

Freight Rate Bill Reported in Senate

Reference to Subject of Mileage Books Authorizing Governor to Employ Counsel Freight Rate Cases Passes—Other Leg-Matters.

The railway bill was reported in the Senate by Senator Graham and will be printed in the bill book...

SESSION NOT TO LAST VERY LONG

Legislature May Adjourn by the Middle of Next Week or Last of Week at Latest.

RALEIGH, Jan. 25.—In the house today, a resolution was introduced calling for the production before the legislature of papers and letters in the railway rate agreement matter...

Rigid Imperial Order Issued by Mkado

TOKIO, Jan. 25.—An imperial order issued today prohibits all Japanese from immigration to the Hawaiian Islands...

THE STORM AT NORFOLK.

Continues With Unabated Fury Along the Coast—Scores of Vessels Are at the Storm's Mercy.

NORFOLK, Va., Jan. 24.—The northwest storm sweeping the Virginia and North Carolina coast continues tonight with unabated fury...

The steamer Jamestown of the Old Dominion line en route from New York to Norfolk was reported tonight by wireless...

Cowles stirred controversy by contention that it is permitted to be engaged in Eastern Carolina growers in the West...

Committee on public employment created until a late night with problem of the bill that must be...

Stillman to Succeed Harriman? NEW YORK, Jan. 25.—Wall street is excited over the confirmation of a report that Harriman has resigned...

The Recreational Sporting Goods Co. has sold to Dr. S. Hassell, of Haw River, a model M. Califac automobile...



Winston-Salem Paid to Government Last Year Over Thirty Times the Cost of the City's Public Building.

BIG GRAFT TRIAL TO START MONDAY

Seventeen Prominent Politicians Have Been Indicted.

Pennsylvania Capitol Graft Cases Will Be Taken Up and a Very Hard Fight Is Expected—Frauds in Connection With Building of Capitol Charged.

HARRISBURG, Pa., Jan. 25.—The trial of the so-called capitol graft cases will begin here Monday, when seventeen of the best known politicians of the state will appear to answer thirty-seven indictments...

Forsyth Citizen Presented With Cross of Honor

Mr. Thomas H. Rogers, principal of the school at Demis, has been awarded a cross of honor by the United Daughters of the Confederacy...

Francis Trevelian Dead. CHARLOTTEVILLE, Jan. 25.—Francis Trevelian, widely known writer and race track judge, died today.

Mrs. H. C. Pegram went to Greensboro today to visit friends.

GUNBOAT PADUCAH GOING TO SCENE

Ship to Protect American Interests in Haiti.

Leaves New Orleans in Order to Be in Call in Case Revolution Spreads into Santo Domingo—Status of Affairs in Haiti Now.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 25.—The U. S. gunboat Paducah left New Orleans today for St. Marc, Haiti, to protect American interests in case revolution spreads into Santo Domingo...

Report of New York and Chicago Markets

NEW YORK, Jan. 25.—The cotton market opened without excitement. January opened 11.15; March 11.25; April 11.35; May 11.35.

Stock Market. The stock market was unchanged except small fractional changes.

Chicago Markets. CHICAGO, Jan. 25.—The grain and provision market opened with wheat one-eighth of a cent higher...

Y. W. C. A. Vesper. The vesper service of the Young Women's Christian Association tomorrow afternoon at four o'clock will be held in the rooms of the Retail Merchants Association...

DISTRICT ATTORNEY HOLTON'S SUGGESTIONS TO LEGISLATURE ON FREIGHT DISCRIMINATIONS

"I endorse the position of the Railroad Discriminations," concluded Mr. Holt on Thursday taking the position that every means should be exhausted in the power of the state to stop the railroad from their unjust discrimination in freight rates...

TO CLOSE DEFENSE BY MONDAY NIGHT

This Is Attorney Littleton's Present Intention.

Now Gathering Up the Remaining Loose Ends of Testimony—Thaw Being Attended by Tomba Physician But His Condition is Not Serious.

NEW YORK, Jan. 25.—With the arrival of four witnesses who will complete the defense in the Thaw case, with the exception of insanity experts, Attorney Littleton began today to gather remaining loose ends so that as can make good his promise to close for the defense Monday night.

In the meantime Thaw is suffering from a cold and the Tomba physician is attending him in his cell. His condition is not serious.

Child Found Dead in Bed at Hotel Phoenix

The little six-months-old child of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Gordon, who came to this city last night on the 10 o'clock train from Marine, Va., died at the Phoenix hotel this morning about 5 o'clock.

Capt. Newell Appointed Supt. Jacksonville Division

A private letter received here today says Capt. D. W. Newell, former superintendent of the Mooresville division, Southern Railway, who was transferred to the Rock Hill division a few months ago, which was recently consolidated with the Charleston division, has been appointed superintendent of the Jacksonville, Fla., division...

COLORED SCHOOL TEACHERS.

Report of Meeting of County Association Held at the Courthouse.

The colored teachers of Forsyth met at the courthouse today at 1 o'clock. The following subjects were discussed: Importance of Improving School Ground, by Prof. F. M. Kennedy.

Importance of Extending School Term, by Rev. J. L. Lash, Ella Masby and Prof. F. M. Fitch.

The above named subjects were well discussed and much desired information was given by the speakers.

THREE FIREMEN ARE DEAD. Revised Estimates Place Baltimore's Fire Loss at \$100,000—Three Firemen Are Dead and Sixteen Others Seriously Injured—Fire the Worst Since the Calamity of 1904.

BALTIMORE, Jan. 24.—Fire at an early hour this morning took heavy toll of the members of the fire department of this city, three being dead and sixteen others more or less seriously injured.

The dead are: Lieutenant Frederick Harmon, William R. Pugh, Charles Freeman.

Car of Dynamite Explodes. OSKALOOSA, Iowa, Jan. 25.—A car of dynamite exploded at Mocking today, wrecking company store and several adjoining buildings.

Branch fans here were not worried materially because Salisbury had dropped out of the Carolina Baseball League.

It is learned that the executive committee of the North Carolina State Bankers' Association will meet in Greensboro at an early date to decide upon the time and place for the annual session.

TERRIBLE SCENES OF SUFFERING NOW

Unparalleled Hardships Caused by N. Y. Snowstorm.

Scarcely Cared Men Working on Streets And Enduring Terrible Suffering From Bitter Cold in Order to Earn a Few Dollars—Eight Deaths Traceable to Snow Storm Have Resulted.

NEW YORK, Jan. 25.—Scenes of suffering never before known in the history of the metropolis following the removal of yesterday's blizzards snowfall from the downtown sections. An army of laborers have been recruited from the ranks of the unemployed and seventy-five per cent of them are inadequately clad and many actually went凍, dressed in summer clothing without either overcoat, gloves or shoes.

Eight deaths directly traceable to the storm have been reported to the police while scores have suffered broken limbs and other injuries from falls on icy sidewalks.

STEAMER HAS NOT BEEN HEARD FROM

Strong Efforts to Get Trace of the Princess Anne

This Old Dominion Liner Is Overdue and Grave Fears for Her Safety Are Entertained—There May Have Been Collision During Blinding Snowstorm.

NEW YORK, Jan. 25.—Wireless telegraph stations along the coast between New York and Norfolk are bonding every effort today to get a trace of the Old Dominion liner Princess Anne, which was due here yesterday. President Walker, of the company, and friends are apprehensive that there may have been a collision during yesterday's blinding snowstorm with some other boat.

Ship Reported Safe. Later—the wireless station at Coney Island picked up a message saying the Old Dominion steamer Princess Anne is safe on the north-east end of Lightship dock about 5:15.

BRIEFS AND PERSONALS. W. R. Clement, of Mocksville, was in the city today.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Fulton went to Clemmons today to visit relatives.

Prof. E. F. Mendenhall, of Clemmons School, was in the city today.

C. F. Hauser, of Rural Hall, was one of Winston-Salem's visitors today.

C. W. Snyder returned this afternoon from a business trip to Mocksville.

Misses Maggie and Lena Brewer left this evening for Greensboro to spend a few days with Mrs. R. F. McClamroch.

Mrs. P. O. Tatum, of South River, is in the city, the guest of her daughter, Mrs. W. F. Vaughn, on Spring street.

Miss Clark Warner, a student of the Salem Academy and College, went to Clemmons this afternoon to spend Sunday with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. George Bryan, after spending several days in the city, the guests of Dr. and Mrs. W. J. Conrad, left this afternoon for their home in Charlotte.

Rev. George S. Beards and family will leave Winston-Salem for Wilmington next Monday morning. He goes there to accept work with the English Lutheran church.

The District Episcopal Convention, including Burlington, Winston and Leaksville, together with several adjoining sessions, will meet in High Point, January 28th and 29th.

By request, Rev. Edward R. Crossland will repeat at Calvary, Moravian church tomorrow night a sermon he preached to young people last Sunday night. The discourse made a fine impression upon the large congregation that heard it.

News was received here today that Mr. Elias Hester, of Goddard, who has been in failing health for some time, had had a relapse and that it is feared he will not live through the day. Mr. Hester was operated upon at the hospital here last fall.