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SALISBURY, N. C., Feb. 4, 1901.

**THE PROPOSED AMENDMENTS.**

The SUN desires to discuss the intended amendments to the city charter, as promulgated at the meeting of the board Friday night. It wishes to do so to endorse one or two of the propositions. The decision to ask the Legislature to give the board authority to call an election for the purpose of voting on the issuance of \$100,000 of bonds for street improvements meets with our approval, and is, in our opinion, one of the best features of the proposed amendments. We know that when it comes to increasing the peoples' taxes they will kick, but, nevertheless it is a fact that there is nothing so badly needed to improve the city as better streets and sidewalks.

It is safe to assert that there are few up-to-date towns in the country that are not heavily bonded and the citizens are thriving and growing wealthy. Salisbury, under similar circumstances, ought to prosper greatly and we believe it would. We are, therefore, favorable to a bond issue. No fault, however, will be found with any one who opposes it, that being an individual right.

As to the proposition to restore to the board of aldermen the right to elect the city tax collector, now elected by the popular vote, we have nothing to say. He would under that condition, be more amenable, perhaps, to the board but whether or not that would obtain to the better interest of the city we are not certain, hence leave the question to the wiser wisdom of the board.

The right to appoint and afterwards elect and maintain a water commission, we believe, is a proper thing and it ought to be done.

There is just one other thing the Aldermen ought to do, and that is publish the changes for several days before sending to the Legislature, so as to inform the public generally what is intended and thus preclude any chance of complaint or claim from the people that they did not know what was proposed. This is due the citizens and we trust the board will act wisely in the matter.

President McKinley signed the bill for the re-organization of the army Saturday. It is now a law.

That over-advertised Indian war didn't do as much damage in Indian Territory as Carrie Nation has done to the Kansas saloon-keepers.

It is said that the British Government has purchased in this country 170,000 horses and mules for service in the South African war, 100,000 of which have been shipped from New Orleans.

Editors lose their heads sometimes in this country, but the Wilmington Star says, they don't stay lost as many do in China where 1900 have had their heads snipped off for writing stuff that the Government bosses didn't enjoy.

Chief Justice Lore, of Delaware, says that 30 years' experience convinces him that the whipping post decreases crime in that State, and if anybody can propose any other treatment for criminals which does more or as well, he will advocate it.

The color-line question promises to crop out in the Virginia Legislature in fixing the basis of representation in the constitutional convention.

The estimated appropriations by this session of Congress will be somewhere about \$800,000,000, making the total appropriations by this Congress between a billion and a half and three-quarters.

The Secretary of State and the British government have reached a conclusion that a new commission must be sent to establish definitely the boundary between the United States and British Columbia.

Capt. W. H. Kitchin died at Scotland Neck, N. C., Saturday night at 9 o'clock. He had been ill for about two weeks with pneumonia. Capt. Kitchin was well known throughout the State. He was held in high esteem, being elected first to the state legislature and afterwards to congress. He was the father of Hon. W. W. Kitchin, congressman from the fifth district, and of Hon. Claude Kitchin, representative in congress from the second district of this state.

**Mr. Wright's Work.**

EDITORS SUN:—Everything is moving along nicely at our capitol city, and the Legislature is doing some fine work. Representative Wright is always on hand and very active and equal to the occasion and serving his constituents well and reflecting credit on old Rowan. Among the many important bills introduced by him are: To allow the white race the benefit of its school taxes; to regulate labor in textile factories; compulsory schools and better educational facilities; to pension all ex-Confederate and widows of ex-Confederate soldiers and now over 55 years of age and who are not worth \$500 in property; also one important bill he had passed was to allow our cotton weaver, Geo. Page, to weigh the cotton for the county he was elected by the people to weigh. Mr. Wright took the position that Mr. Page was elected to weigh the cotton, and that it was not right to elect a man to fill a public office and then take the fees away from him and not let him fill the duties he was elected to. The bill is now in the Senate in the honor of Mr. John S. Henderson and we take it for granted that he will have it passed as did Mr. Wright in his branch. To night is a big time with the old soldiers, they meet in the capital and quite a number are here, among them we notice Col. Carr, of Durham, and Col. A. H. Boyden, of Salisbury. The entertainment at the Blind Institute was a grand success and enjoyed by all present. It is simply wonderful and remarkable how the blind can perform and work. This city is a very interesting place at this season. Yours truly,  
J. W. HUNSUCKER.  
Raleigh, N. C., Jan. 30th, 1901.

**A Law That is Wanted.**

There is a growing demand for a law that will make people pay their debts. Some people are becoming so near sighted that they cannot see the difference between a man who can pay his debts and will not and an ordinary thief.—Durham Herald.

A movement has been started by the Commercial Club of Chicago to raise \$225,000 for the improvement of the institutions in which homeless and erring boys are cared for. If there was more of that kind of financing in our large cities there would be fewer convicts to watch.

The claim of other cough medicines to be as good as Chamberlain's are effectually set at rest in the following testimonial of Mr. C. D. Glass, an employe of Bartlett & Dennis Co., Gardner, Me. He says: "I had kept adding to a cold and cough in the winter of 1897, trying every cough medicine I heard of without permanent help, until one day I was in the drug store of Mr. Houlehan and he advised me to try Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and offered to pay back my money if I was not cured. My lungs and bronchial tubes were very sore at this time, but I was completely cured by this remedy, and have since always turned to it when I get a cold, and soon find relief. I also recommend it to my friends and am glad to say it is the best of all cough medicines." For sale by James Plummer, druggist.

**FROM THE TELEGRAPH.**

The Boers captured a British post at Modderfontein Saturday.

The rumor that Emperor William will mediate between Great Britain and the Boers is renewed.

An attempt was made to lynch a negro, charged with rape, in Notoway county, Va., but he escaped.

Robert L. Paul, Jr., 17 years old, committed suicide at Baltimore, Md., leaving a letter naming his pall-bearers.

All hope of saving the three-masted schooner George R. Clongdon, which went ashore on Hatteras coast, has passed.

W. C. McAlister, W. A. Death, S. J. Campbell and George Kerr began serving their terms at Trenton, N. J., for the murder of Jennie Bosschieter.

Governor Nash has telegraphed to the directors of the Saengerfest Athletic Association, at Cincinnati, that the Rhulin-Jeffries fight can not be held in Ohio.

Chamberlin & Co., of Chicago, have been awarded the contract for raising the wreck of the Maine and Alfonso XIII, in Havana harbor.

It is believed that Neale & Levy, of Philadelphia; the Newport News Shipbuilding Company and the Bath (Maine) Iron Works will get the contracts for the three new protected cruisers.

The worst snow storm for several years prevailed in northern Kansas and southern Nebraska yesterday. Three hundred miles on the central branch of the Missouri Pacific, traversing northern Kansas, are tied up.

"It is asserted in London" says the Berlin correspondent of The Daily Mail, "that Russia and the United States have concluded a secret agreement admitting Russian sugar free of differential duties to the United States, Russia in turn making certain concessions to America."

A tornado last night did great damage in the western portion of Delta county, Texas. The home of James Moody was wrecked and his 14-year-old daughter fatally injured. Tink Surret was killed and two daughters seriously injured at Rattan, where a number of houses were wrecked.

**Another American Defeat.**

Manila, Feb. 2.—Lieutenant Hicken, and a detachment of 30 men, of Company M, Fourth Regiment, while crossing a river Tuesday night, were surprised by insurgents gathered at Fiesta San Lucia, Island of Cebu. They were attacked in front and on both flanks by a hundred rifles and more bolomen. Five Americans were killed, four more were wounded and two are missing.

**Glorious News**

Comes from Dr. D. B. Cargile, of Washita, I. T. He writes: "Four bottles of Electric Bitters has cured Mrs. Brewer of scrofula, which had caused her great suffering for years. Terrible sores would break out on her head and face, and the best doctors could give no help; but her cure is complete and her health is excellent." This shows what thousands have proved,—that Electric Bitters is the best blood purifier known. It's the supreme remedy for eczema, tetter, salt rheum, ulcers, boils and running sores. It stimulates liver, kidneys and bowels, expels poisons, helps digestion, builds up the strength. Only 50 cents. Sold by Theo. F. Kluttz & Co., Druggist. Guaranteed.

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**HARRY BROS.**

North Carolina, In the Superior Court, Rowan County, Feb. Term, 1901.  
Joseph Horah, adm., of Henry Horah, dec'd, vs Wm H. Horah, O. D. Davis and others.  
Pursuant to an order of the Superior Court of Rowan County, North Carolina to me directed as commissioner to sell certain lands belonging to the estate of Henry Horah, dec'd., I hereby give notice that on the 25th day of February, 1901, I will sell at public auction at the court house door in the city of Salisbury, North Carolina, the following described real estate, to wit:  
65 acres of farming land situated on the left side of the new Concord road about one mile from Salisbury, North Carolina. This tract of land is in fine cultivation and is a valuable piece of farming property.  
Also one house and lot in the South ward of the city of Salisbury, North Carolina, adjoining the premises of Andrew Williams and others.  
JOSEPH HORAH, Commissioner.

**RAILWAY SCHEDULE.**

**MAIN LINE—NORTH BOUND.**

No. 8, local, 6.17 a. m.  
No. 36, fast mail, 11.08 a. m.  
No. 12, local, 8.15 p. m.  
No. 35, vestibule, 9.34 p. m.  
No. 34, Florida special, 10.33 p. m.

**MAIN LINE—SOUTH BOUND.**

No. 33, Florida special, 6.55 a. m.  
No. 37, vestibule, 8.17 a. m.  
No. 11, local, 10.43 a. m.  
No. 7, local, 8.05 p. m.  
No. 35, fast mail, 8.28 p. m.

**WESTERN.**

No. 11 to Knoxville, 10:10 a. m.  
No. 35 to Knoxville, 8:40 p. m.  
No. 12 from Knoxville, 7:35 p. m.  
No. 36 from Knoxville, 10:40 a. m.

**YADKIN.**

No. 17, to Norwood, 11.10 a. m.  
No. 47, to Norwood, 1.30 p. m.  
No. 18, from Norwood, 7.35 p. m.  
No. 46, from Norwood, 9.50 a. m.

North Carolina, Superior Court, Rowan County, Court.  
Julia Young vs David Young  
NOTICE.  
The defendant above named will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior Court of Rowan County to annul the bonds of matrimony now existing between Julia Young and David Young and the said defendant will further take notice that he is required to appear at the next term of the Superior Court of said County, to be held on the 2nd Monday before the 1st Monday of March, 1901, at the Court House of said County, in Salisbury, N. C., and answer or demur to the complaint in said action, or the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the said complaint.  
Dated this Dec. 26th, 1900.  
W. G. WATSON, Clerk Superior Court.  
L. H. Clement, Att'y for Plaintiff.

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**EXECUTOR'S NOTICE**

North Carolina, Rowan County.  
Having this day qualified as Executrix under the last will and testament of Jane H. White, dec'd, this is intended to notify all persons holding claims against said estate to present them to me for payment on or before the 17th day of January, 1902, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make prompt payment to the undersigned.  
Dated this January 17th, 1901.  
JENNIE E. WHITE, Executrix of Jas. H. White.  
L. H. Clement, Att'y.

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