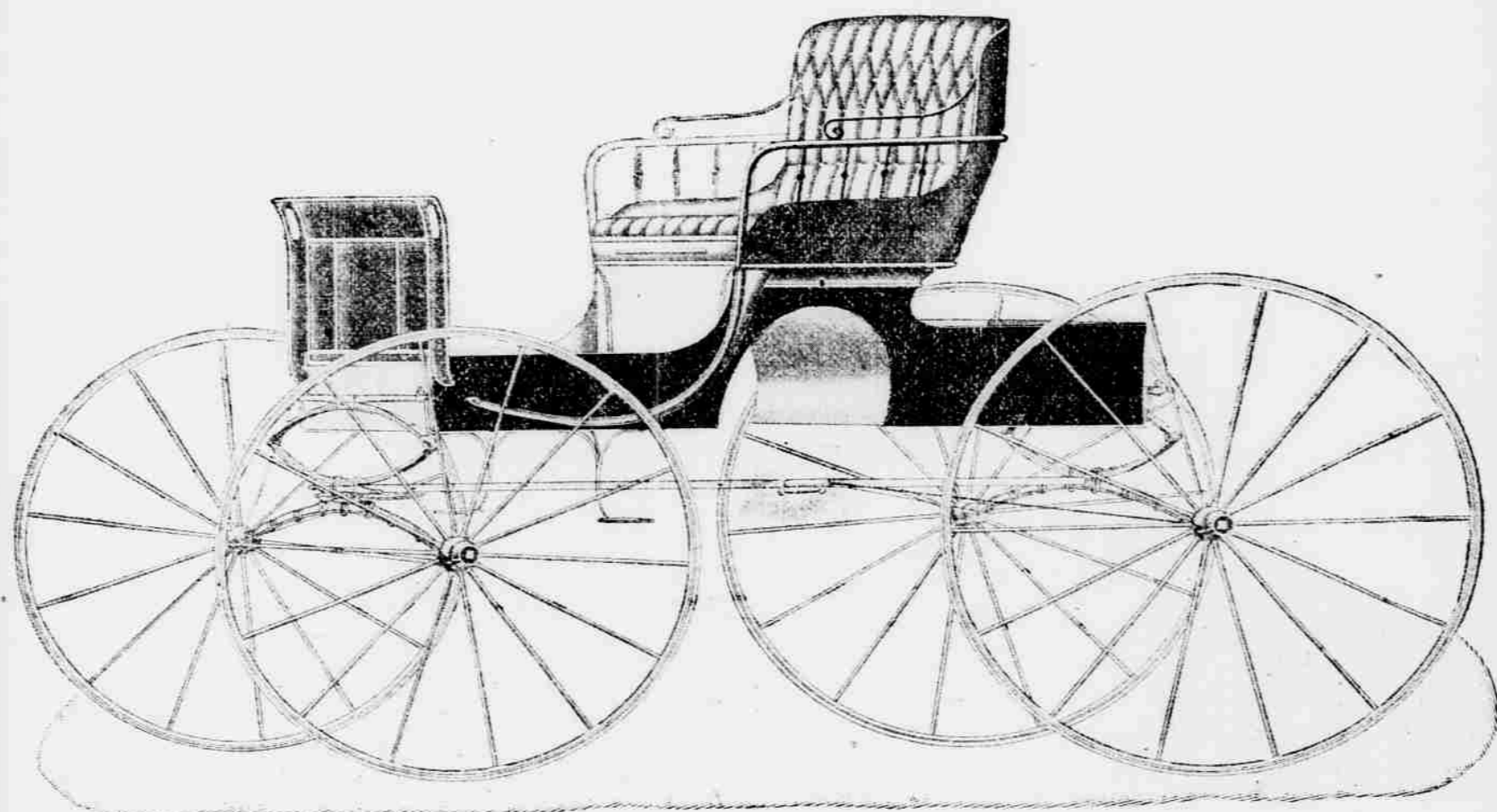


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HISTORY OF THE ASYLUM

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sketch it is, of course, impracticable to give the names of all the kind helpers who have united in this blessed enterprise. All of the gifts, if love prompted, have been large and pleasing to the great Father of the fatherless.

Some friends, who have been co-operants in the cause during their day of labor on the earth, have, in a wise practical way remembered the homeless children in their last will and testament and have directed that a part of the funds they were to leave behind be employed in carrying forward the work.

Requests have been made by E. F. Powell, of Halifax; Miss Sallie A. Jones, of Greenville; B. F. Moore, of Wake County; David Oettinger, of Wilson; Samuel Fogle, of Winston; Mrs. Rebecca Baird, of Buncombe Co.; B. E. Sedberry, of Fayetteville; Mrs. Malvina T. White, of Winston; Miss E. V. Bynum, of Saraatoga, Wilson County; James A. Bradley, of California; P. M. Phillips, of Davie County; Washington Duke, of Durham; L. E. Pridgen, of Greene County; C. H. Belvin, of Raleigh. The legacy largest in amount was made by Brother James Bradley, of California, as former North Carolinian. He gave an interest in some property in Minneapolis, Minn., which when finally sold, netted the institution about \$6,000.

When Brother Lawrence, whose service to the cause was really great, retired from the management of the institution in July 1898, Col. W. J. Hicks, of Raleigh, the choice of the Board for the Superintendency, took up the work.

At this time, the Directors most wisely created the office of lady Supervisor, and placed in this office Miss Nettie N. Bemis, an energetic and a capable worker. Among her many responsible duties is the supervision of the school work and of the domestic or household duties of the girls. A good woman in this position performs a service which a man could not perform.

During the present administration that of Col. Hicks, the worth of which can perhaps, be better measured in the coming years, the business organization has been improved, the school work has been more thoroughly organized and has been made more efficient. The girls cottages, the movement for the building of which began under Brother Lawrence's administration, have been constructed and occupied. The wood-working shop has been removed from its location some distance from the grounds to a convenient site near the boys' cottages, into a brick building erected for it mostly out of material from the boys' old building.

Not far from the wood shop, two brick buildings have been erected, for laundry sewing rooms, and printing, office and shoe shop. A deep well has been bored and the water and sewerage system has been improved. Industries have been centralized, both for convenience, thoroughness of supervision and economy. Rooms for the Superintendent have been fitted up in the Saint Johns College building and his former home has been converted into a convenient hospital. An office or administration building is now nearing completion.

These and minor improvements have certainly, increased the possibilities of the institution for a high grade of work.

From 1872 when the Orphanage was established to 1909 the number of affiliate Master Masons in the State has grown from only a few thousand to about 19,000. The number of children in the Oxford Orphan Asylum has grown to 330 and since 1872, according to records, fully 2,600 girls & boys have received the care of the Orphanage. Many of these are useful Christian citizens.

Of the atmosphere, the spirit of the place, a matter of such vital importance I cannot and shall not attempt to write with diffidence. Suffice it to say that we have abundant reason to believe that God is in the work. He has a wise and loving purpose in it, that the results of the work are, with the years, increasingly great.

Men and women have been privileged to join in with God in this ministry of rescue, of salvation. For this and for all such institutions performing the value of which is beyond measure, we have reason to be grateful. The highest praise belongs to our God who impels men to and strengthens them in an unselfish service.

(Special to Daily News).

Raleigh, 9.—Deputy United States Marshal Ripston W. Ward had the misfortune to have a United States prisoner escape while he and two guards were conveying six prisoners from Raleigh to the federal prison at Atlanta. The prisoner was H. H. Freeman of Moore county, who under sentence of one year in the prison, blockading and retelling, Freeman was the only white convict and therefore was handcuffed separately. The party of officers and prisoners had a special car. One guard was on seat back of Freeman and another Ward just across the aisle. It was somewhere about 1.15 a. m. when it was discovered that Freeman was no longer in the car. He had slipped through the window of the car where he sat, the window barely going up high enough to allow the passage of a man's body. Outside the car under the window there was the sign on the car of where his body had swung down and dipped the dust from the side. The escape was between Mountville and Greenwood S. C. The train could not be stopped before they reached Greenwood. Every effort thus far to discover any trace of the fugitive has failed.

Scared into Sound Health.

Mr. B. F. Kelley, Springfield, Ill., writes: "A year ago I began to be troubled with my kidneys and bladder, which grew worse until I became alarmed at my condition. I suffered also with dull heavy headaches and the action of my bladder was annoying and painful. I read of Foley Kidney Pills and after taking them a few weeks the headaches left me, the action of my bladder was again normal, and I was free of all distress."—Sold by All Druggists.

STATE AND GENERAL NEWS

Wadesboro, June.—Yesterday afternoon a terrific rain storm accompanied by a severe electrical display passed over this country and considerable damage to growing crops is reported. The farms were badly washed and the loss cannot be estimated. Here in Wadesboro during the storm lightning struck the barn of H. H. McLesdon and it was destroyed. The horses and carriage were gotten out were a total loss. The insurance is but the feed and other contents \$500 with a loss of \$1,000.

Raleigh, June.—Revenue Agents R. V. Sams and Bruce Taylor have collected or internal revenue for the month here the past two days at work on the accounts in the office of the eastern district of North Carolina for a formal transfer to Collector Wheeler Martin as his own successor, these formal transfers being made now about every two years. There is always, too, a renewal bond at the same time. The collections in this office for the past two years aggregated \$5,101,955.69. The revenue agent commended highly the fine condition of the offices here and the work of Mr. Martin, Chief Clerk Deaton and the clerks in the various divisions.—Daily News.

Stanley Ketchel knocked out Jim Smith of New York, midway in the fifth of a scheduled 10-round bout at the National Sporting club tonight by a right swing to the jaw.

Wilmington.—In the course of argument in the Superior Court June 11th relative to the inconsistency of the verdict in the case of Susan M. Gregg, administratrix, vs. the City of Wilmington and James P. Woolvin a verdict having been returned several days ago against the City for \$7,000. Judge Cook asked to the attorneys that he thought the jury was not governed by the testimony and charge of the court in reaching its verdict; that he did not charge corruption and he wanted to disavow any intimation that the jury intentionally made a mistake, but that the members were governed by impulses not in accord with the testimony and the law in the case in absolving James P. Woolvin from blame. At this point George Rountree, of counsel for the plaintiff, said with much heat: "You have practically killed our plaintiff," and stated that he thought the court had gone out of its way in commenting as it had in regard to the verdict.

Judge Cook sternly commanded Mr. Rountree to take his seat, which he did. His honor stated further that he had been treated with much indignity by counsel during the trial of the case. The counsel present arose and disavowed any such intimation, but Mr. Rountree got his hat and left the courtroom without making any apology.

The verdict against the city was signed, but the issue exonerating Woolvin from blame was set aside, which means a second trial.

Statesville.—Elsie Johnson and Robert Reed, young white men giving Charlotte as their home, were committed to jail Wednesday evening by Squire Vols of Mooresville, in default of bond for stealing provisions from a dwelling house near Mooresville Wednesday afternoon.

The boys claim that they were on their way from Winston to Charlotte, that they had had nothing to eat for a whole day and seeing the door of the house open walked in and got something to eat.

Robert Matthews, a negro, was shot and killed in a swamp near Beulah, 16 miles from Pensacola Florida, on June 11th following an attempt to assault a 12-year-old girl.

Raleigh.—The material is being assembled for the work of installing the electric light equipment, ventilating system and additional heating apparatus for the capitol building. The work is to begin Monday. The work included drilling through the stone walls for inserting metal pipes in which the electric light wires are to be strung, all this work to be invisible in the legislative halls are to give place to new and better located combustion gas and electric chandeliers.

There will be circles of electric lights high up in the dome. In order to install these it will be necessary to completely scaffold this vast space by the use of something like two carloads of lumber. It is believed that when the contract is completed the lighting, ventilating and heating equipment of the statehouse will be well nigh perfect. The expectation is to have the work completed by September 1.

Victor S. Bryant left June 15th for Maiden Va., where he is to assist in the defense of James A. Tingen, a Durham man who is charged with the murder of his cell-mate in the penitentiary last February.

The defense of Tingen is not known exactly. He will plead self-defense, though, declaring that his companion attacked him with a stick. Tingen used a knife on him and stabbed him to the heart.

Some culprit made an unsuccessful attempt on the night of June 15th in trying to wreck one of the street cars. The motorman was running at a fast clip and did not see the obstruction upon the track, which consisted of spikes and several pieces of old iron, until he was within a very close range of them, but managed to apply the brakes in time to prevent what might otherwise have been a serious wreck.

The car jumped the track, but outside of this no other damage was done. The officials are at a loss to account for the attempted wreck which some think was the work of mischievous boys.

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LIONESS FIGHTS 20 MEN.

"Buffalo" Jones Lassoed Her but She was a Terror at the Zoo.

From the New York World.

A 3-year old lioness battled with 20 men yesterday when they were putting her in a den in the lion house in the Bronx Zoo. She was Niobe, lassoed by Buffalo Jones on his recent hunt for big game with the moving picture camera and lariat, near Nairobi, Africa.

Niobe arrived by steamer two or three days ago nicely done up in a package 5 feet high, 10 feet long and 8 feet wide. This case had 2 1/4 inches iron bars, and to make it easy to fondle her, Niobe wore an 8-inch leather belt around her waist and a 4-inch leather collar around her neck. An express company delivered the package at Bronx park yesterday, after talking it up through the city to the music of her occasional roars.

"No, we don't care about seeing her put into the lion house," the expressman said and hastily departed. William T. Hornady, the Zoo director, had the cage backed up to an outside den of the lion house. Then it was debated how to get the collar and belt off before turning her into the steel den. A trainer shook his hand at her through the bars. There was a tawny flash as the animal hurled herself at him. She hit the bars with a roar, and pawed the air outside with one leg that came through. Then in a flash she was back at the far corner, crouching with her eye like coals of fire.

A long steel rod with a hook on the end was poked in. A sweep of one paw sent it clanging out of the men's hands. Finally the hook, with lucky pass caught the leather belt. A dozen men seized the rod and drew her up to the bars, digging her great claws into the woodwork of the floor. She bit at the hook, tore at the leather belt, and turned over and over, even standing on her head.

But the men got her to the bars and pulled her tightly against them while the belt was cut with a knife.

Loosened, she leaped away and even stood lashing her sides.

The task of getting the hook through her collar was harder still, and when it was accomplished, and she was pulled up to the bars, she advanced her formidable head so that no one could approach the collar with the knife. One man who tried it got his arm too near and she ripped his sleeve off as if it were tissue paper. Seen in an excess of even greater fury she tore at the bars to get through at the men. It was then that a sudden pull brought her head and neck up sideways and the collar was slit with the knife.

Then the door of the den was opened, the door of the cage swung inward, and she went through into the larger space with a bound. The cage door was slammed. She roared around, trying to find a way out but soon noticed the young lion cubs in the next cage, and went over and rubbed against the bars in a friendly way.

It will be some time before any of us dare go into her cage," said Hornady. "She is probably the wildest lioness ever brought to this park."

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