ravthe champion pugilist, Jack Johnson, enez, a wealthy young Parisian, comsensational circumstances.

The young man gave a supper to a number of his friends at watch the pleasure was fast and furious. Several times during the evening Rav-

"This is nothing! A big surprise is awaiting you at the end!"

At dawn when the party was sep arating Ravenez shouted:

"Now for the great surprise!" At the same time he arose abruptly and walked toward the orchestra which was playing a Hungarian rhansody. His friends, expecting a practical joke, watched him expectantly. They were stupefied to see him suddenly place a pistol to his temple and fire. He fell dead.

The only reason for this act is described as "sheer boredom."

CITIZENS REGARD IN-CREASE RATE AS A **GOOD INVESTMENT**

To the Editor of The Times:

While in Louisburg last week I was informed that the special grad-Louisburg regard this as the best in-

Very truly yours, CHAS. J. PARKER. Raleigh, March 13.

NEXT MONDAY TO REVISE TARIFF

Other Important Matters Besides the Tariff Will be Considered

Tariff Revision Will of Course Occupy the Centre of the Stage, But There Are Many Other Matters of Importance to be Considered-The In-

come Tax, Inheritance Tax, Parcels Post Bill, Postal Savings Bank, Revision and Some Limitation of be Considered-Extra Session Will Have Hands Full.

(By Leased Wire to The Times) Washington, March 13-When ongress assembles on Monday it will begin one of the most important sessions in its history. Tariff revision will, of course, occupy the center of the stage, but beside that for which the whole country is clamoring there are many other measures of the utmost importance that will be considered at this session. Six of these are: The income tax, inheritance tax, parcels post bill, postal savings bank, revision of the currency, and some limitation of the power of injunctions. street, with her five-months-old These and the new tariff bill will fully baby. occupy congress for several months. It is thought the extra session will last until at least the beginning and probably the end of June. There will be as usual, a flood of small bills, but these will receive scant consideration at the hands of the law-makers, in face of the other more important egislation.

President Taft's message to congess will lay stress on the revision of he tariff, and it is understood wil the brief and to the point.

to deal with the Sherman anti-trust was pehaps fatally injured; Fire Chief the rights of capital and labor, which were seriously injured by a falling wail have grown more acute owing to the while fighting the fire that destroyed Compers case decisions,

The new administration is facing and must handle some big problems, most of them inheritances from the Roosevelt regime. Among them are the suits against the Standard Oil Company, the proceedings to dissolve the tobacco trust, the suits against the powder trust, coal trust, and the Harriman railroads. Land fraud prosecutions in the west will, it is understood, be taken up by the new attorney-general, Wickersham, where they were laid down by Bonaparte There are pending, and will be presented, many prosecutions and suits against the railroads under the inter-

state commerce laws. The Taft administration and the extra session of congress will have their hands full with large public questions for the next three months Probably the legislation that will cause more work and worry than any other, next to getting the tariff bill through, so that it pleases a majority of the business interests of the country, will be the attempt to devise some sort of legislation to bring in more revenue to replace the fast dwindling treasury surplus and to provide sufficient funds to pay the current expenses of the government which are constantly increasing at a rate that badly scares the watchdogs of the treasury in the house.

FRENCH TEAM IS STILL IN THE LEAD

(By Leased Wire to The Times) Madison Square Garden, New York, to run Cibat and Orphee, the French team, held the lead in the six day's goasiyou-please race at Madison Square

At nine o'clock this morning they were twenty miles ahead of their near who held the lead in the iniital stages of the games were third.

New President of Harvard. (By Leased Wire to The Times.) The Cambridge, Mass., March 13.-The inauguration of Prof. Lowell as early in October.

SHOT BY ASSASSINS

(By Cable to The Times.)

Petrosino, of the New York police of Palermo, while there on a mysterious case for the New York police authorities. Defective Petrosino, who was one of the best known Italian deectives in the United States, had been he terror of the New York criminals. His assissins are unknown, but it is broad daylight by -a number of men. bravely defended himself with revolver until he fell dead after receiving many

It is believed the assassins have taken refuge in the mountains back of the city. A company of carbineers is earching for them today.

Lieutenant Petrocino left his hotel to eash a draft. He expected to leave for the United States in a few days. It is known that he had gathered the most damaging kind of evidence against the blackmaffers' secret society.

The detective walked from the entrance of the hotel down the street the Power of Injunctions Will All and then turned a corner into a side street. It was there the assassins were waiting for him. Apparently they had been keeping a watch on him ever since his arrival at Palermo from

> with bullets, Unofficial statements from the thorities are to the effect that they thought Petrosino was followed to Pa-

ermo from New York by his assassing Mrs. Petrosino Collapsed.

(By Leased Wire to The Times) New York, March 13-Mrs. Joseph etrosino, who was married to the head of the secret service bureau organized to stamp out the blackmailing bands, less than two years ago, ollapsed when she heard, indirectly the news of her husband's assassination. She lives at 233 Lafayette

(By Leased Wire to The Times)

Spartanburg, S. C., March, 13.-C. P. w, and consider some adjustment of F. C. Mitchell and four other firemen

> Moseley is in a hospital still unconscious, and it is feared has been injured internally. The loss is \$75,000 partially covered

by insurance. The lower floor of the building was upled by Harry Price, the clothier, and R. L. Bowden, dry goods, while the Metropolitan Insurance Company ecupied the second floor,

Expert Engineers Resign.

(By Leased Wire to The Times.) Pittsburg, Pa., March 13.—Rather than accept a reduction in salary varying from \$500 to \$1,500 a year. twenty expert engineers and mechanical men, including the chief engineer of the National Tube Company, have resigned.

SENATOR FORAKER HAS NO POLITICAL AMBITION

(By Leased Wire to The Times.) Columbus, Ohio., March 13 .- Senator Foraker discountenances the paign for the seat in the senate now occupied by Senator Charles Dick. To a newspaper man the former senator said:

"I have no political ambition and shall not enter politics again, at least not of my own motion. I am enjoying a peace of mind which I have not enjoyed in 25 years, now that I am a private citizen, from which I will not lightly be induced to part."

VILLAGES DESTROYED BY MOUNTAIN SLIDE

(By Leased Wire to The Times)

have been killed.

WATSON AND TAFT TALK OVER MATTERS

(By Leased Wire to The Times) Washington, March 13-Ex-Rep resentative James Watson, of Indiforce, was shot and killed in the streets ana, called at the white house today and spoke of the modified proposition for a compromise of the differences between Speaker Cannon and the insurgents in the house of representatives. The latest plan of settlement, as it was discussed today by President Taft and Mr. Watson, is that hought that his death was an act of the house proceed to organize Monblack hand and vengeanse. Petrosino, day by the re-election of Speaker later reports say, was attacked in Cannon and by the adoption of the present rules. Then a committee of fifteen members will be appointed by the speaker, composed of republicans of both factions, and of demoerats, the insurgents to be well represented. This committee, according to the plan discussed, is to consider changes in the house organization and the rules, and is to report to the house on June I next. This proposition differs from the compromise of vesterday in that it provides for an learlier report by the committee, the former proposition being that the report shall not be made until the regular session of congress next Decem-

It was made clear at the white house this morning by Mr. Watson The detective was literally viddled that Mr. Cannon has not accepted this latest proposition and the scheme is therefore in a tentative state at pres-

John Travers Dead.

Baltimore, March 13-John Travfending the American flag near Seattle from a borde of Indians, who sought to tear it down and was finally rescued by a United States much of the ground had already been gunboat. About 20 years ago his mind began to fail. He had been in inmate of Mount Hope Retreat for a

CONFERENCEOVER COLLEGE TODAY ZELAYA'S AFFAIRS

(By Leased Wire to The Times) Washington, March 13 .- Any at-Mexico. Conferences were held this eral Garner as a "bee martin". morning at the state department between Secretaries Meyer and Knox call General Wishington than a peaover the situation, which is more cock," said General McCarn. threatening than ever. The Dubuque to say that this peacock has the longis on the way from Guantanamo to est tail that a peacock ever had; it Bluefields. The Tacoma has been or- was ten hours long." dered to Puerto Cortez and the Yorktown to Amapala. An additional today. The state department has no advices concerning the reported fight mack. between the Presidente and the wooden vessel, was once a filibuster, vessel mounting two small Krupp commanded and manued by Ameri- resent that in this law-suit.

BATTLE FOUGHT IN CENTRAL AMERICA

Mexico City, March 13.—The cable jury. between Mexico and Nicaragua is beofficered and manned by Americans. illustrations like this to the jury: According to fragmentary reports so disabled the heavier Momotombo by Hyde, "suppose you had a cow you and steamed away unharmed. The had a right to do it; suppose you had made hurried repairs and sailed in turned out that cow again he would pursuit with her three consorts.

FILIPINOS TURN ON GAS.

Members of Band That Attended the Inauguration Found Unconscious. (By Leased Wire to The Times) New Haven, Conn., March 13-

Three members of the Filipino brass band that came from Manila to atington, were found unconscious from Vancouver, B. C., March 13-The gas in the Hotel Arlington today. steamship Empress of China, just They are: Laboto Marin, 26 years arrived in port, brings news of the old; Jose Madaadillo, 28, and Rosendestruction of thre villages in Java do Detana, 28. They were not warnedby the top of Mount Kentkana falling about the use of gas and accidentally and not the defendants. He referred president of Harvard will be held off. A thousand persons are said to turned it on when they retired, it is tenderly to Senator Taylor at the grave believed.

ARGUMENT WILL PROBABLY CLOSE SOMETIME TODA

Famous Cooper-Sharp Case Drawing to Close, Speechmaking Nearly Finished

Court Room Crowded Again Today When Judge Anderson, the Leading Counsel For the Defense, Resumed His Argument to the Jury in Cooper-Sharp Case-Voice Hoarse and Husky This Morning, Having Spoken Three Hours and Twenty Minutes Yesterday-General McCarn For the State Will Be-

gin His Speech Immediately Fol-

lowing Anderson-Expects to Fin-

Criminal Court Room, Nashville, Tenn., March 13-With the court room crowded, Judge J. M. Anderson, the leading counsel for the defense, resumed his argument to the jury in the Cooper-Sharp trial, at 9:07 this rs is dead at Mount Hope Retreat. morning. He spoke three hours and Many years ago, when a fur trader in | 20 minutes yesterday and his voice Alaska, Travers won renown by de- this morning was somewhat hoarse

and husky. It is not believed Judge Anderson will speak at length this morning, as covered by his colleagues.

General McCarn, for the state, will begin his speech immediately following the conclusion of Judge Anderson, and the state expects to finish teday, if the argument extends into

Judge J. M. Anderson closed the ase for the defense today at 9:45 clock, with an eloquent appeal for the freedom of the defendants. Immediately General Jeff McCarn entered on the closing speech for the ase, the final presentation for the

state of Tennessee. General McCarn's manner from the first moment was vigorous and agtempt on the part of President Zelaya gressive. He opened up by dressing The special session also will have Moseley, a student at Wofford College, to invade Salvador or Costa Rica will down the opposing counsel in words be the signal for interference with of withering sarcasm. He said Gen-Washington had referred to

"I don't know anything better to

General McCarn said the defense was trying the case of Robert Love cruiser will be ordered to Corinto Taylor vs. Carmack, and the case of Governor Patterson vs. Senator Car-

General McCarn said he was here Momotombo. The Presidente is a to try the case of the State of Tennessee vs. Duncan B. Cooper, Robin and has undergone various changes Cooper, and John D. Sharp. He deof ownership in Central American clared the purpose and effort of the waters. The Momotombo is a steel defense was to drag Patterson into the case to make the jury think he guns. It is reported both ships are had been abused and to ask them to

> "If you do that," said General Mc-Carn, "you would do the worst thing ou could do for Governor Patterson. General McCarn kept up the hot pace he had set all morning. He interspersed his argument her and there with homely anecdotes, time and again scoring the defense for the politics they had dragged into the case to prejudice the minds of the

The general took up the various lieved to have been cut. With the editorials in the record and discussed restoration full details of the battle them. He said they were written in movement which has been started now known to have been fought be- a vein of pleasantry. They did not among his friends to make a cam- tween the Salvadorean gunboat Pres- reflect on Colonel Cooper's private idente and four Nicaraguan gunboats, life and doubtless were enjoyed by all including the Momotombo, which is who read them. He used the homely

"Mr. Hyde," said the attorneyfar received the Salvadorean craft general, addressing Juror Shiloh a lucky shot early in the engagement were turning out every day and you Nicaraguan gunboat is said to have a neighbor who told you if you kill you. What would you do? You would assert your manhood, buy another cow and turn it out too, that's what you would do.'

General McCarn asked for an adjournmen shortly before noon and it vas ordered by Judge Hart until 1 o'clock. The attorney general had been making good with a rush and the court room was packed. He had employed pathos, comedy, ridicule and biting tend the Taft inauguration at Wash- sarcasm, and all were sitting up and General McCarn brought tears to the yes of the jurors when he told them of their children at home. little ones about the door were going to believe what Mrs. Eastman had said

of Carmack