

MR. HAMMER IS HERE.

SOLICITOR HAMMER ON GROUND.

The Question of Bond for Whites to be Brought Up.

Solicitor Hammer arrived in Salisbury last night in response to a telegram with reference to the case of Calvin and Thomas White, who yesterday morning shot and killed Mr. Russell Sherrill at his home at Mt. Ulla. It is more than likely that the application for bond will be made tomorrow morning but it is fairly certain that the motion will be vigorously resisted not only by the solicitor but counsel employed to assist in the prosecution. It is stated by some that the provocation was not nearly so great as represented by the defendants. Mrs. A. E. Sherrill, the mother of the deceased young man, is prostrated and in a serious condition and as she was the only eye witness to the tragedy it is not known what her version of it is. Coroner Dorsett went to Mt. Ulla last night to hold an inquest.

HABEAS CORPUS PROCEEDINGS.

It was decided by Judge Brown today to hear the application of Messrs. Overman, Klutz and Montgomery, counsel for the defendant in a habeas corpus proceeding tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock. A tremendous crowd is expected in Salisbury from upper Rowan and Concord. The following prominent citizens of Concord were in Salisbury today: Rev. George H. Cornelison, John McDowell, Ed Moss, Ed Freeze, Frank Brown, Wm. Flowe, P. B. Fetzar, Ross McConnell, A. B. Pounds, Billy Weddington, Karl Johnson, John C. Wadsworth, T. L. Hartsell, A. Jones York.

HAPPY HOOLIGAN TONIGHT.

One of the Most Popular Farce Comedies on the Road.

Justly and with might and main do the artists in the "Happy Hooligan" Company, which will be the attraction at Meroney's opera house tonight, work to entertain their audiences. When the company was engaged for the present edition of this most popular of all farce comedies, the management secured the services of the very best talent that could be secured. The matter of salaries was no object, so long as each part in the comedy could be filled by the artist who was qualified by personality and attainments to fill it. The result is an aggregation of comedians and singers which is distinctly high class. There is not a mediocre performer in the entire organization, and some of the members are stars of the very first class.

COURT ADJOURNS TOMORROW.

Most of the Day Has Been Consumed in Hearing Motions.

Superior court will adjourn tomorrow after the first full two week's session for many terms. The day today has been spent largely in the disposition of motions. Judge Brown will hold court in Stanly county next week.

Mrs. Pool's Brother Badly Hurt.

Mrs. Walter W. Pool received a telegram this morning which stated a very serious accident had occurred to her brother, Mr. Henry Cecil, at Lexington. No particulars were given. Mr. Pool left on No. 30 for Lexington.

Very Important Studies.

There are three courses which ought to be taught in every school in the South. All of them are taught and emphasized at the Bingham School, near Mebane, N. C. These studies are Bible, Penmanship and Physical Culture. The catalogue of this institution can be obtained by a postal card request to Preston Lewis Gray, B. L., Mebane, N. C.

If you want a medicine that will come nearer curing all your aches and pains than any other medicine; that will cost you less money and is pleasanter to take, buy a bottle of Liquid Electricity. It is only 50c per bottle, with full directions on every bottle. Try Liquid Electricity if you would be cured.

OUR GRANITE STOOD TEST.

Uncle Sam's Inspector Would Have Only Our Granite.

Peeler and Lyster went to Faith today with their big wagon to haul the first car load of the big engine beds for Mrs. Marie L. Wyatt. They go to San Francisco. There will be three car loads in all, three of the rocks make a car load. This is the longest distance ever known here for a set of engine beds to be shipped. Uncle Sam's inspectors won't have anything but Rowan county granite, which stood the test above all others.

BALL GAME TO-MORROW.

Spencer and Buffalo Play Again Tomorrow.

The Spencer and Buffalo Creek baseball teams will cross bats again tomorrow afternoon at the baseball park at Spencer.

It will be remembered that Buffalo Creek defeated Spencer in a former game and the contest of tomorrow will arouse much interest. Walter Murphy, Esq., will umpire the game.

A LINE OR TWO.

People Who Come and Go, and Local Happenings Condensed.

Miss Isabelle Brown went to Mocksville this morning. No. 36 from the South was two hours late this morning.

Mr. George Gill, of Raleigh, is here on a visit to his parents.

Mr. Jule Sides, who has been quite sick, is able to be out again.

Mrs. H. J. Overman and little child, who have been so sick, have almost entirely recovered.

Miss Irene Davidson has returned from Greensboro where she has been visiting for the past week.

Miss Sallie Busby, left this morning for Mt. Pleasant, where she will enter Mt. Amodea Seminary.

Sheriff Julian returned last night from Raleigh, where he went yesterday morning with Etta Brandon.

Mr. Edward Clement left this morning for Chapel Hill to attend the medical department of the University of North Carolina.

Deputy Collector of Internal Revenue J. D. Albright left this morning for Salisbury to collect United States taxes.—Charlotte Chronicle.

Rev. and Mrs. E. P. Parker, of Gibsonville, who have been visiting their son, Capt. L. D. Parker, left this morning for Concord and Mt. Pleasant.

The Happy Hooligan Company arrived in Salisbury this morning and the troupe is stopping at the Mt. Vernon Hotel. The company carries its own special scenery. The prospects are that it will have a crowded house tonight.

Sale of Street Bonds.

Mayor Boyden will leave next week for Chattanooga, where he will examine the streets of that city. Col. Boyden thinks of advertising the street bonds for sale within a few days.

100 Chinese Drowned.

London, Sept. 17.—A dispatch to the Daily Mail from Hong Kong announces that during a typhoon the steamer On Ling, which capsized off Kwang-Chan-Wan and one hundred persons perished.

Oysters! Fresh oysters at W. A. Brown's market tomorrow. Also nice assortment of fish.

For Rent! We have 3 four room cottages for rent in good locality. Maupin Bros.

Good set of barbers at West Bros. Best service. Everything clean.

For rent! Four unfurnished rooms. Apply 127 East Fisher st.

Cabinet Photos 95c doz at the tent near passenger depot.

WANTED—For U. S. Army, able-bodied, unmarried men, between ages of 21 and 35, citizens of United States of good character and temperate habits, who can speak, read, and write English. For information apply to Recruiting Officer, First National Bank building, Charlotte; Southern Loan and Trust building, Greensboro; or 40 Patton Ave., Asheville, N. C. Room No. 10 Bell Block.

HAIL YESTERDAY AFTERNOON.

A Big Hail Storm in the County Yesterday Afternoon.

There was a big hail storm in the Eastern part of Franklin and the Northeastern end of Rowan county yesterday afternoon about 3 o'clock. The thermometer began falling and at midnight blankets were comfortable.

RECEIVERSHIP PERMANENT.

Mr. B. B. Miller Permanent Receiver of Gold Hill Mine.

B. B. Miller, Esq., who has been temporary receiver of the Gold Hill Company, has been appointed permanent receiver and all creditors will be notified to present their claims by November 20th. The appointment of a permanent receiver was agreed upon by all parties concerned.

THE CONVICT'S DAUGHTER.

An Interesting Melodrama at the Opera House Tomorrow Night.

James Blackadder, a trusted employe of Col. Gould for over ten years, has proven himself to be a conspirator and hypocrite. Some years before Col. Gould adopted a baby girl and kept the secret to himself. Having grown to be a beautiful young lady, her hand is eagerly sought in marriage by a great many admirers. She finally accepts Jack Warburton, a dashing young Southerner, whose father was a great friend of the Colonel's. The secret of her birth and adoption, however, is told to her accepted lover, and is overheard by Blackadder. Chagrined at the loss of his employer's daughter, he plots ruin and forges papers on the Colonel. How well he succeeded is best told by witnessing a performance of "The Convict's Daughter" at Meroney's opera house tomorrow night. The plot is indeed a startling one and full of surprises and sensational effects. Indeed, it is one of big melodramatic successes of the season.

Prof. R. E. Stallings Leaves.

Prof. R. E. Stallings, who has been spending the past two months since his return from the Philippine Islands with his father, Rev. Dr. J. N. Stallings, leaves today for Charlottesville, Va., where he will visit his sister, Mrs. W. A. Lambeth. From Charlottesville he will probably go to Pennsylvania, where he has been tendered a lucrative position.

Lieut. Sherrill Back From Philippines.

Lieutenant Clarence Sherrill, a former resident of Salisbury and son of State Librarian M. O. Sherrill, was in Salisbury this morning on his way to Newton to visit relatives. Mr. Sherrill will remain in the army but will be located in Washington for the next year.

Bingham's Fine Opening.

Prof. Preston Lewis Gray, principal of Bingham School at Mebane, is in Salisbury today. This institution, which is one of the most thorough in North Carolina, opened September 3rd and has the largest number of matriculates recorded in six years.

Tax Books Turned Over.

City Tax Collector J. Frank Miller has received the tax books of Salisbury for 1903 and will begin at once the collection of taxes.

Business Men Dislike a Poor Handwriting.

They do not like to employ a boy who writes a slow, cramped and awkward hand. They want a clear, plain and rapid style of penmanship that can be easily read. This art is taught and emphasized at the Bingham School, near Mebane, N. C., a catalogue of which can be easily obtained by writing Principal Gray, Mebane, N. C.

What is Life?

In the last analysis nobody knows, but we do know that it is under strict law. Abuse that law, even slightly, pain results. Irregular living means derangement of the organs, resulting in Constipation, Headache or Liver trouble. Dr. King's New Life Pills quickly re-adjusts this. It's gentle, yet thorough. Only 25c at all drug stores.

2 KILLED BY TRAIN.

THEY SLEPT UNDER A BOX CAR.

Two Painters Horribly Mangled at Greensboro Yesterday.

A Greensboro special to the Charlotte Observer says:

A horrible sight greeted the crew of a material train this morning about daylight, as they were preparing to get out of a siding near the Gate City Manufacturing Company, in the locality of the coal chute. Lying not far apart were the dead bodies of two white men. The head of one was completely severed from the neck, and the ghastly eye-staring head was distant several inches from the trunk. The other corpse was mangled and cut all over. Dr. Turner, the county coroner was immediately notified. His investigation showed there was no necessity of an inquest, and the railroad authorities had the bodies properly prepared for burial, and decently interred in the cemetery this afternoon. The investigation disclosed these facts: Two men were on the street here yesterday, one of them carrying a tin box, on which was painted in large letters: "Signs," the other carried a leather grip compact and heavy. Towards dark the same men were seen near the coal chute and both were perceptibly up the influence of liquor. Soon after this, one report says, they were seen to crawl under a freight car standing on the siding near the factory of the Gate City Furniture Company and were warned not to do so. Dr. Turner examined their belongings and found from union cards that the name of one was O. F. Gates, the other Chas. Gates. They were painters and the cards were issued from the union in Cincinnati. The grip contained a complete cooking outfit and the tin box had paints and brushes in it. The men had secured a plank and placed it across the track, on which they rested their heads. When the car was moved the wheel, of course, shoved this plank around and drew the man's head squarely over the rails. A pint bottle of liquor almost full was found at the place where the men were laying, while another, entirely empty, and had been thrown out by the side of the track. It was raining and the men sought the place to keep dry.

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A Suit Against the Southern For That Amount.

An Asheville special says: A suit for damages, in which J. E. Brown is administrator, against the Southern Railway for \$30,000 damages for the killing of J. Fletcher Brown, has been instituted. Mark W. Brown represents plaintiff.

FLEEING FROM FLOOD.

HUNDREDS OF FAMILIES FLEEING.

The Mississippi Still Rising and Many Drowned.

La Crosse, Wis., Sept. 18.—Hundreds of families in the district adjacent to La Crosse are fleeing with what valuables they can carry to the hills to escape death in the floods sweeping the Mississippi valley. Crops are submerged and stock drowned. The water is still rising.

COTTON IN CHARLOTTE.

200 Bales Marketed Up to 3 O'clock Today.

(SPECIAL TO SUN.)

Charlotte, Sept. 18.—Up to 3 o'clock this afternoon 200 bales of cotton had been marketed here, the prevailing price being 10:75. It is expected that fully 250 will be sold before the market closes today.

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SOUTHERN VS L. AND N.

The Two Roads Having a Big Contest in Knoxville.

Knoxville, Tenn., Sept. 17.—The local fight between the Louisville and Nashville and Southern Railways was resumed this morning by the Louisville and Nashville putting 100 men to work between the Louisville and Nashville terminal site in the city limits and the Brookside cotton mill building, about one mile of track to reach the Brookside mills and intermediate industries. The Southern Railway attempted to prevent the operations at the Brookside end by running cars and a switch engine on a siding and spur track. The Louisville and Nashville tore up one of the Southern's tracks and laid its own new track where the Southern's track had rested.

At other points the Louisville and Nashville built over Southern Railway property. This is in a territory hitherto not invaded by the Louisville and Nashville in its campaign to reach industries in and about Knoxville.

America Will Take Loan.

Berlin, Sept. 18.—It is stated today that part of the loan of \$50,000,000 which the president of the Russian council of ministers Witte is negotiating, will in all probability be taken by American capitalists.

They Think Highly of the Board.

At the Bingham, near Mebane, N. C., a good and abundant farm is furnished. A prominent patron from a personal experience writes: "The quantity and quality of the food you serve is all that can be desired." A student writes: "The board furnished is most excellent." Another says: "My gain is not a miracle at all when the variety of food served by the boarding department is considered." For catalogue, address Principal Gray, Mebane, N. C.

Eight room two story house, 210 East Bank street for rent. Apply to J. T. Sossaman.

Get your fine mutton at R. W. Pice's market.

His Life Saved by Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy.

"B. L. Byer, a well known cooper of this town, says he believes Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy saved his life last summer. He had been sick for a month with what the doctors call bilious dysentery, and could get nothing to do him any good until he tried this remedy. It gave him immediate relief." Says B. T. Little, merchant, Hancock, Md. For sale by James Plummer.

Notify Miss Betty Stallings, if wagonette is desired to call for a pupil for her school. Those who expect this service next winter must begin it not later than the first of next month to insure it.

Wanted: Three young men to solicit for Chicago Portrait Company. Rapid promotion. Expense advanced. Address Box 163 City.

KING ASSASSINATED?

A PARIS RUMOR FROM SERBIA.

It is Said That King Peter Has Been Assassinated.

Paris, Sept. 18.—There is an unconfirmed rumor here that King Peter, of Serbia, has been assassinated.

COL. MISCHITZ REMOVED.

King Peter of Felgrade Removes a Regicide Leader.

Vienna, Sept. 18.—It is reported from Belgrade that King Peter has summoned courage to remove Col. Mischitch, the regicide leader, as departmental chief of the ministry of war and appointed him to a professorship in the military academy, which he held before the coup d'etat.

FROST IN ILLINOIS.

Considerable Damage Has Been Done to Corn.

Chicago, Sept. 18.—At 7 o'clock this morning a heavy frost prevailed here and in Northern Illinois. The local temperature is forty-one degrees. Considerable damage is believed to have been done to corn.

WANT MONEY BANKED.

A Reliable Bank Offers 5 Per Cent. to Depositors.

Pittsburg, Sept. 18.—Considerable interest was aroused in Pittsburg today by the announcement that the Second National Bank of Conneville, Pennsylvania, one of the strongest institutions in the coke region had decided Tuesday to pay five per cent. hereafter on savings. The purpose is to coax people to bank money.

Emperor William at Vienna.

Vienna, Sept. 18.—Emperor William arrived here today from Helye, Hungary, in the vicinity of which he has been hunting.

King Inquires For Lipton.

London, Sept. 18.—The King and Queen have requested to be kept informed of Lipton's condition.

Lamp Burst, Fired Pistol!

Roanoke, Va., Sept. 16.—Rural Free Delivery Inspector James S. Walbach had a close call at Wertz last night. He was at a country postoffice investigating a complaint against a letter carrier. There was a large oil lamp burning over the place where the investigators were sitting and underneath was a loaded revolver. Having completed the examination, Mr. Walbach walked to the door, when he declares the lamp exploded and the revolver was discharged. Mr. Walbach is a former member of the Maryland senate.

The Weather Forecast for North Carolina for 24 Hours.

Washington, D. C., Sept. 18.—The weather forecast for North Carolina for the ensuing 24 hours: Fair and cooler Saturday.

Shamrock II Sold.

New York, Sept. 18.—Kier Davies, Lipton's representative, admitted that Shamrock II had been sold. He said Shamrock I had also been sold. He declined to give the name of the purchaser.

Roosevelt in Jersey.

Jersey City, Sept. 18.—The President's train arrived at the Pennsylvania Railroad station at five forty this morning. Roosevelt was asleep but not long afterwards he awoke and breakfasted. At seven ten he boarded the Sylph and started to Oyster Bay.

The Ladies are Invited to attend the millinery opening of Mrs. C. L. Payne, Friday and Saturday, Sept. 18th and 19th, 109 West Innis St.

Stomach Trouble. "I have been troubled with my stomach for the past four years," says D. L. Beach, of Clover Nook Farm, Greenfield, Mass. "A few days ago I was induced to buy a box of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. I have taken part of them and feel a great deal better." If you have any trouble with your stomach try a box of these Tablets. You are certain to be pleased with the result. Price 25cents. For sale by James Plummer.

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FEAR FOR SCHOONERS.

690 MAY HAVE PERISHED.

Four Schooners With That Number Aboard are Missing.

New York, Sept. 18.—Four fishing schooners of the Fulton Market Fishing Fleet are reported missing today. 690 were aboard and it is believed they were victims of the storm. The remainder of the fleet at Market's pier have flags at half mast for their known dead from other vessels caught in the storm.

ELECTRIC CARS TRIED.

It is Hoped They Will Attain 200 Miles an Hour.

Berlin, Sept. 18.—Experiments were made with an electric car on the Marienfelder Military Railroad today. A speed of 106 miles an hour was attained and it is hoped eventually the cars will attain a speed of two hundred miles.

CRISIS IN IRELAND.

Chamberlain's Resignation Causes Almost Entire Suspension of Business.

London, Sept. 18.—The resignation of Chamberlain had the effect today of steadying securities on the markets. Business, however, is almost at a standstill. The Pall Mall Gazette this afternoon says: The present crisis is the most extraordinary in the whole history of constitutional government. What will happen next none can forecast with any degree of absolute certainty.

GREAT BRITAIN'S SENSATION.

Chamberlain's Retirement Causes a Great Sensation.

London, Sept. 18.—No political event in the memory of the present generation has created such a sensation as the retirement of Chamberlain. It will likely cause far reaching results in the politics of Great Britain. Also a probable appeal will be made to the country by the Balfour ministry in the near future.

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A \$100,000 FIRE.

The Steamer Alma Destroyed Wednesday Night by Fire.

Elizabeth City, N. C., Sept. 17.—Fire last night completely destroyed the steamer Alma on the freight depot of the Norfolk and Southern Railroad, entailing a loss estimated at \$100,000.

It is not known whether the fire started in the oil room of the steamer, which was alongside the wharf, or in the freight room.

"Peerless" Elgin Creamery butter, the very best 30c per pound at Max Moses.

Dr. W. H. Wakefield, of Charlotte, N. C., will be in Salisbury, at Dr. Council's office on Tuesday, Sept. 29th, for one day only. His practice is limited to Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat.

All articles, including rulers, pencil sharpeners, etc., used in the graded schools are kept by

ISENHOUR & BEAN. Next door to the Postoffice.