

TWIN-CITY DAILY SENTINEL

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WINSTON-SALEM, N. C., SATURDAY EVENING, MAY 26, 1906

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POWER OF CZAR.

Refusing All the Principal Demands.

Some Minor Concessions Offered by the Chief Reforms Committee. It is Probable that the Douma Will Be Dismissed Tomorrow.

The Douma's refusal to accept the government's proposals is a serious blow to the reform movement. The Douma's demands for universal suffrage, a constitutional assembly, and a republic are all being refused. The government's offer of a limited franchise and a constitutional assembly is considered a betrayal of the reform movement's principles.

NO CONVICTS NOT YET LOCATED

Sheriff received no intelligence of the whereabouts of the three convicts who were reported to have fled from the Greensboro penitentiary. The convicts are believed to be in the vicinity of Winston-Salem. The sheriff is conducting a search for the convicts and has offered a reward for their capture.

BOUS WHITE MAN ARRESTED AT SPENCER

A white man, whose name is Joe Malone, was arrested yesterday afternoon by Sheriff J. H. Ritter, of Salisbury, on the charge of kidnapping a young girl from the home of Mrs. McCord, near Greensboro. The girl is believed to be in the custody of the man.

DESIRES TO HONOR MR. BRYAN

As his friendly feeling for the senator offered to contribute to the campaign fund for Mr. Bryan's re-election. The offer was declined by the campaign committee.

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DENTAL ASSOCIATION

The dental association is drawing up a list of dentists throughout the city for the purpose of holding a convention at the Elks' hall on Monday night at popular prices.

OVER 1,500 VISITORS IN WINSTON-SALEM.

Winston-Salem had the pleasure of entertaining over fifteen hundred citizens of Salisbury and Spencer today. The visitors came on the excursion run by the Southern Railway, complimentary to the company's army of employees in the Spencer shops.

The annual outing train was run in two sections, the first one arriving at 9 a. m. and the other half an hour later. The weather was rather disagreeable when the picnicers arrived. It was raining, but even the visitors accepted the propitious showers good naturedly.

Many of the visitors went direct to Nissen park on the cars where they spent the day. A large number, however, remained in the city, visiting places of interest. It was a jolly, good-natured crowd and their conduct has been commendable.

The Sentinel, in behalf of the business men and citizens generally, extends an invitation to the Southern Railway employees to picnic in the Twin-City annually.

COMMENCEMENT OF RALEIGH HIGH SCHOOL

The closing exercises for the Raleigh High School were held this morning at 11 o'clock under the direction of Principal Morison. The exercises were of a high order and attracted a large audience.

CONTRIBUTIONS TO CAMPAIGN FUNDS

Representative Backner, of Missouri, in the House this morning made a speech in support of his bill looking to publicity in campaign contributions and charged Republicans with insincerity in their treatment of the subject. He stated that the country has become aroused to the humiliating fact that in recent years corporations, trusts, insurance companies and all these interests enjoying special privilege have contributed enormous sums of money to campaign committees that have been used to degrade, corrupt and debauch the voter.

MRS. JEFFERSON DAVIS NOW CONVALESCENT.

Mrs. Jefferson Davis, who has been ill at Hotel Gerard for several days, is now considered as convalescent. She sat up for a short time yesterday afternoon. Mrs. Hayes announced this morning that the patient's pulse and temperature had resumed normal conditions.

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EFFORT DEFEATED. PROPOSAL TO IMPORT BUILDING MATERIAL INTO CALIFORNIA DUTY FREE PAIS.

Among Other Objections "Stand Pat" on Tariff Seemed to Fear It Would Re-Open Tariff Question, as Revisionists Would Probably Suggest Embarrassing Amendments.

WASHINGTON, May 26.—California members of Congress have practically abandoned the effort to secure legislation allowing California to import building material duty free. The agitation was the outcome of earthquake and it was pointed out that great benefit would accrue to those anxious to rebuild, particularly in San Francisco.

Many efforts were made to get assurances from Democratic leaders they would not offer amendments opening up the question of tariff revision if such a measure as the one desired by California representatives be presented. Democrats refused to commit themselves, so did Republican tariff revisionists.

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CLOSING EXERCISES OF SALEM BOYS SCHOOL

The commencement exercises of the Salem Boys' School, held in the chapel of the school building last night, attracted a large audience, many being turned away for lack of even standing room.

The program consisted of orations by members of the graduating class, vocal music, etc. The young men acquitted themselves admirably, reflecting honor upon themselves and the splendid educational institution. The music was also greatly enjoyed.

Bishop Rondthaler, in his usual happy manner, presented diplomas to the members of the class. The past session has been the best in the history of the school in enrollment of students and otherwise. Prof. Brower and his accomplished assistants are to be congratulated upon the success which is attending their efforts in training the young men to nobler and higher ambitions in life.

NEGRO M'DANIEL HELD UNDER A \$500 BOND.

George Richardson and Todd McDaniel, the two negroes arrested near Walkertown a few days ago on the charge of passing counterfeit money on Mr. Apple, a butcher, and S. S. Spencer, a colored merchant, doing business in Fairview, were given a hearing before United States Commissioner Backerdtic this morning. There was no evidence against Richardson and he was released. McDaniel was identified by Mr. Apple and Mr. Frank Mickey as the negro that passed a bad \$10 bill on Mr. Apple. Spencer testified that Richardson and McDaniel were not the parties that caught him for \$30.

REVENUE OFFICERS MAKE A RAID IN YADKIN

Deputy Marshal Carroll returned last evening from a trip to Yadkin county. While away he served papers on defendants and witnesses who are called upon to attend federal court at Statesville.

The deputy marshal was also a member of a force which raided two blockade whiskey manufacturing plants. The first was located near the Wilkes county line and while the still had been removed, the officers found 12 or more fermenters, which were destroyed.

The second plant was in what is known as the "Baltimore section" of Yadkin. A stranger followed the revenue officers and sounded a note of warning to the blockaders by firing a gun several times. When Uncle Sam's representatives arrived upon the scene the owners had fled, but they found a 90 gallon still in full blast. This, with 150 gallons of beer, were put out of business.

The M. P. Sunday School. Announces its annual excursion for Thursday, May 31, to Wilkesboro. Ample cars have been contracted for to carry the usual large crowd that generally patronizes this annual excursion. The fare for the round trip has been put in reach of all, namely \$1.

The old Piedmont warehouse was sold at 2 o'clock this afternoon to Capt. H. L. Higgins for \$100.

Mrs. J. D. King fell and fractured an ankle at her home on Sunnunt street last night.

Mr. W. Marrian, master mechanic in the Southern Railway shops at Spencer, met with a painful accident at Nissen park today. He was running a foot race with his little daughter when he fell, badly spraining his right wrist.

WORK OF CONGRESS. IT WILL PROBABLY BE FINISHED BEFORE LAST OF JUNE. IT APPEARS NOW.

Some Think Congress Will Adjourn by June 10 or 15 While Others Put Time of Adjournment Further Distant—Some of the Measures Yet to Be Considered.

WASHINGTON, May 26.—Both sides are tired out and leaders are preparing to bring the work of Congress to an end about June 8 or 12. The last great supply of measures to be considered at this session of Congress will be taken up in the House next week.

The diplomatic and consular bill, which has been before the house as a pretext for deliverance of political speeches, will be disposed of and sundry civil bills will follow. The only additional appropriation bill to prepare is the general deficiency bill.

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N. C. SUPREME COURT DELIVER OPINIONS

The supreme court this afternoon delivered opinions in twelve cases as follows: *Boe vs. Seaboard Air Line*, from Chatham, new trial; *Fitzgerald vs. Southern Railway Co.*, from Guilford, affirmed; *Settle vs. Settle*, from Guilford, affirmed; *Hayes vs. Franklin*, from Caldwell, affirmed; *Winkler vs. Killian*, from Burke, new trial; *Murray's will case*, from Buncombe, affirmed; *Rhea vs. Craig*, from Buncombe, affirmed; *Ledford vs. Emerson*, from Cherokee, affirmed; *Bryson vs. Railroad*, from Jackson, affirmed; *Matthews vs. Fry*, from Swain, affirmed; *Davidson vs. Nathalia Co.*, from Macon, affirmed per curiam; *Wales vs. Kaolin Co.*, from Swain, affirmed per curiam.

TWO SERMONS TO THE JUNIORS SUNDAY

Two special services will be held tomorrow for members of the Junior Order, Fairview Council, a month ago, invited Rev. J. F. Kirk to preach a sermon to the order at Grace M. E. church at 11 o'clock on Sunday, May 27. It was accepted and this council hopes there will be a large attendance. Members of this and all other councils are invited to meet at Fairview hall at 10:30 a. m. and march to Grace church in a body.

HITCHED CHILDREN TO PLOW.

At Southside Moravian church at 11 o'clock tomorrow Mr. C. E. Crist will preach to the Juniors under the auspices of Southside council. There are enough Juniors in the Twin-City to give both speakers large congregations.

WISCONSIN FARMER NOW FORCED TO SEND THEM TO SCHOOL.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., May 25.—A special from Oshkosh, Wis., says: Complaint has been made against a farmer living about five miles southwest of Neenah, that he has been hitching four of his seven children to a corn plow or cultivator, which he compelled them to draw through a 10-acre garden, while he guided it. "Farmers in the vicinity and persons from Oshkosh riding along the highway in carriages and automobiles have witnessed the strange sight. The attention of the authorities was called to the matter after securing confirmation. Dr. Wilkie, of this city, agent of the Fox River Valley Humane Society, went to the farmer and compelled him to send five of the children to school. Five are of school age. The farmer, it is alleged, was rearing them in ignorance. The majority of the children are girls. The eldest is not over 14 years old. Dr. Wilkie says that the plow had harness attached to it which was put about the shoulders of the children. The farmer says the corn plow or cultivator is very light and was used merely to stir up the top soil.

EMPEROR OF CHINA REPORTED VERY ILL.

LONDON, May 26.—A Reuter dispatch from Paris says that a telegram received there from Peking reports that the emperor of China is ill. There is a rumor even that the emperor is dead.

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HOOK AND LADDER CO. TO HAVE BIG BAZAAR

The Winston Hook and Ladder Company is arranging for a bazaar, for the purpose of raising money to pay their expenses to the State Firemen's Tournament, which comes off at Asheville in July.

The bazaar will take place at the armory, which has been kindly tendered the fire boys by the military company for the occasion. Committees from the Hook and Ladder Co. are now at work arranging for the bazaar.

The occasion will be an interesting one. Several young ladies and gentlemen have generously tendered their services to sing and give recitations for the entertainment of those who will attend. The boys will arrange handsome booths, which will be presided over by sweet young ladies. There will be all kinds of things to sell, including choice refreshments, etc.

Our people will not forget the fact, that at the top of the fire bell, it makes no difference what the lads are doing (for they are all men of business), they stop work at once and respond promptly to the call of duty. They work faithfully when occasions demand, without reward. They are in a measure the protectors of our property. Their demands upon the public are exceedingly small. Let all help to make the bazaar a great success.

ATTENDING MEETING OF REPUBLICAN COMMITTEE

District Attorney A. E. Holton and Maj. J. E. Alexander went to Greensboro today to attend the meeting of the Republican state executive committee. The committee is composed of seventeen members, as follows:

Seven from the state at large and ten from the congressional districts. T. S. Rollins, chairman, Asheville; J. C. Meekins, Terrell county; Z. V. Walser, Davidson county; H. S. Harkins, Buncombe county; E. W. Timberlake, Franklin county; W. S. Pearson, Burke county; B. F. Mebane, Rockingham county. The congressional districts are represented in the order named: A. Berry, Hyde; D. W. Patrick, Greene; John E. Fowler, Sampson; Claudius Dockery, Wake; J. E. Alexander, Forsyth; W. J. Sutton, Cumberland; W. A. Bailey, Davie; E. Spencer Blackburn, Wilkes; T. F. Rowland, Gaston; J. L. Morgan, McDowell.

A local Republican was asked this morning if he anticipated any contest between the Blackburn and Rollins factions. He replied: "I have an idea that Rollins will resign the chairmanship. However, he has the majority of supporters on the committee. I was looking over the names yesterday and discovered only three or four members who could be counted for Blackburn."

Today's Greensboro Telegram says: At 1 o'clock last night strange as it may seem, Chairman Rollins, Spencer Blackburn, Collector Duncan, Marshal Dockery, C. J. Harris and Collector Harkins were in a congenial and good natured conference, which presaged a harmonious meeting of the committee.

MEETING AT WAREHOUSE CLOSES SUNDAY NIGHT

There was a fine audience at the lecture on Ben Hur at the Star Warehouse last night. People of all classes and some of the ministers of the city were present and joined with others in praise of the eloquent lecture and expressions of their judgment of the beautiful views. The stereopticon views of Ben Hur were beautiful, and the other moving pictures a result of modern art and skill. Buildings, men, women and animals were before the eyes, godolias gliding through the waterways of service, and Mount Vesuvius poured out its fire and smoke. The description of the story of Ben Hur by Mr. Yenell was clear and in some passages eloquent, especially in the description of the chariot race, which evoked applause from the audience.

No service will be held at the warehouse tonight. The meeting will close Sunday night. The program Sunday will be as follows: Preaching 11 a. m., subject, "Nobuchadnezzar's Furnaces"; 3 p. m., "The Devil's Railway"; 8 p. m., "The Kind of Church Winston Needs." This last sermon will be repeated by request.

GOVERNOR URGES THAT BYRD BE RE-ARRESTED

RALEIGH, May 26.—Gov. Glenn has written Sheriff Alsbaugh, of Forsyth county, to use every possible means for the re-arrest of R. H. Byrd, who was serving eight months on the Forsyth county roads for assault with deadly weapon in Wilkes county and set him to serving the whole of his sentence as he cancelled the pardon granted a day or two ago just as soon as he was informed of his shipping out of the Twin-City Hospital where he was being treated. The governor says he feels that he has been imposed upon in that he was persuaded that Byrd was very ill of pneumonia and would not be able to do any more work before his term was up.

N. L. GLENN CASE. NEGRO DIVINE ON TRIAL AGAIN IN SUPERIOR COURT ON A SERIOUS CHARGE.

The trial of "Rev." N. L. Glenn, colored, on the charge of having improper relations with a girl under 14 years, was begun in the superior court this morning. He was prosecuted on a similar indictment Wednesday and has two other cases pending against him.

The grand jury, before adjourning, returned true bills against a number of men for failing to list their polls. The case on trial was being argued by counsel at 4 o'clock this afternoon. The Parish burglary case, set for today, was continued until next week by request of counsel for the defendant.

Fred Jones, colored, for assaulting Mr. T. S. Fleshman on the train, was given a term of six months on the roads. Pearl Sanders and Bertha Sanders, affray; Pearl given six months on the roads; Bertha not guilty. Jim Matthews, gambling, defendant plead guilty; judgment continued upon payment of costs, defendant to appear at each term and show that he has not gambled.

Ed. Davis, gambling, judgment suspended upon payment of costs. Rachel Martin, assault with deadly weapon, continued for state under same bond. Sarah Martin, state's witness, called and failed, fined \$80.

We have acted on 98 bills and presented 84 true bills, two of which are for capital offences and one presentment. A committee of six of our body visited the county convict camp and found the general condition good. The convicts seem to be doing desirable work under the supervision of competent management. Our only recommendation for this department is that a new tent be provided for the live stock, which answers for a stable.

Another committee of six visited the county home for the poor and disabled, finding 20 white and 12 colored inmates who seemed well fed and provided for. The live stock, cattle and hogs were in good condition and the general sanitary condition was as good as the facilities afforded. The crops were all worked and in a very promising condition. We desire to congratulate the county for having under construction a splendid new home, built of brick, two stories high, furnishing more than ample accommodations for the demands of the county even in this time of unprecedented progress, which building contract has been let by the county commissioners, to cost from \$20,000 to \$25,000 and is now nearing completion which will be a credit not only to Forsyth county but to the State of North Carolina.

We visited the jail in a body and found there thirty or more prisoners that were in secure and substantial keeping, that appeared to be well cared for in the way of food and places to sleep, such as bunks that are usually furnished.

We noticed some improvement in the sanitary condition of the jail and believe the premises to be in better than average condition, though the building is not in keeping with the county's progress and we recommend that the county commissioners will have an eye to the future and find the way to erect at some future day not too distant, a jail commensurate with the growth and progress of Forsyth county. We visited the various offices in the court house and examined the manner of keeping the books and records and found the system in most cases good, the records neatly kept and the officials familiar with their work and duties.

We note the sanitary condition of the lower floor was unfavorably criticized by a recent grand jury and we could discover little if any improvement in that respect and earnestly recommend that this building be given better attention as to cleanliness and protection from all rubbish, etc. We recommend that a new index be provided for the register's office as the ones now in use are getting crowded for space.

A party of fifteen from the State of Wilkes passed through Winston-Salem this week enroute to Davenport, Wash., where they expect to locate. In the party were the following: Mr. A. M. McGee and family, Mr. W. M. Lenderman and family, and Messrs. O. D. Shook and Claud Lenderman, of Wilkesboro, and Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Alexander, of Moravian Falls. The Hunter says that Messrs. McGee and Lenderman have been successful business men at North Wilkesboro for years.

The Farmington ball team crossed hats with the Clemmons team on the latter's grounds yesterday. The Farmington boys were defeated by a score of 17 to 8. Last Saturday the same teams played on the Farmington grounds and Farmington lost by the score of 25 to 15.

Summ Hall, colored, stepped off a street car backward today at 12:20 opposite the drug store of Landreux & Pfohl, on Main street, Salem. She fell and broke her right leg.