

W'S LAWYERS ARE READY NOW

For Defence Finally Presented at a Conference Last Night at Tombs Prison.

For Defence and Harry... Had Lengthy Talk After... Was Announced That De... Ready To Proceed—Jury... Complete and When Court... Monday Case Will Doubt... In Earnest.

PROBLEM HAS APPEARED IN GERMANY

By Publishers' Press.) WASHINGTON, Feb. 2.—The race question introduced into German... promoters have taken a... from their es... The attempt of a big... to flirt with a pretty... responsible for the... The offending black... out just in time to pre... violence to him. Then... hung out a sign an... that negroes would be ad... the future. Other safe man... which to follow his exam...

OUTBREAK LOOKED FOR NOW AT CARACAS

By Publishers' Press.) CARACAS, Feb. 2.—Violent out... expected here as the re... of General... of Caracas, by... enemies, who are follow... President Gomez. Friends... are threatening... It is feared that compa... being armed, drilled and... for an open attack on...

EXHORT THEM TO CHANGE COURSE

By Publishers' Press.) WASHINGTON, Feb. 2.—When the... school officials arrive... will be exhorted to aban... of excluding Japanese... the regular public... of national... The president will tell the... their obstinacy may... into a desperate war. It ap... the San Francisco school... circulated the Japanese... of the State.

FOR CULLOM SAYS IDEA IS RIDICULOUS

By Publishers' Press.) WASHINGTON, Feb. 2.—Senator... of the Senate for... committee, after a call... House today, declared... attend to our own bi... talking about a war... He said it was ridicu... of the United States and... to war over such a small... San Francisco school... officials deprecate the... of war with the Japs.

Cost Sale Next Week

By Publishers' Press.) WASHINGTON, Feb. 2.—The... of next week D... will run a not cost sale for... of the remainder of the... Monday's Sentinel for... and forecast of the big...

FUTURE OF RAILROADS IN UNITED STATES

(By Publishers' Press.) WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 2.—Setting forth the views of W. C. Brown, vice president of the New York Central lines and president of the American Railway Association, a letter by him to a friend here has been made public in which he paints a pessimistic view of the railway development of the immediate future. Mr. Brown prophesies a business depression within eighteen months and explains that the situation is not due to what has been done in the way of government supervision of railroads, but to the way it has been done. He says legislation so far enacted is not injurious to railroads unless the interstate commerce commission reduces freight rates so as to deplete their revenues. It is the popular sentiment that causes the danger, he says.

RUMOR REGARDING JAPANESE SOLDIERS

(By Publishers' Press.) HONOLULU, Feb. 2.—There is a renewal of reports here that at least one regiment and possibly two of Japanese soldiers have entered the Hawaiian Islands disguised as laborers. Official denials from Tokio and the report of Immigration Commissioner Sergeant, who was recently here, that there was no truth in the statement have not silenced the rumor. If there is not an active fighting organization of Japs in Hawaii there are enough Japs, even fighting as a mob, to make a grave international situation.

NEXT WEEK IN U. S. CONGRESS

(By Publishers' Press.) WASHINGTON, Feb. 2.—In the United States Senate next week the principal topics will be the army appropriation bill and the Brownsville investigation by the committee on military affairs. In the House the river and harbor bill and ship subsidy bill will be the principal matters to be considered. At Academy Monday Night. Signor Angelo Patricolo was the pianist. Opening with "Sonnambula," he completely won the audience to appreciation of his ability. Encores were demanded of him, and freely granted, and he will leave behind him a void in the hearts of musical people which it will take a great artist to fill. He is a finished, perfected performer.—Duluth News Tribune, April 20, 1906. —The Ladies' Aid Society of the Methodist Protestant church will meet at the residence of Mrs. W. M. Hassell Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock and every member is urged to be present.

Substitute For Solicitors Salary Bill Is Introduced.

Senator Howard Presents Measure Same as Webb Bill Except That It Specifies Salary For Each District—Two Of Senator Buxton's Bills Passed Today—Other Proceedings.

(Special to The Sentinel.) RALEIGH, Feb. 2.—Mr. Buxton introduced a bill in the Senate to amend the charter of the Forsyth Bank and Trust Company. Mr. Turner—A bill to pay judges \$3,500. The House passed Mr. Buxton's bill to prevent extortion and usury. A joint caucus of Democratic members of the House and Senate is called for Thursday night to consider legislative matters. The Senate considered for a short while the Webb bill to put solicitors on salaries as it passed on second reading yesterday. Senator Howard offered a substitute bill identical except that it specifies the salaries for each of the sixteen solicitors. These are: First district, \$1,800; second, \$2,000; third, \$2,500; fourth, \$2,500; fifth, \$3,000; sixth, \$2,500; seventh, \$2,000; eighth, \$2,000; ninth, \$3,500; tenth, \$3,000; eleventh, \$3,000; twelfth, \$3,000; thirteenth, \$1,800; fourteenth, \$1,800; fifteenth, \$2,000; sixteenth, \$1,800. This was made a special order for next Wednesday. Mr. Buxton's bill to require uniform stamp for gold and silver articles of merchandise passed. The bill to regulate statistics of sales of leaf tobacco on warehouse floors was ratified. It requires monthly reports to commissioner of Agriculture who is to publish them in a bulletin. The House passed the bill to establish a dispensary at Windsor. The Senate—Twenty-third Day. Senator Brown, of Yadkin, was called upon by President Winston to offer the opening prayer for the Senate. Bills and petitions were introduced as follows and referred to proper committees. Turner—Amend Revisal relative to carrying freight. Wilson—Authorize Selma to issue bonds for electric lights. Counties, Cities and Towns. Rives—Incorporate town of Ore Hill, Chatham county. Counties, Cities and Towns. Graham—Allow governor of the State to employ counsel to appear before the interstate commerce commission. Judiciary. Mason—To appoint a reformatory commission and defining its duties. Penal Institutions. Graham—Confer police powers on sheriffs and constables at certain cotton mills. Counties, Cities and Towns. Lovill—Repeal the charter of the town of Boone and re-charter the town. Counties, Cities and Towns. Blair—For the benefit of the State school for the blind. Institutions for the Blind. Petitions sent forward from citizens of Smithfield for reduction of freight rates and from widows who married veterans after the war for pensions. Leaves of absence granted senators from Gates, Onslow and Cabarrus counties. Reimburse—For relief of certain Confederate soldiers. Pensions. Bills ratified. To make section 3366 and 3367 of Revisal apply to Rowan and Rutherford counties. To make valid the registration of certain deeds. Amend chapter 122 private laws of 1901 relating to the graded school at Hendersonville. To provide for the drainage and straightening Leonanis Creek in Davie county. Provide pay for special venturers in Anson county. Authorize commissioners of Pitt county to work convicts on works other than public roads. Amend Revisal relative to divorce. Prohibit sale of liquor within three miles of certain schools in Tyrrell. Prohibit the sale and manufacture of liquor within two miles of Bullocks Baptist church, Granville county. Amend section 2798 Revisal. The unfinished business of yesterday, the bill of Senator Webb to put solicitors of the State on salaries instead of fees was taken up another lengthy discussion followed. Finally Senator Webb closed the discussion with a spirited speech in which he declared that his bill was designed to elevate and dignify the office of solicitor. He appealed for the Senate to vote down the amendments offered and called the previous question. This was sustained. The amendment by Klutz to fix the salaries at \$2,500 was defeated. A similar amendment by Senator Burke was lost. Amendment by Senator Turner that the salaries be \$2,100, no solicitor to receive more than the amount of his fees, was withdrawn. Amendment by Redwine requiring the solicitor to visit the scene of wreck, crime or accident was adopted. Another amendment by Redwine that no solicitor receive more than (Continued on Page 3)

WILL OPEN MODERN STORE IN GRAY BLOCK

T. L. Vaughn Jr. & Co., haberdashers, have leased the large store room in the Gray block, at the corner of Third and Liberty street, and will carry a complete line of high-grade gent's furnishings, both imported and domestic goods, also tailoring. The building to be occupied by this firm is to be renovated throughout and fitted with modern fixtures. Work on the improvements will be commenced at once. The front of this store will be given to furnishings, while the tailoring department, which will be a strong feature of this firm, will be fitted up in the center of the store. This department will be handsomely fitted up with the latest improvements such as wash basins, boot-black stands, etc., such as are found in the cities, and these conveniences will be free to the customers. The basement of this store will be used for pressing and a complete pressing outfit will be installed. The firm hopes to be ready for business not later than March 1st. It is the purpose of M. M. Vaughn to have one of the handsomest stores in the State, and an establishment that will do credit to Winston-Salem.

RADICAL LEGISLATION IS NOT EXPECTED

Representatives W. T. Carter, of Forsyth; R. A. Doughton, of Alleghany and Jack Albright, of Surry, arrived here last night. Messrs. Doughton and Albright left this morning for their respective homes. This being near the half of the session of the general assembly, many members have secured leaves of absence for a few days. Ex-Lieut. Gov. Doughton, in an interview, stated that he did not believe much radical legislation would be enacted during the present session of the assembly though he admitted that a number of "extreme" bills have been introduced. Mr. Doughton expects to return to Raleigh next Wednesday or Thursday. Representative Carter, who will be here until Monday evening, expressed the opinion today that the general assembly will establish one rate for railroad passenger fares and that this will be 2 1/2 cents a mile.

NOTABLE IMPROVEMENTS BY UNDERTAKING FIRM

The firm of A. C. Vogler & Son, who recently sold their entire furniture interests in order to devote more time to the undertaking business, are arranging to make considerable improvements in this department. This department is to be handsomely fitted up with private office, reception rooms and chapel for private funerals. The chapel will have a seating capacity for accommodation of about 60 people, with private entrance to same on north side of the Vogler building. This firm, when all improvements are complete, will be one of the handsomest in the State and will be under the personal attention of Mr. Frank H. Vogler, who will be assisted by Messrs. Eugene Vogler and W. S. Walker.

Briggs-Cox Marriage.

At the home of Mr. Ben F. Briggs, one mile north of Laune, Texas, Jan. 13, at 5:30 p. m. Mr. Benjamin F. Briggs, of Hill City, Kansas, was united in marriage to Miss Lizzie E. Cox, formerly of Winston-Salem. The bride is a daughter of Mr. J. H. Cox of this city, and a sister of Mr. Emory Cox, of the Farmers' Stock Co.

Notice!

J. T. Pindexter & Co.'s guessing contest at the number of pounds of tobacco sold at the Piedmont warehouse for January, has just closed. Joe Binkley, whose guess was 1,100,000 pounds, won the first prize. A. M. Smitherman, whose guess was 1,975,973 won second prize. The pounds actually sold were 1,167,244.

"Parsifal" at the Elks Auditorium Monday night will doubtless have the largest audience of the season for a high-priced show. This company has received flattering notices from the newspapers of Asheville and other cities where it has appeared. There are some good seats left.

At the regular monthly meeting of the board of stewards of Burkhead M. E. church last night, the pastor was authorized to extend an invitation to Rev. J. R. Moore to assist in a meeting at Burkhead church in April. Mr. Moore was pastor of this congregation for two years before he became a missionary and was exceedingly popular.

TRANSFER SALEM WATER WORKS.

Change in Ownership of Plant to Be Dated February 1st, Say Commissioners.

Police Committee Authorized To Fill The Vacancy Caused By the Resignation of Chief of Police McGee—Fire Inspecting Committee Makes Its Report.

The Salem Commissioners met in session last night. Mayor S. E. Butler presided. The following commissioners were present: H. A. Phild, I. B. Brickenshtein, T. E. Bulmer, Geo. H. Rights, H. A. Siddall and H. F. Shaffner. The question of revising and amending the charter was left with the city attorney and a specially appointed committee to prepare and report preliminary to the board. Chief of Police McGee tendered his resignation and the same was accepted. The police committee was authorized to fill the vacancy. The fire inspecting committee, comprising Messrs. A. J. Lee and Lewis Tesh, made their report. Every dwelling in Salem was visited and carefully inspected. Such places as were considered dangerous were so reported and the board instructed the mayor to see that the same were repaired at once. A petition was presented regarding the posting of indecent pictures. The same was referred to the mayor and city attorney, whose actions will be duly reported to the board. It was decided to date the formal transfer of the Salem Water Co. property to the town on February 1st, and all papers pertaining thereto will be so dated. Upon motion, \$20 was awarded to Messrs. Nading & Ebert to repair the road leading to Peters' creek, West Salem. Some day this may become a much traveled highway if the needed work upon it can be done. It is a direct line west to Clemmonsville and the Yadkin river road. It was reported that Night Watchman Yaw was off duty nursing a foot which was wounded some days ago by stepping upon a nail. A substitute has been secured by the mayor and police committee. It was decided to operate the water plant separate and distinct from the regular business of the town and Secretary Keehn was authorized to prepare special stationery for that purpose.

McLean-Thomas.

Invitations have been received here to the marriage of Miss Ada Thomas and Mr. T. G. McLean, two of Greensboro's popular young people. The wedding will be celebrated at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Thomas, in Greensboro, at 12 o'clock on Tuesday, February 12. The bride-elect is a sister of Capt. John C. Thomas, of this city. She is well known and has many friends in the Twin City. The groom-elect is a member of the Vandyke Clothing Company and numbers his friends by the score.

Tomorrow at Southside Baptist Church.

At the Southside Baptist church tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock services will be held. Rev. A. L. Jettis will preach a special sermon on the "Of Use of a Deacon." The close of this will be followed by a service for the election of the deacons for the ensuing term. A full attendance of the members is urged to be present at the 11 o'clock service.

"Parsifal" Monday Night.

"Parsifal," the grand Wagnerian production that will be presented at the Elks Auditorium Monday night, has secured a decided success wherever it has been presented. The company is a splendid and well-balanced one and the scenery is said to be magnificent in every detail. The advance sale of seats thus far indicates that the Auditorium will be well filled Monday night.

Card of Thanks.

We desire to extend heartfelt thanks for the kind assistance rendered by neighbors and other friends during the illness and after the death of the late G. J. Miller.

MRS. G. J. MILLER & FAMILY.

The demonstration of Snow Drift Shortening and Wesson Cooking Oils will continue another week. The ladies of the Twin City should not miss this demonstration at Meyers-Westbrook Co's.

There was a serious collision between two freight trains on the yard at Barber Junction last night. No. 86 ran into No. 84. Several cars were practically destroyed by fire. One brakeman sustained painful injuries.



THERE IS ALWAYS MORE OR LESS OF A BLOCKADE ON THIS ROAD.