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## AFTER BRIGHAM ROBERTS.

Salisbury Pastors Make a Request of Congressmen.

The Pastors Association of Salisbury met in regular session this morning. Among the business transacted they adopted the following:

"We, the pastors of Salisbury, N. C., representing the following churches—Presbyterian, Methodist Episcopal, Lutheran, Baptist and Reformed denominations—and voicing the unanimous sentiments of our people, do respectfully and prayerfully request you, our representatives in Congress, to use your voice and vote against admitting Mr. Brigham H. Roberts, a self-confessed and convicted polygamist, to a seat in the honorable Congress of the United States."

## Congressmen, Seeds, &c.

Congressman-elect Theo. F. Klutz, is daily receiving applications by mail for seeds, documents &c., which he would be glad to fill in his power to do so. Unfortunately, however Mr. Klutz's term does not begin till March 4th; and the distribution of seeds, &c., for this season will be made by Mr. Shuford, whose term does not expire until March 4th.

Unless there should be an extra session, Mr. Klutz will not actually take his seat in Congress till next December. This does not seem to be understood by a good many people, and it really does seem strange, that a Congressman should be elected more than a year before his service actually begins, but so the fathers arranged it, and so it remains to this day.

## Petitions Circulated.

The petitions calling on the General Assembly to prohibit the sale of intoxicants in Rowan county are now being circulated and are being freely signed.

The heading of the petition is short and to the point. It prays for total prohibition in the county—the retail of all intoxicants to be prohibited.

The pastors of the city preached temperance sermons yesterday.

## Mayor's Court.

Policemen have arrested a number of offenders since Saturday's session but most all of them put up bonds and failed to appear.

A woman charged with being drunk and a man called a tramp were given time to get out of town this morning.

## Handsome Residence.

Capt. W. S. Overton has awarded to Mr. A. H. Moore the contract to build a dwelling house on the corner of Horah and Fulton streets. It will be a handsome residence.

## Meets in Statesville.

The Baptist union meeting here is over. It adjourned to meet next time in Statesville.

At the next meeting "Sunday School Work" is the only question to be discussed.

## Cake Walk.

Another colored cake walk is to be given in the opera house on Thursday night.

COAL—Just received a car load of finest Jellico coal. Send in orders at once.

J. H. McNEELY.

NOTICE—Any one wishing Brick can see Mr. John Hanna, or leave orders at Ludwick & Black's stable.

B. A. BROWN.

THE BEST PRESCRIPTION FOR CHILLS and fever is a bottle of GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC. Never fails to cure; then why experiment with worthless imitations? Price 50 cents. Your money back if it fails to cure.

## TRIED SUICIDE.

Colored Boy Took Benzine—Told it in a Note He Wrote.

Last night Bethel Clement, a colored boy, who rooms with John Ford, at Lydia Henderson's, procured a bottle of benzine John had for cleaning clothes and took it into his room saying that he wanted to get a spot off his coat.

After going into the room, however, he wrote a note and then swallowed the benzine. The note reads:

"I took amoni kill myself about Cora Bost. Please send my dead body to Cora Bost so she can see."

But Bethel didn't die. He was discovered and a cup of hot lard was poured down his throat. This seemed to do him good but afterwards he came up town and begged officers to lock him up. He seemed to be having a fit then. A relative of his soon put him to bed, but this morning he had more convulsions and a physician was called to see him.

## Rev. W. H. Stubblebine to Leave.

It is a source of regret to many of our citizens that Rev. W. H. Stubblebine, pastor of Faith Reformed church, is to leave us.

He has resigned as pastor of this church and will leave about March 1st. During his stay here Mr. Stubblebine has endeared himself to a large number of our citizens. He is a most earnest Christian worker and will be missed in the work of the churches here.

Mr. Stubblebine has received several calls but has not yet decided where he will locate.

A successor to him as pastor of Faith church has not been selected.

## Lead Mine Sold.

The old Silver Hill lead mine, ten miles east of Lexington, in Davidson county, has been purchased by an English syndicate, and it is said that the mine will soon be in operation again. The old shaft is being enlarged and will be sunk to a depth of 500 feet. The mine was extensively operated in years gone by, turning out an immense quantity of high-grade ore. The output was used by the Confederate government during the Civil war. It is hoped to begin work in the mine during the month of February and four or five hundred men will probably be employed in its operation.

## Mr. Foreman's Bond.

Saturday's Charlotte News says: "Last night Mr. John Foreman came over from Concord and this morning went before Squire Maxwell and gave a \$1,000 bond with W. R. Foreman, of this city, as security for his appearance at the next term of Superior court held in Cabarrus county."

## Change of Hour.

Beginning next Sunday a change of hour of the evening service at the city churches will be observed. Instead of beginning at 7 o'clock these services will begin at 7:30.

## Mr. Stahl Dead.

Mayor T. C. Linn received a telegram last night announcing the death of Mrs. Linn's brother, Mr. Harry Stahl, which occurred at Gettysburg yesterday.

You can get a good piano at an Exorbitant price—or you can pay a Small price and be sure of a bad one. You must pay at least a fair price for a good piano. So take no risk: and buy Stultz & Baur and get all you pay for. Sold by J. W. Hunsucker, Agt., Salisbury, N. C.

## TO CURE A GOLD IN ONE DAY.

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All Druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 25 cents.

## DWELLING HOUSE BURNED.

Mr. Atkins' Residence at Albemarle Destroyed.

Mr. W. M. Harris received a letter from his sister, Mrs. J. S. Atkins, at Albemarle, stating that her residence had been destroyed by fire.

At 2 o'clock Saturday morning Mr. Atkins' family were aroused by fire which was consuming their dwelling. The house, which was a two-story one, was burned, together with nearly all of the furniture. There was a family living up stairs and they barely escaped with their lives.

The fire, it is thought, originated from a box of hot ashes.

## Horse Killed.

Mr. Jesse Sowers lost a fine horse. It was kicked and killed by a number of mules which were kept in the warehouse on the old Lanier lot—the horse being kept in the same building. The mules belong to a colored man from Charlotte and are used in distributing telephone poles along the line south from Salisbury.

A law suit was threatened but the parties compromised this afternoon, Mr. Sowers getting \$47 for his horse.

## Magistrate's Court.

Esquire Murphy had a case for disposition today. The parties interested were two young men from China Grove. One was charged with using a deadly weapon. He was represented by Mr. T. F. Klutz, and the other young man was represented by Mr. R. Lee Wright.

One of the young men was bound over to court in a \$50 bond.

## Personal.

H. H. Spedden and bride have returned from their bridal tour.

H. C. Williams is at home from Henderson, where he has been buying cotton.

Bismarck Capps spent Sunday in Chester, S. C., where his sister, Miss Susie, has been visiting.

Rev. Mr. Spillman, of Raleigh, who had been here attending the Baptist union meeting, left this morning for High Point.

## A Good School.

The school at Sumner's is in a flourishing condition now. This school is being taught by Prof. Jacob Bostian. The average number of students on roll now exceeds any in its history.

Fayetteville Observer: Prof. Dorsett and his hypnotism at the armory Tuesday night was a farce. It was nothing. He is nothing, at least nothing of a hypnotist. The Professor should go back to the management of the express office at Mt. Airy, from whence he came. From his antics the audience concluded that he was himself under a sort of a spell, and laughed the matter away good naturedly.

Boneless Codfish just received at A. Parker's.

## Notice.

I have placed the entire management of my store and stock of goods into the hands of Mr. Milton Ruffy for the next twelve months. He will carry on the business for cash or barter. All persons owing me by account, notes and mortgages will please call on Mr. Ruffy and settle with him. He will receipt for same, I must have my accounts settled in some way soon.

R. J. HOLMES.

Special sale of Hose at the Carolina Racket.

## LOCAL AND OTHERWISE.

Items Picked Up by the Reporter on His Daily Round.

A notice of seizure appears in this issue.

Little Edward, son of Dr. John Whitehead is quite sick.

The Pastors' Association will have a special meeting on Wednesday morning.

\$1.00 a pair. Why not \$1.50? simply because they are sold at Burt's—Burt's School Shoes.

In a drunken brawl at Essex several negroes were wounded, one having his skull split with an axe.

The Economy Clothing store has a new ad in the Sun today. This store is the place to get good clothing cheap.

Mrs. C. F. Atwell is quite low. She has been kept at home for a long time and is now in a critical condition.

Teams are busy hauling poles south from Salisbury. The poles will be used by the long distance telephone people.

Mr. J. T. Holder recently found some money near Klutz's drug store. He advertised it but no one claimed it, so he is in \$10.

"Famous" \$2.00 shoes for women are more popular than any shoes on the market at that price.—For sale in Salisbury by the Burt Shoe Co.

The ladies of the Lutheran church will give a supper on Thursday evening in the store room recently occupied by the Bon Ton.

Monday, the 6th of February, is the date of the sale of the Lanier property. Mr. Overman being absent Mr. L. H. Clement will make the sale. Parties should see him about terms.

A copy of Bronson's Agricultural Almanac for 1899, with compliments of Representative D. R. Julian, has been received. This almanac is full of valuable information.

The snow of Saturday was general, extending over a large area of the country. Although about six inches deep it disappeared rapidly under the hot sun yesterday and today, so that very little remains now.

## New Advertisements.

M. L. Jackson.  
Economy Clothing Store.  
D. M. Miller.

Mr. E. C. McEachern, a medical student, and Miss Leta Pickard, who eloped from Chapel Hill Friday have probably gone to Florence, S. C., to be married. The couple drove from Chapel Hill to Durham and took the train there.

Jack Robinson, colored, brakeman on the freight train between Winston and North Wilkesboro, was killed Friday night near Donaha.

A Patterson, N. J., firm of silk manufacturers has bought a site at Wilmington and will establish a silk mill there soon.

The cold and snow call for blankets and comforts. Great discount on them now at Harry Bros.

Special sale of Hose at the Carolina Racket.

FOR RENT—Four very desirable rooms for house keeping on Fulton street. Apply to P. O. box 252.

## LEGISLATORS' WORK.

Winston's Bill Passed Third Reading—Other Bills and Resolutions.

### SENATE.

Introduced: By Senator McIntyre, to repeal chapter 94, laws of 1889, and to re-enact chapter 296, laws of 1885, relative to stock law in Robeson county. By Senator Jones, to amend section 3,664 of The Code, concerning registers of deeds. By Senator Glenn to incorporate the Carolina Building and Insurance Company.

Passed final reading: To repeal chapter 112, laws of 1895, and chapter 172, laws of 1897, relating to the extension of the boundaries of Mt. Airy township. This bill practically enforces the collection of a \$25,000 bond issue, subscribed for the Cape Fear and Yadkin Valley Railroad; to incorporate the town of Mt. Gilead, in Montgomery county; a bill to allow Greensboro to issue bonds; to amend the charter of Gastonia; to amend chapter 159, laws of 1895 (this is Rountree's bill and prevents judges from issuing an injunction or restraining order on a quo warranto proceeding against a defendant in office); to incorporate the Carolina Building and Surety Company.

A bill to repeal section 3,113 of The Code came up. This bill provides that a local option election may be held in any month during the year, instead of in June, as the law now stands, and on a petition of one fourth of the citizens of a township, instead of one-half as formerly. Though not germane the general principle of local option was brought under discussion. The bill was finally referred to the committee.

### THE HOUSE.

Introduced: To amend chapter 93, public laws of 1897; to allow the commissioners of Greene county to levy a special tax; to incorporate the Old North State Farmers' Mutual Fire Insurance Company. By Williams, of Dare, to provide for the promotion and supervision of the oyster industry of North Carolina. By Bryan, of Madison, to repeal chapter 176, public laws of 1897; for relief of tax collector of Buncombe county; to amend section 2, chapter 362, laws of 1897.

The bill introduced by Winston, of Bertie, to make cohabitation between the white and black races a felony, punishable by imprisonment in the county jail for not less than four months or in the State prison for not more than five years came up for consideration with a favorable report from the committee. The bill evoked considerable discussion. Speaker Connor called Hon. Locke Craig to the chair and took the floor in advocacy of the measure. Ex-Judge Allen and Mr. Justice opposed the bill on the ground that it would be blackmail and fraud.

An aye and nay vote was demanded on the vote. The bill passed second reading by a vote of 62 to 24. Ray, of Macon, objected to the passage of the bill on its third reading.

Winston declined to give his consent to postponement and the bill passed its final reading. "A clincher" was then put on the bill by a motion to reconsider and lay on the table.

\$1.50 comforts now \$1.20, and Elkin blankets \$2.50 at Harry Bros.

Spring Lamb, fat Mutton, Liver Pudding, Head Cheese, stall fed Beef, corn fed Pork and all kinds of Sausage and other fresh meats at J. S. Marable's.

### NO CURE—NO PAY

That is the way all druggists sell GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC for Malaria, Chills and Fever. It is simply Iron and Quinine in a tasteless form. Children love it. Adults prefer it to bitter, nauseating Tonics. Price 50 cents.

## NORTH STATE ITEMS.

Happenings of the Commonwealth Briefly Told.

John Hester, an aged white man died suddenly in Durham Friday night.

There have been 13 cases of small-pox at Halltown, McDowell county, and five have resulted fatally.

Oysters are now abundant on our streets, at our wharves and in our oyster houses. We hear of a vessel load of 1,500 bushels from Pinkerton rocks selling on Monday for 12½ cents a bushel.—Elizabeth City Economist.

It is said that Col. John R. Webster, of the Reidsville Weekly, who purchased the Danville Register, when it was sold under mortgage a few weeks ago, disposed of the plant next day after the sale and received a check for \$500 advance for his bargain.

George W. Justice, an attorney of law of Asheville, N. C., was arrested Friday on the charge of larceny and is now confined in Wake county jail, awaiting trial at the next term of Wake Criminal Court. He is charged with stealing law books in Raleigh.

Goldsboro Argus: Noah Robertson, a negro man, against whom there were ten or twelve warrants for stealing and house-breaking and who had been the terror of communities through which he passed, was sentenced to 20 years in the penitentiary yesterday by Judge Brown.

Winston Journal: The deed of sale of the Cape Fear & Yadkin Valley railroad will require \$3,600 in revenue stamps, and will have to be recorded in every county through which the road runs, 13 as follows: New Hanover, Pender, Sampson, Cumberland, Harnett, Moore, Chatham, Randolph, Guilford, Forsyth, Surry, Robeson and Richmond.

The stock all having been subscribed, the Indian Creek Cotton Manufacturing Company has been organized. The splendid new building is located on Indian Creek with a magnificent water power. The machinery, which will be new and of the latest patterns, is being bought and will be placed as fast as it comes in. The mill will be in operation at an early date.—Lincoln Journal.

The Lincolnton Journal says: Mr. C. C. Moore, a prominent merchant at Crouse's, was attacked by Luther Baker Tuesday afternoon and had his throat cut from one ear nearly to the other. Fortunately, the knife did not go deep enough to open the jugular vein and Mr. Moore, though painfully wounded, escaped, with his life.

Friday Alf Gibson, colored, went to the home of John Wilburn, colored, in north Morehead township, about two miles north of Greensboro and raped Wilburn's daughter, Martha. The victim is a half witted girl, of 18 years, and was at home with some younger children, when Gibson went to the house, displayed a pistol and committed the crime. He was lodged in jail at Greensboro.

WANTED—Six good men at once. A. H. Moore.

Mr. S. A. Fackler, editor of the Micadopy, Fla., Hustler, with his wife and children, suffered terribly from La Grippe. One Minute Cough Cure was the only remedy that helped them. It acted quickly. Thousands of others use this remedy as a specific for La Grippe, and its exhausting after effects. James Plummer.