

## CAR TROUBLE IS ADJUSTED

### Raleigh to Have \$100,000 Masonic Temple

#### Raleigh Without Water for Four Hours—Gov. Glenn's Movements Will be in Charlotte

Raleigh, N. C., Aug. 2.—For four hours yesterday, Raleigh was deprived of her water supply by the bursting of a water main between the pump station, three miles from town and the big water tower, near the State capitol building. While the repairing was in progress, the water in the tower was held for fire protection and the people all over the city were deprived of it for household and other purposes.

The North Carolina corporation commission returned last night from High Point and announced that there is every indication that the differences between the railroad authorities and the furniture manufacturers of High Point will be adjusted to-day. The conference held yesterday between the representatives of the Southern and the manufacturers of High Point in the presence of the commission, they think made the position of each side more clear and it is expected that the railroad authorities will allow the manufacturers to ship in smaller cars than the 50-foot standard and allow carload rates on the fractional carloads, since the furniture has been found to be shipped in carloads, under the 40, 45 and 50-foot car lots and under these freight schedules. This is the only hitch now in the adjustment of the difficulty.

The Masonic Temple Committee of the North Carolina Grand Lodge of Masons, was in session here to-day, receiving bids from contractors for the erection of the new \$100,000 temple. The contract will not be awarded for a few weeks yet, but Grand Master W. S. Biddell, of Charlotte, who is a member of the committee, says that work on the temple will certainly begin on November 1st, and pushed without interruption to completion. The members of the committee here are Grand Master Liddell, of Charlotte, Grand Secretary John C. Drewry, of Raleigh, Major S. H. Smith, of Winston-Salem, Mr. J. D. Elliott, of Charlotte and Dr. R. J. Noble, of Selma.

Judge J. C. Pritchard, of the U. S. Circuit Court of Appeals makes an order in the court at Raleigh, disapproving the sale of the Southern Sewmill plant by Commissioners Busbee and Empe for \$26,500 and ordering another sale, October 2d. H. A. Slocombe is receiver of the plant.

Governor Glenn will be absent from the city until Monday, spending two days at Wentworth looking into the J. L. Williams extradition case from Independence, Va., and going from there to Charlotte for the encampment of the 1st regiment and battery.

### Scalp Picnic

At Grants Creek Ballground, Aug. 11. Speaking at 11 o'clock. Dinner for all. Baseball afternoon. Refreshments on the ground. G. G. Blackwelder, chairman, R. Lee Rankin, secretary.

### WEATHER FORECAST

Washington, D. C., August 2.—For North Carolina the ensuing twenty-four hours the weather forecast is: fair tonight and Thursday.

The Carolina Tailoring Company has a handsome offer for you. Read their ad. on page five.

### SPENT THE NIGHT IN LINE

#### Great Rush for Uintah Homesteads Continues to Increase

Denver, Aug. 2.—Advices from Grand Junction, Colo., and Vernal, Pikes and Plover, Utah, indicate that the work of registering applicants for homesteads in the Utah reservation is proceeding in an orderly manner. The registration opened at 9 o'clock to-day and will continue for 12 days. Thousands of people are in line at the registration places, although early registration affords no advantage to the applicants as the land will be distributed by a drawing, which will begin August 27. A dispatch from Grand Junction, says that fully 5,000 strangers have already arrived in the city, most of whom intend to register.

About 400 men spent the night in line at the registration where the registration is being held. The first man in line was William Vayback, of Ouray, Colo.

### DANCERS DEFY THE PISTOL

#### Regardless of his Wishes They Two Step at Church Outing

Mahoney City, Pa., Aug. 1.—When the Rev. George L. Schaeffer, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal church at Gilbertson, takes his flock on its annual outing next summer he will leave the village band at home. Rev. Schaeffer is opposed to dancing, so when the young folks of his congregation tripped polkas and two-steps at the church outing at Lakeside to-day to the music of the band, he had the proprietor close the pavillion. Later an entrance was gained through the barroom and the dance resumed. As the minister's self respect would not permit him to enter the saloon to reach the realitans dancing was continued until very late.

### NOTES AND PERSONALS

#### The Movements of Your Friends Recorded.

Julian McKenzie went to High Point this morning.

Mr. A. B. Saleby is spending the day in Greensboro on business.

Mr. A. C. Chaffee went to Taylorsville this morning on business.

Rev. T. A. Smoot, of Durham is visiting his brothers in Salisbury and Spencer.

Mr. W. L. Saylor, and daughter, Miss Willa, left this morning for a visit to Wadesboro.

Col. E. F. Rogers, of Concord, president of the Rogers syndicate, is spending the day in Salisbury.

Dug. L. Brown left last night for Hot Springs, Ark., to take a two-months treatment for rheumatism.

Miss Julia Gaskill, who has been spending several weeks at Morehead City, returned home last night.

Mrs. J. W. Mullen and children left this morning for Lenoir and Catawba county to spend several weeks.

J. F. Clement and J. G. Call, of Mocksville, the battery for the Salisbury team at Statesville yesterday, returned to Mocksville this morning.

Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Warren, of Greenville, N. C., arrived in Salisbury last night to visit Mrs. Warren's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James, on North Main street.

M. Ira M. Kimball, an old Salisbury boy, now travelling for the Radical Remedy Co., Chicago, who has been spending several days here, left this morning for Greensboro.

We hope the expression of a modest doubt as to the genuineness and extent of the Chinese boycott will not dampen the spirits of those who are in favor of treating China with greater consideration. We are in favor of more liberal treatment of China—in Chinese who come for business, study or curiosity, and in the improvement of diplomatic and trade relations. But we confess that the widely heralded "boycott" does not throw us into a panic.—Washington Post.

If the managers of the Portland exposition want to make the thing a unique success they should try to get along without a scandal about the exhibitors awards.—Chicago News.

## GRANITE QUARRY AND FAITH

### Both Prosperous Villages—Business Reviews of Each by James Carswell

Granite Quarry, Aug. 1.—This industrious suburb of Salisbury is shipping out eighteen car loads of granite per day.

The Rowan Quarry Company are going in on a level, and in a month's time will have the opening 45 feet high, and will eventually have a continuous face of 1,500 feet at least. The Rowan company have ten derricks (20 ton capacity) approximately 55 to 60 feet high, and probably will work more derricks than any other quarry in the South. They are now getting out from 4,000 to 5,000 cubic yards of granite per month and employing 225 men.

Big buildings are being rushed to completion, notably one 75 by 35 and nearly 40 feet high for a compressed air plant, for working pneumatic stone cutting tools, to be in operation September 1st. The capacity of the compressor will be 1,700 feet of air per minute, operated by 320 h. p. Heine safety boiler. The big steel sheet measuring 208 x 51 feet, highest point 45 feet, will soon be in readiness, and tierewith an electric travelling crane, capacity 20 tons, for handling stone.

The Rowan company with the exception of head mechanics, and of the force, employ natives of this and nearby counties with the idea that they can work the quarry when the Whitney dam is done—but the place is lack with darkeys. The company has eight nice cottages for white families, and above the big commissary are bachelor's quarters, and over on a hill are 150 darkey cabins.

Up at the Balfour Company's quarry they are putting in crushers, and employ skilled men. There you meet Scots, English, Welsh, Irish and Swedes, who have cut stone for bridges and monuments over the civilized world, and they dwell in amity, but the police have to call down the negroes every now and again when their egotism becomes too prominent.

A nigger was told to "git," with the result that ten of them marched up and said they would quit, if the other nigger was not restored. The superintendent gave two policemen their instructions and the ten were ordered to take the middle of the road, and they were escorted on a double quick. The officers carry "bulldogs" and know how to use them.

The Central Contracting Company offices at Asheville and Salisbury from quarries all around, and ship to Cincinnati, Ohio, Atlantic City, N. J., and last year supplied 80,000 feet of curbing to Harrisburg, Pa.

About 2-1/2 miles from from Granite Quarry is the quaint and pretty village of Faith, with pretty cottage homes, fronted with green lawns and flowers, and inhabited by sons and daughters of Rowan county.

Faith has a fine school, three churches and five stores, cotton gin, flour mill and planing mill, and quarries in every direction getting out the beautiful pink and gray granite.

Peeler, Bane & Co. are getting out granite for building and curbing purposes, also mill stones, and engine foundations by reason of widening and increasing demand, and they employ from 25 to 40 men.

John A. Peeler was the first, N. C. to build a house in and on Fairgreen, started the comely village.

Three brothers, John A. L., A. Peeler are hustlers, and Phillips mountain quarries, a 200-acre town site, and roller flour mill with two double stands of rolls, and two sets of burrs, and one 80-saw gin, and planer and saw mill and a general store and farms. For a dozen years John A. Peeler has been and is now postmaster and he is business from the word "go."

The father of "the boys," David D. Peeler is a lively veteran of 80 years and his wife, mother of the brothers, is also hale and hearty and this granite country, with pure air and pure water, is very healthy, and the scenery is grand. Faith should have a railway as the granite treasures are boundless, and it is in a farming country, where it is a joy to live.

The Globe Department Store Co., of Salisbury has a well-stocked branch establishment at Faith, with C. A. Peeler, as manager. This young gentleman was with the company at Salisbury; he is a graduate of Richmond Commercial College, and has the qualities that win.

The J. O. U. A. M. will be build a granite hall, to be ready in a couple of months and, the Globe Company will occupy the main floor.

The Daughters of Liberty are being organized at Faith. J. R. McNairy (McNairy Farmer Company) began here four years ago with a \$1,200 stock, and now it is over \$3,500 stock and a story has been

### FAVOR UNIFORM STATUTES

#### Higgins Thinks Divorce Law Regulation Badly Needed

Albany, N. Y., August 2.—Governor Higgins to-day expressed himself in favor of the proposed cooperation of the State commissioners to secure uniformity of divorce legislation throughout the country. In a letter to Governor Pennypacker, of Pennsylvania, he says:

"I have no authority to appoint delegates to a conference to meet at Washington to consider the subject of divorce, but I think the matter falls properly within the jurisdiction of the commissioners for the promotion of uniformity of legislation in the United States, and I have referred your communication to Walter S. Logan, of 27 William street, New York City, who is the senior commissioner in this State, and have requested him to communicate with his colleagues, and if possible attend such a congress should it meet, on behalf of the State of New York."

### FEMALE DETECTIVE STABBED

#### Women Charged With Shoplifting Make a Fight

Boston, Aug. 1.—While two women detectives were attempting to arrest two women shoplifters in a department store here to-day one of the suspected stabbed Miss Edith Thompson with a butcher knife. The woman also accidentally wounded herself with the same weapon.

The alleged shoplifters were taken to police headquarters. The one alleged to have stabbed Miss Thompson gave the name of Mrs. Bertia Hurley. Her companion said that she was Miss Alice McDonald.

The police say that goods valued at \$100 were found in the possession of the women.

### SALISBURY DIDN'T WIN

#### by Statesville Yesterday—Overwhelming score of 12 to 1

The Salisbury amateurs were defeated by the Statesville boys yesterday afternoon by a score of 12 to 1. Statesville failed to score until the fourth inning, and Salisbury would have won the game had the battery relieved any but ragged and sorry support. Clement of Mocksville pitched a pretty game, and Call caught him well, but the fielding of the local was "bum." They lacked practice, which they will get before the next game. Statesville will come here next week for a game, the date of which will be announced later.

### NO CAR AT HIGH POINT

#### Car Failure at High Point Delays Shipment of Salisbury Cars

On account of the manufacturers being unable to secure cars in which to ship the cars for the Salisbury Street Railway, the beginning of the season of the car line is again delayed. It is not known when they will be shipped. They are finished ready for shipment, but held until the railroad cars are furnished in which to haul them.

added to the building. He is interested in granite operations and has the contract to supply the material for the Carnegie Library building, at Rock Hill, S. C.

A. L. V. Fisher is a son of M. G. M. Fisher, granite contractor and farmer, and they are referred to occasionally as alphabet Fishers, and they are business from A to Z.

A. L. V. has just bought a span of mules for \$400 and says they are better haulers than a railroad. He is also engaged in merchandising; the firm being Rainey, Brown & Co.

P. A. Peeler, of Peeler Brothers, is also a successful contractor, and is now building at Spencer.

W. M. Bane, manager of quarries, is a son-in-law of John A. Peeler, and possesses vim, energy and judgment.

C. C. Inman, former railway agent at Granite Quarry, has gone to Lowell, and the new agent, A. A. Todd, came a few days ago from Hartsville, S. C., and is fast becoming acquainted with granite phrasology.

JAMES CARSWELL.  
Mr. P. O. Tatum, a successful farmer and mill man, is spending the day in Salisbury arranging for the sale of his flour.

## DAYS OF HEAT AT NEW ORLEANS

### Authorities Still Consider Situation Favorable

#### Shreveport Has One Case, Come From New Orleans—New Cases 42—Total to Date 345

Shreveport, La., Aug. 2.—Banney Tracey, a travelling man of Chicago, is in the detention camp just outside of the city suffering from yellow fever. There are no other cases in the detention camp nor any case in the city. Tracey has been isolated since his arrival here Sunday, and the health authorities are confident that this case will be confined to this one person. The infection has been traced directly to New Orleans, although Tracey spent but a few hours in that city.

New Orleans, Aug. 2.—To-day witnessed an increase in the number of deaths from yellow fever, a fact that was not expected in view of the high temperature that has prevailed the past two days.

There was, however, the usual large response of Italian names in the lists both of new cases and deaths, which have characterized the reports since the time when the fever was first officially announced as existent here.

Hopeful View of Situation  
Rev. Beverly Warner, in charge of the citizens' movement, expressed himself to-day as exceedingly hopeful of the situation.

"We have a very large city," said Dr. Warner, "and the deaths are spreading very slowly and it seems almost certain that it cannot get beyond control. The fight is being excellently handled from a scientific standpoint, the bulk of our population remains here undisturbed and confident of success, and we hope to turn this present visitation by demonstrating that the fever can be successfully fought into a positive advantage."

Manager C. H. Ellis, of the United Fruit Company is expected here tomorrow, when it is expected the fruit company will make an announcement as to its plans. After it became apparent that the fever was here and the rigid detention would be required for all fruit ships, Mr. Ellis went to the head office of his company, in Boston for consultation with the officials there. He has stopped at Mobile on his way home; and it is expected that he will make arrangements there for at least the temporary transfer of all the fruit steamers owned by the company.

The public is being impressed with the fact that while doctors, generally are convinced the best possible treatment for the sick is obtainable at the Emergency hospital, there is no intention to force patients to go there, whose families feel that they can be properly treated at home. This is being done to induce the prompt report of cases of fever the health authorities are concerned, they say that every case, even of suspicious fever is now being promptly reported. Some sensational statements have gone out through private letters and special dispatches giving the impression that the fullest extent of the situation here is not being made public. That is stated to be in no sense a fact. Every door is under a pledge to report all cases immediately and there is no desire to misrepresent the daily statement of cases or deaths.

Following is the record up to 6 p. m. yesterday.

New case 42; total cases to date 345; deaths 6; total deaths to date 68; new foci 4; total foci to date 50.

Miss Grace Lawrence returned yesterday from Davidson, where she attended the Piedmont summer school.

ADVERTISE IN THE SUN

### WOMAN KILLED

#### Endeavors to Cross Track, and Emergency Brakes are Applied, But the Train is Too Close

Charlotte, N. C., August 2.—At Manchester, a small station twenty miles from Charlotte, Mrs. R. E. Carnes was instantly killed by a Southern Railway train yesterday morning at 9:30 o'clock. The accident occurred at a curve of the railroad where a footpath crossed. D. A. McAllister, the engineer, stated that he saw the woman some distance before the train reached the crossing and that she saw the train first stopping to let it pass and then starting to cross when he was about fifty to seventy-five feet from her and his train going at the rate of about fifty miles an hour.

When he perceived she was going to cross the track he threw the emergency brakes on immediately, but it was too late, and before he could realize what had happened she had been struck by the engine, which broke almost every bone in her body. The engineer was unable to stop the train within 300 yards. When the body was picked up, the woman was dead.

### ACCIDENTAL SHOOTING

#### At Spencer This Morning—Victim May Die

As a result of a pistol wound received at 8:30 this morning at Spencer, John Falconer may die. He now lies at the Whitehead-Stokes sanitarium in a critical condition. This morning as the young man and his wife, Mrs. Katherine Falconer, were preparing to go down breakfast, young McCord back began snapping an old pistol, which went off, the bullet entering Falconer's left side, and passing through his entire body.

He was brought to Salisbury and placed in the sanitarium, where an operation was performed. The wound may prove fatal. The two boys were the best of friends and the accident was a sorrowful one.

### Fur Workmen Hurt By

Falling of Brick Cornice  
Tampa, Fla., Aug. 1.—Four men were seriously injured and two probably fatally hurt by the falling of a large section of the brick cornice of the Fernandez building, in process of erection at the corner of Ninth and Twentieth streets, in Ybor City. When the cornice fell it carried with it John Hunter and James Long tinners, working on the roof, and caught D. E. Thomas and S. M. Thomas, carpenters, working on the second balcony. The four men were hurled to the street with a crushing mass of brick. Hunter and Long are believed to be fatally hurt, while the other two men are in a serious condition. All are white men.

### PRESIDENT OF DUNN BANK UP

#### E. F. Young is Arrested Upon A Warrant Charging Forgery

Raleigh, N. C., Aug. 2.—E. F. Young, president of the Merchants' and Farmers' Bank, of Dunn, was arrested there to-day upon a warrant issued by E. Lee, a justice of the peace, upon the oath of three of the town commissioners charging forgery of the town's treasury account of the books of the bank. The case was removed to Justice J. R. Goodwin's court, and upon a plea for a continuance by counsel for the defendant, a justified bond in the sum of \$1,800 was required for the appearance of the defendant here next Monday, when the case will be heard.

### Methodist Sunday School

Picnic at South River  
The Sunday school of the Methodist church will have their annual picnic at South River tomorrow. About 200 children and many of their parents will enjoy the days outing.