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## HOW NOW, SENATOR PRITCHARD?

The following Washington special recently appeared in the news columns of the Raleigh Post:

"Senator Pritchard was interrogated by Senator Scott and others while addressing the committee. He explained clearly the proposition and made plain the needs for a large public building in Winston. The Senator impressed the committee with the fact that North Carolina had neglected in the matter of public buildings. With the exception of the federal building in Raleigh, Senator Pritchard said, the government did not have a respectable public building in North Carolina. Winston, he said, should have a building in which Federal Courts could be held and one that is in keeping with the importance of a city that contributes so largely to the public revenues."

While it may be all right to use illustrations, in order to secure government appropriations, Senator Pritchard was singularly in fault in the above.

Raleigh's public building noted as "respectable" can hardly be so classed, while North Carolina has some notably handsome federal buildings in New Bern, Wilmington and Statesville.

It is rather a severe reflection on Senator Pritchard to be incorrect in a statement about his own State, and he should take a trip around to see exactly how the different cities appear.

No doubt Winston is entitled to an appropriation for a new federal building but it is hard for a statement to go out giving Raleigh the only respectable federal building in North Carolina, when its building is not in the same class as the federal buildings noted in the cities above.

It is to be hoped that Senator Pritchard will qualify his statement as sent from Washington. North Carolina is not so barren in public buildings.

## THE CONVENTION CITY QUESTION.

The Raleigh Times seems to feel aggrieved because this paper does not favor Raleigh as the city in which to hold future State conventions, where large numbers of men are to gather.

The JOURNAL's position in the matter is that of representing those who must attend conventions, and submit to local conditions which exist at the time of the conventions.

These local surroundings in Raleigh have been most obnoxious to visitors attending conventions.

Hotel accommodations have been poor and inadequate, and the places for conventions to meet in have been miserable.

Raleigh after each convention has promised to improve in these things, but each time finds the same discomforts existing for visitors.

In the matter of conventions, the visitor is entitled to some consideration. He pays for things, and ought to get value for his money. For Raleigh's "accommodations," the visitor must give up his money, but gets no equivalent for it, hence the Journal's insistence that the city giving the proper accommodations should be selected for future conventions, where large numbers must be entertained.

The thing for the Times and any other Raleigh paper not liking this kind of criticism, is to get its people to cure, if possible, the trouble existing, and not send out misrepresentations as to local conditions, and so secure conventions.

The visitors to conventions are entitled to consideration. This they have not received in Raleigh, nor is the present outlook promising for improvement, hence the JOURNAL's continued insistence in advocating on going to a city which can and will entertain conventions, in a proper manner.

## SILENCE ON THE CHIEF JUSTICESHIP.

Henry A. Page's article on Judge Walter Clark, as the only and unopposed candidate for the Chief Justiceship of North Carolina, which was published in the Charlotte Observer on the 29th, and in the Raleigh Post on the 30th, might be termed a "feeler," as to

the situation on this most important of them, one which vitally concerns every interest, private and public, in this State.

The Charlotte Observer on this article said, editorially,—

"His very able paper, distinguished for the force of its argument and its incisiveness of style, deserves to be read by every voter in the State. The situation with which it deals is the most extraordinary ever known in our political history. Thousands of people recognize Judge Clark as the most dangerous man in the State. Lawyers do not hesitate to say that as attorneys going before him in a certain class of cases they regard their clients to be already prejudged. It is charged and believed that he has worked up litigation knowing that it would come before him for judgment. A large part of the bar and of the thoughtful, conservative element of the people, lack confidence in his ability or purpose to do justice when the prospect of popularity weighs against it, and yet he is marching on to the chief justiceship without an obstacle being put in his path. The selections for the positions on the Supreme Court bench are regarded as in some sort the prerogative of the lawyers, and yet the lawyers do not chirp. Do they fear that if they do he will remember them in his decisions?"

And the Raleigh Post in its editorial comment on the same article said:

As Mr. Page suggests the certainty of a verdict against a corporation, based upon vicious perversion by construction of the statutes, has reached the stage that even the public no less than the contingent fee lawyer smiles in confidence, regardless of the merits or the honesty or preposterous dishonesty we may say of the claim.

For the present this corrupt and shameless robbery is visited upon the railroads, but before long, when those guilty of thus debauching the public and prostituting the powers of the law may feel safely ensconced in power all other corporations and successful enterprises will be brought under the same nefarious schemes of plunder. It is a shameful exhibition of the public morals of the day. It only remains to be seen whether the people have been utterly demoralized and lost to all sense of honor which they once demanded should sit in high places and characterize the enactment as well as the administration of law in this State.

And the Raleigh New-Observer, the official organ of the machine says, editorially, on the same subject:

"Judge Clark has three or four times been the nominee of his party for high positions. He has filled three judicial positions with great ability and with devotion to the true interests of the Commonwealth. He will probably be the nominee of the Democratic party, according to Mr. Page, for Chief Justice. If there is even a probability that the party will name him to lead the ticket this year, ought any except Republicans to be engaged in trying to injure the chance of electing the Democracy's nominee?"

Even to him who runs it is easy to see the end, and that is that Judge Walter Clark is already the accepted candidate of the Raleigh machine, for the Chief Justiceship.

And this being the situation, of what profit is it for Democrats to protest? For such a protest will place the person so protesting beyond the political pale, for thus the organ has said.

It could have been a pleasant party discussion to have taken up the individual merits of Messrs. Clark, Connor, Shepherd and others who might have been candidates for this great office.

But the silence is fixed. The organ has pealed once, "Fall in! Fall in!" and woe to him who falls to join and take up the political lock step.

## Deafness Cannot be Cured

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube gets inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

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Hall's Family Pills are the best.

## Dumont Performs a Great Feat

Monte Carlo, January 28.—Santos Dumont this morning in the presence of an immense crowd circled Monte Carlo Harbor in an air ship. He received a tremendous ovation.

## "If I Could Get Rid."

of this abominable cold," exclaimed the sufferer, when the end of a spasm of coughing gave him a chance to talk. The way out of the trouble is plain. Take Allen's Lung Balm before the merciless grip of the cold has fastened upon throat and lungs. After a few doses the cough is easier and less frequent, and a complete cure is but the question of a little time.

## Forger Caught.

Washington, January 28.—The police here have been notified of the arrest in Cincinnati of Morris A. Fisher, former servant to Senator Beveridge, wanted here for forging his employer's name to three checks and securing two hundred dollars.

## Big Growth of Manufactures.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 28.—According to statistics of the Census Bureau, the gross value of products of manufactures in the United States in 1900 was \$13,000,177,000, as compared with \$9,372,607,600 in 1900, an increase of 39.78 per cent.

# Kodol Dyspepsia Cure

Digests what you eat.

This preparation contains all of the digestants and digests all kinds of food. It gives instant relief and never fails to cure. It allows you to eat all the food you want. The most sensitive stomachs can take it. By its use many thousands of dyspeptics have been cured after everything else failed. It prevents formation of gas on the stomach, relieving all distress after eating. Dieting unnecessary. Pleasant to take.

It can't help but do you good

Prepared only by E. C. DeWitt & Co., Chicago. The 5c. bottle contains 30 times the 50c. size.

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## Schools Closed by Smallpox.

Brooklyn, Jan. 27.—Two of the public schools closed today on account of small pox, making six in all with a total attendance of six hundred.

## The Sheridan at Manila.

Manila, Jan. 27.—The United States transport Sheridan has arrived from San Francisco. There is much sickness aboard including thirty cases of measles.

## Salvation Oil the Best Liniment.

Price, 15 cts.; large bottle 25 cts. Great cure on earth for Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Soreness, Sprains, Backache, Stiffness, Cuts, Bruises, Wounds, Swellings, Burns and Frost Bites. Salvation Oil kills all pain.

## Real Admiral Kimberley Dead

Newton, Mass., January 28.—Rear Admiral Kimberley, U. S. N., (retired), died this morning of apoplexy. He was one of the members of the original Schley court, and was released on objection by Schley.

## Collision on N. Y. Central.

Oaenida, N. Y., January 28.—The second section of the New York Central Limited (eastbound) train collided with switch engine to day in front of the station. Both engines and most of the train were demolished. The engineer of the limited was killed and the fire man seriously injured.

## Heads Should Never Ache.

Never endure this trouble. Use at once the remedy that stopped it for Mrs. N. A. Webster, of Winnie, Va., she writes "Dr. King's New Life Pills wholly cured me of sick headaches I had suffered from for two years." Cure Headache, Constipation, Biliousness. 25c. at C. D. Bradham's drug store.

## Rich Gold Strike in Mexico.

El Paso, Tex., Jan. 26.—A rich gold strike is reported to have been made on the southern fork of the Bonito River in Mexico.

## New Century Comfort.

Millions are daily finding a world of comfort in Bucklen's Arnica Salve. It kills pain from Burns, Scalds, Cuts, Bruises; conquers Ulcers, and Fever Sores; cures Eruptions, Salt Rheum, Boils and Felons; removes Corns and Warts. Best Pile cure on earth. Only 25c. at C. D. Bradham's drug store.

## Finds Way to Live Long.

The startling announcement of a Discovery that will surely lengthen life is made by editor O. H. Downey, of Chubbuck, Ind., "I wish to state," he writes "that Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption is the most infallible remedy that I have ever known for Coughs, Colds and Grip. It is invaluable to people with weak lungs. Having this wonderful medicine no one need dread Pneumonia or Consumption. Its relief is instant and cure certain." O. D. Bradham guarantees every 50c and \$1.00 bottle, and gives trial bottles free.

## Royalty Travels

Erwin, January 28.—The Prince of Wales left here this morning en route to Strollis, Windsor, England. Queen Alexandra is ill with a severe cold.

## Mark Twain's Moving.

A story is told of the days when Mark Twain was a hack writer in San Francisco on a weekly salary represented by one figure, Bret Harte and Joaquin Miller serving on the same staff with like pay. A woman of means who patronized Bohemia and gave the impetuous strugglers many a good dinner saw Mark Twain, thinly clad and imperfectly shod, standing with a cigar box under his arm and looking hungrily in at a confectioner's window. The patroness of letters asked what was in the box. "Oh," drawled the humorist, "I'm moving again."

## Peace For South Africa.

London, January 28.—Mr. Balfour announced in the House of Commons today that Holland had made proposition for peace in South Africa and that it is believed terms are satisfactory to the Boers.

## Child Worth Millions.

"My child is worth millions to me," says Mrs. Mary Bird of Harrisburg, Pa., "yet I would have lost her by croup had I not purchased a bottle of One Minute Cough Cure. 'One Minute Cough Cure' is a sure cure for coughs, croup and throat and lung troubles. An absolute safe cure which acts immediately. The youngest child can take it with entire safety. The little ones like the taste and remember how often it helped them. Every family should have a bottle of One Minute Cough Cure handy. At this season especially it may be needed suddenly. F. S. Duffy.

# RALEIGH.

Geo. W. Vanderbilt Asked to Road Congress.

Funds for Public Schools After Four Months. Daring Escape of Convict. Railroad Extension. Horse Disease Extending Westward.

RALEIGH, Jan. 28.—The State superintendent of public instruction last Saturday sent out a new set of blanks to the various counties, asking for statements of their needs of funds to keep the public schools after 4 months in the year. The first set of blanks sent out did not answer the purpose. Today the first reply came. It is from Pender. The blanks are properly and correctly filled and the county calls for only \$245. It says this is needed at once. The superintendent of public instruction says no funds can be sent until all the counties are heard from.

A county convict last night made a daring escape, came to Raleigh and was given a suit of clothes by a friend, went to an ice factory, undressed and put his convict garb in a furnace, thinking fire would be made in the latter. This morning the clothes were found in the furnace.

A third report on the very fatal disease among horses in the eastern counties is made by the State Veterinarian, who renews the statement that it is due to forage poisoning. The commissioner of agriculture, speaking of the disease, said it appeared to be coming this way, as cases are reported in Jones county and at Kinston.

Governor Aycock will probably return from the Springs at the end of this week. He went there for a rest. He had suffered a good deal from insomnia. He is what may be termed an ardent smoker but has reduced his allowance to three cigars or pipes a day.

There are now only 110 convicts in the penitentiary proper. This is the smallest number in 30 years save September 1st, when there were only 80.

The extension of the Cape Fear and Northern railway to the southeastward, perhaps to the coast, is now assured. One of the owners said today that work on the extension will soon begin and that when the contracts for construction are awarded they will be for a long stretch of road.

A special invitation has been sent George W. Vanderbilt to be here Feb. 10-11, on the occasion of the State road Congress. He is regarded as being in a way a North Carolina citizen and his progressive views in road building is well known. The State officials desire to meet him. He has never been to other places in the State than Asheville.

## Shot His Prodigal Son.

Middleton, N. Y., Jan. 7.—Prodigal sons about to return to home and parents after long absences would do well to send an advance agent ahead, announcing their date of arrival.

Such is the advice of Frank Fleming, of this village, who tried to make his homecoming a surprise.

Arriving from the West after four years' absence, Fleming drove to his father's home. While climbing in through a window he received a charge of birdshot from a gun held by his father who thought he had bagged a burglar. The cries of the injured son saved his life, as his father recognized the voice just as he was about to fire again.

Young Fleming's left leg was so badly wounded by the shot that amputation will be necessary, it is feared, as a result of his surprise.

## Cured as he Was Crazed.

MIDDLETOWN, N. Y., January 27.—Cured by an accident similar to that which drove him insane, a patient of the Middletown State Hospital has been returned to his home in Sullivan county.

Superintendent Selden H. Talcott will not reveal the name of the man, but says that when a boy he fell from a tree on his head, while attempting what is known as "skinning the cat," and became demented.

Some months ago the man attempted a similar performance on a gas chandelier, which fell, and again he fell on his head. When consciousness was restored a decided mental improvement was noticeable. This continued until he was well.

## Stately the Home of Sulphur.

The beautiful island of Sicily, with its huge volcano, Mount Stna, and its most interesting remains of classic Greek architecture, is the world's great source of supply for sulphur. The rocks and soil are largely of volcanic origin, and the sulphur mines in some places penetrate deep into the earth. A common sight is a train of freight cars loaded with bars of sulphur as yellow as gold. Some of the greatest mines are close by Girgenti, the celebrated Argiruntum of the Roman historians. About 90 per cent of all the sulphur produced comes from Sicily.

## A Prominent Woman Speaks.

Prof. Rosa Tyler, of Chicago, Vice-President Illinois Women's Alliance, in speaking of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, says: "I suffered with a severe cold this winter which threatened to run into pneumonia. I tried different remedies but I seemed to grow worse and the medicine upset my stomach. A friend advised me to try Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and I found it was pleasant to take and it relieved me at once. I am now entirely recovered, saved a doctor's bill, time and suffering, and I will never be without this splendid medicine again." For sale by F. S. Duffy & Co.

## Kodol Dyspepsia Cure

Digests what you eat.

## TOOK SAFES OFF IN WAGON.

South Carolina Train Held up and Robbed by Masked Men.

CHARLESTON, S. C., Jan. 27.—Meagre details of a daring express robbery which occurred near Branchville, S. C., shortly after 7 o'clock this evening have been received.

As the northbound train from Charleston slowed up two miles from Branchville masked men presented pistols and ordered the engineer, fireman and conductor to stop the train. The robbers overawed the passengers, uncoupled the engine and express and baggage car, went two miles up the road, unloaded the two iron express safes, put them on a two-horse wagon and drove away. The express messenger was ordered by the robbers to unlock the safes, but he declared he did not know the combination.

The leader of the gang is supposed to be the notorious Bartow Warren, who robbed the express car within a few miles of Branchville in 1899. He murdered the chief witness against him, escaped from jail and recently has been reported as at large in Orangeburg county.

## SUBWAY EXPLOSION.

Hotel and Hospital Wrecked. Six Killed. One Hundred Injured.

New York, Jan. 27.—The entire section of Park avenue, near the Grand Union Station, was shaken as if by an earthquake by an explosion in the Rapid Transit tunnel at Park avenue and East Forty-first street.

J. Roderick Robertson, a wealthy British Columbia mine owner, was killed in his hotel room.

Six persons were killed and more than 100 injured. The Murray Hill Hotel was wrecked, and the Grand Union railroad station, the Manhattan Eye and Ear Hospital, the Grand Union Hotel and many other buildings were seriously damaged.

All the windows for many blocks were shattered.

The clocks in the Union Depot were blown from their cases and all the windows in the building shattered.

The property damage is estimated at over \$1,000,000.

Officials are investigating the cause of the explosion, which is not yet explained, and three of the workmen in charge of the tunnel excavation at this point have been arrested on the charge of homicide.

## Dr. Bull's Pills for Liver Ills.

One pill a dose. Box, 50j pills, 10 cts. Cure Constipation, Liver Troubles, Biliousness, Impure Blood, Dyspepsia, Female Complaints, Stomach and Bowel Disorders. Dr. Bull's Pills never gripe.

## TEXTILE INDUSTRIES.

Report by Labor Commissioner, Shows Increase in Spindles and Looms. Special to Journal.

RALEIGH, Jan. 28.—The annual report on North Carolina's Textile Industries was completed to night, by the State Labor Commissioner.

It shows 226 cotton, eleven woolen, 41 knitting, three silk, one carpet and one jute bagging mills. Total spindles 1,095,063; looms, 36,133; knitting machines 3,814.

There are employed 18,171 men, 18,377 women and 7,996 children under fourteen years.

The increase in spindles over the previous year is 218,000, looms 3,000. Hours of labor in cotton mills in no case is less than eleven hours.

## Giant Nerve Builder.

The Mytic Life Renewer is the most Powerful Nerve Builder known. It absolutely cures all forms of Nervous Debilities and Weaknesses no matter how aggravated or how long duration, such as Neuralgia, Nervous Prostration, Nervous Paroxysms, St. Vitus' Dance, Palpitation of the Heart, Physical and Mental Weakness, Debility of Old Age, etc. Sold by T. A. Henry, Druggist, New Bern.

## Firemen Injured

Brookfield, Mass., January 28.—Three large buildings were burned here this morning. Seven firemen were caught by a falling wall and seriously injured.

## Murderer Confesses.

St. Louis, Mo., Jan. 28.—William Strother, the negro attendant at the Vista Turkish bath house at Grand and Franklin avenues, confesses to the murder on Wednesday in the bath house of Alexander Dean Cooper, the millionaire.

## Dr. Bull's Baby Syrup for

Toething Babies. Price, 10 cts. Cures Wind-Colic, Diarrhoea, Dysentery, Griping Pains, Sour Stomach, Fever, Cholera Infantum. Dr. Bull's Baby Syrup promotes the digestion and soothes the baby.

## American Made Pope's Chamberlain.

Rome, Jan. 24.—J. P. Farrelly, of Nashville, Tenn., secretary of the American College here, has been appointed privy chamberlain to the Pope.

## Beat Out of an Increase of His Pension.

A Mexican war veteran and prominent editor writes: "Seeing the advertisement of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, I am reminded that as a soldier in Mexico in '47 and '48 I contracted Mexican diarrhoea and this remedy has kept me from getting an increase in my pension for on every renewal a dose of it restores me." It is unequalled as a quick cure for diarrhoea and is pleasant and safe to take. For sale by F. S. Duffy & Co.

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About five years ago my right ear began to ring, and this kept on getting worse, until I lost my hearing in this ear entirely.

I underwent a treatment for catarrh, for three months, without any success, consulted a number of physicians, among others, the most eminent ear specialist of this city, who told me that only an operation could help me, and even that only temporarily, that the head noises would then cease, but the hearing in the affected ear would be lost forever.

I then saw your advertisement, accidentally in a New York paper, and ordered your treatment. After I had used it only a few days according to your directions, the noises ceased, and today, after five weeks, my hearing in the diseased ear has been entirely restored. I thank you heartily and beg to remain very truly yours,

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A property lying near the Ozark, with nowhere as good a showing and very little development, sold last week to a New York syndicate for \$200,000. The Ozark will pay dividends and be worth par inside of six months. This is the best investment for the money that has ever been offered to the investing public.

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