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TELEGRAPHIC NEWS

Events of Past Three Days Tersely Told For Journal Readers.

TERRITORY INCLUDED MAINE TO MEXICO

Industrial, Commercial, Social, Religious, Criminal and Political Happenings Condensed in Few Lines.

Chicago, Nov. 27th—Mayor Dunne, put quite a number of police in citizens clothes on duty at the theatre where Senator Tillman spoke last night in view of the feeling which had been engendered against him by the negroes. Some negroes attempted to get an injunction to prevent the speaking but desisted when told it would deepen the race feeling.

Tillman arrived this afternoon and was met by a committee of ladies representing the hospital for which he lectured,

New York, Nov 27—In the Federal court today the judge fined the American Refining Co., $18,000 for accepti rebates from the New York Central. The total amount received by the Refining Company was $2,600.

Warsaw, Nov 27—Hundreds of political prisoners are being transported north from Siberian and Russian prisons.

Washington, Nov 27—President Roosevelt is preparing a special message on the Panama canal for the consideration of Congress. It will give complete descriptions and cover every detail.

Herkimer, N. Y., Nov. 27.—The trial of Chester Gillette for the murder of Grace Brown increases daily in interest and the court room is filled with spectators. The testimony taken today was mostly of an expert nature and tended to show that Gillette's victim was clubbed to death before being thrown into the water.

Goldsboro, Nov. 27th.—There were three unsuccessful attempts to wreck the Atlantic Coast Line train between this city and Wilson last night. The exact point was at post 97, located near Fremont. Ties were bound on the track and but for the vigilance of the engineer there would have been an awful disaster. The train known as the North bound Shoo Fly was running at its usual high speed, when the engineer seeing the obstruction had chance to check the train without any serious damage, the train had hit the ties but not so as to throw it from the track. The sheriff of Wayne county has put his blood hounds to work hoping to establish a clue.

New York, Nov. 28.—Theodore Allen a gambler, has made formal charge that the police are guilty of accepting bribes.

Cambridge, Mass., Nov. 22.—William Howe, the oldest Baptist preacher in the world died here today at the age of 100 years. He was strong and vigorous for a man of his years and last June attended a great meeting of Baptists and made a strong speech.

Herkimer, Nov. 28 — While on the witness stand in his own defense, Chester Gillette, on trial for the murder of Grace Brown, said that the young woman leaped overboard and committed suicide.

Raleigh, Nov. 28.—Governor Glenn this evening pardoned two convicts in the State penitentiary following a custom he inaugurated last year. The lucky men are James Branch sentenced in 1896 from Ashe county for thirty years for murder, Conrad Perry, colored, sentenced in 1896 from Warren for house breaking and sentenced to 15 years. The pardons are conditioned on their being well behavied, sober and industrious and are granted upon the special recommendation of the penitentiary authorities who furnished a list of ten names all for long terms from ten years to life imprisonment from which the Governor made the selections.

New York, Nov. 28th.—Mrs. Rosa Hartsfield secured an entrance to the private office of John D. Rockefeller, and at the point of a revolver demanded $1,000,000 saying that Standard Oil had ruined her husband. She threatened to kill him and burn the building if her demand was not satisfied. The check was written for the full amount, but the bank was notified not to pay it and her arrest followed. She is under guard at the hospital.

St. Louis, Nov 28—Two indictments have been issued against the Waters-Pierce Co., for accepting rebates and discriminating in freight rates.

St. Louis, Nov 28—The Salvation Army barracks which have been used to house the homeless was burned last night and four persons were burned to death. Many others leaping from the windows were fatally injured. There were five hundred inmates of the building and the panic that ensued caused many fatalities.

Graham, Nov 28.—Henry Walker, the negro man who, on the night of Nov. 6th, shot and badly wounded Mr. L. Banks Holt, has confessed to the crime and implicates Fannie McKain, the cook, and Annie Turner the maid. He admitted that his purpose was to kill. The confession was made in the presence of lawyers and others. Walker says he is ready to die. The execution will take place Dec. 6th, The women will be tried at the next term of court.

New York, Nov. 28—Charges have been filed stating that when Louis F. Payne, Commissioner of Insurance, demanded $100,000 from the Mutual Reserve Life Association or he would show the corporation to be insolvent. The charges also state that President Barkham paid Payne $40,000. Assistant District Attorney Holt has fled fearing incrimination.

Richmond, Nov 29—The Thanksgiving event viz: the football game between the teams of the Virginia Polytechnic Institute and Agricultural & Mechanical Arts of North Carolina was played today in the presence of an immense throng of enthusiatic admirers of the game. Both teams were in splendid form and played the game in a way that has rarely been witnessed. The game resulted in a victory for the Polytechnics by a score of 6 to 0

Superior Court Transactiocs

The cases tried in the Superior court yesterday were-

Scott et als vs Blades Lumber Co., plaintiff submitted to judgment of nonsuit and gave notice of appeal.

W. G. Avant vs Moses Dillahunt et al. Verdict for plaintiff.

The court dismissed the jurors not in the box and the witnesses from attendance until Friday morning at 9:30 o'clock.

Help the Orphans.

Anyone wishing to help the Thomasville Orphans can leave their offering at J. C. Whitty's store.

GIRL ACCIDENTLY SHOT AND KILLED

Well Known Negro Goes Suddenly Insane and is Put Under Restraint.

FUNERAL PARTY HAVE FIGHT WITH NEGROES.

New Baptist Church Completed and the First Service Will be Held Sunday Preliminary Hearing of Minnie Osborn and John Wood For Arson Postponed, Both Sides Have Retained Able Counsel.

(Special Correspondence)

Greensboro, N. C., November 27th—United States District Judge James E. Boyd, Marshal J. M. Millikan and Deputy Marshals Chandly and Baily left on the noon train yesterday for Wilkesboro, where the regular November term of Federal Court opens this morning.

Judge Boyd this morning accepted the resignation of Col. W. S. Pearson, of Morganton, as referee in bankruptcy, and appointed Mr. W. C. Ervin, of Morganton, to fill the vacancy.

In the United States Circuit Court, Fred M. Hood, a merchant of Greensboro, was adjudicated a bankrupt and the matter was referred to J. S. Alexander referee in bankruptcy. Liabilities were given at $2,300, assets at $2,-000.

In the matter of Robert Kruckley merchant of Charlotte, a petition for involuntary bankruptcy was filled and F. Marion Redd, of Charlotte, was appointed receiver, giving bond in the sum of $5,000.

M. Y. Harkrey, merchant. of Charlotte, was adjudged a bankrupt on his own petition and the matter was referred to J. B. Spence, referee. Liabilities stated at $1,200, assets $700.

Ralph Austin, a well known negro landscape worker here, went suddenly insane this morning, and beeame so violent that the police had to lock him up to prevent his doing injury to himself and others. He is a man of good habits, and his sad condition creates sympathy of all who know him.

Late Saturday afternoon at the home of Mr. Dallas Edmundson, who lives near Guilford College, a distressing tragedy occurred in the death of his 17 year old daughter Annie. She was accidently shot and instantly killed, by a gun in the hands of her brother James. The young man had carried out the gun to shoot a chicken, and was returning it to the house when the accident occurred. Miss Edmundson was standing near the door when her brother entered. He was carrying the gun by his side and allowed it to strike the door, instantly there was a report and the entire charge struck the girl's head near the left eye, practically tearing off the left side of her head. The funeral was held at Muirs Chapel Sunday afternoon and a large congregation of sympathizing friends were present; Rev. J. A. Bowles, the pastor, officiated.

While returning to their homes, Sunday afternoon from the burial of Miss Annie Edmundson who was accidently killed by her brother, Saturday afternoon, three white men, riding in a buggy were stopped in the road by a party of half drunken negroes who refused to get out of the way, A fight resulted and one of the white men was badly cut by one of the negroes, who used a razor as a weapon. The fight occurred about five miles from the city, and officers are out there trying to locate the parties. It has been impossible to get accurate details of the differculty or the names of the parties.

The congregation of the First Baptist Church will worship for the first time in the handsome new church edifice on West Market Street next Sunday. There is general satisfaction at knowing that the new church can be used by the Baptist State Convention which meets here December 5th.

The preliminary trial of Minnie Osborn and John Wood, the white woman and negro man charged with arson, which was continued from Saturday until Monday, was again postponed until Tuesday afternoon. Mr. W. A. Scott of the State Insurance department, arrived here Saturday night, and is out in Summer township where the burning was done, investigating matters Mr. Leonard, whose barn and horses and cattle were burned, has employed Col. J. A. Barringer to assist in the prosecution, while the accused man and woman have Mr. G. S. Bradshaw to defend them.

A Good Liniment.

When you need a good reliable liniment try Chamberlains Pain Balm. It has no superior for sprains and swellings. A piece of flannel slightly dampened with Pain Balm is superior to a plaster for a lame back or pains in the side or chest. It also relieves rheumatic pains and makes sleep and rest possible. For sale by Davis Pharmacy and F S Duffy

SOUTHERN RAILWAY PRESIDENT KILLED.

Samuel Spencer and Four Wealthy Capitalists in a Fatal Wreck on the Southern Road.

Special to Journal.

Lynchburg, Va., Nov. 29.h.—As the result of a mistake of a train dispatcher, Samuel Spencer, President of the Southern Railway is dead and four friends, all wealthy capitalists are fatally or seriously injured, and a large number of the passengers are also among the dead. The accident happened near Manassas early this morning. The train on which President Spencer's private car was attached was standing on the main track and the train crew was at work on an overheated journal. Another train came on from the rear and entered the "block." The engine of the on-coming train crashed into the private car and all the inmates were killed or fatally injured. In addition to these the fireman of the colliding train and the flagman were killed, and thirty passengers in the sleeper and day coaches were injured.

A BIG INDUSTRY.

The American Cigar Company Enlarging Its Home Plant But Will Establish no More Branch Factories.

(Special Correspondence.)

Greensboro, Nov. 29.—The American Cigar Company, which secured a lease on the large five story brick building corner Greene and West Gaston streets, and began the manufacture of cigars here four years ago, last week purchased the building and will at once largely increase the output. When the company began the manufacture of cigars as an experiment in Greensboro, it was an up-hill business getting operatives. Mr. J. T. Wade, who came as superintendent, and Mr. A. H. Stack, as office man, have stuck to their posts, from the beginning, and though discouraged at first, have lived to see a development of business that is gratifying. The weekly pay roll for the first year was about $700. The cigars made were of the cheaper kind, few being of the five cent class. This year the pay roll for operatives alone amounts to $2,500 each week. A large proportion of the cigars are of the ten cent class, the daily cigar product is 60,000, and the factory is 2,000,000 cigars behind on orders. They are working now two nights in the week hoping to get within a million of the demand by the first of January. Few people in Greensboro have any idea of the immense business that is being done by this factory, or that early next year the building will have to be enlarged to accommodate the increased force. The American Cigar company now operates forty factories in the United States, and has notified manager Wade that it will establish no more new factories, and he will have to enlarge the plant which they have purchased in Greensboro. Most of the operatives here are native women and girls, coming from the city and surrounding country, and they are splendid workers. One fifteen-year old boy has become an expert, he makes $13 a week, and several ladies in the higher class of work average thirty dollars a month. Manager Wade is justly proud of the personnel of his operatives, and takes pride in the fact that they are the best people of the community. A great deal of the tobacco used cost $3 a pound, this of course being the sumatra wrapper, which feels like silk.

Bogue.

Nov 26.

Rev D C Geddie preached his fareware sermon at Bethlehem Sunday.

Miss Mary Bryan of New Bern is spending a few days with her sister, Mrs Sallie Sanders.

Miss Nellie Cayton of Macedonia who has been visiting her sister, Mrs C C Dennis for several weeks returned home Thurday.

Charlie Herring of Newport is here this weeks.

Don Willis of New Bern came last week to visit Mr and Mrs R W Smith and family.

Messrs Will Harris and J N Howard of Blades spent Saturday night with friends at Bogue.

M M Weeks and sister, Miss Macy of Pelletier spent Sunday at L C Humphrey.

Messrs Don Hill and C Garner of Newport came last week to work in the cross-tie business.

Messrs Philip Koonce of Stella and Fred Mattocks of Silverdale attended church at Bethelem Sunday.

Bert Tolson of Swansboro is visiting his sister, Mrs Eva Taylor this week.

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THE INLAND WATERWAY

The Second Annual Meeting at Wilmington Fraught WithGreat Importance to the People of This Section.

The Inland Waterway Convention which was held in Wilmington Tuesday was one of much importance and it is very probable that the systematic and energetic method in which the Inland Waterway question is being handled will result in some good.

We publish some extracts of some proposed resolutions taken from the Wilmington Evening Dispatch which sets forth the propose of the meeting ing in a plain and explicit manner:

"This Association, with great respect, desires to emphasize its conclusion that there is now no valid reason why the construction of this important waterway should be longer delayed. It is not only within the jurisdiction of Congress but the interests involved are of sufficient importance to demand favorable consideration.

The facts which demonstrate its necessity are many, but this Association will submit a few of the controlling factors, which justify this conclusion. It is well known that the volume of the coastwise trade between the South Atlantic ports is comparatively small, both in tonnage and in value. It is confined to large steamships and large modern sailing vessels. This is true because of the hazardous navigation around Cape Hatteras and Diamond Shoals. The treacherous sands projecting far out into the sea from Cape Hatteras have at all times created a barrier prohibiting free commercial intercourse by water between the people of the two sections. The construction of this proposed water way will avoid not alone the dangers of Cape Hatteras, but also of Cape Lookout, and will make possible the immediate introduction of small vessels and steamers. and particularly of barges in the coastwise trade. Philadelphia and Baltimore on the North, together with Jacksonville and Savannah on the South, are equally as much interested in this project, as are other and intermediate seaboard cities located upon interior rivers. It has been shown that the increased prosperity due to the commerce to be promoted, added to the amount saved in cheaper transport, would in a few years equal the initial cost of construction.

This waterway is only one of many other waterways along the seaboard and in the interior which are now pressing for consideration. There can be no doubt that ultimately a chain of waterways will be constructed along the entire Atlantic Seaboard; that a canal across the peninsula of Florida will connect the Atlantic with the Gulf, and that the wonderful commerce of the Lakes will be physically water connections with that of the Mississippi and the Gulf, thus forming a chain of protected water routes and afford the greatest inducement for the continued extension and development of our domestic trade While not minimizing the importance of any other meritorous project, we submit with deference that the project under consideration is of greater relative importance, because its construction will at once make possible a large coastwise trade.

Following are some of the committees appointed who represent this section:

New Bern, N. C.—Chas. R. Thomas, Chas. G. Blades, J. J. Wolfenden and T. G. Hyman, representing the Chamber of Commerce.

Beaufort, N. C.—J. S. Sanders, W. S. Chadwick and C. L. Abernethy, representing the Chamber of Commerce.

Senator Simmons is not a delegate, but a decided enthusiast just the same.

Postal Increase Shows Cratifying Crowth

(Special Correspondence.)

Greensboro, Nov. 29.—Judging from the Greensboro postoffice receipts for the three quarters of 1906, the big record of increase of previous years will be broken this year. The receipts for 1906 will approximate $70,000. Six years ago they were only $31,000.00. They increased about $3,000 a year a year until 1903 then total receipts were $43 000 and jumped to $51,000 00 in 1904. In 1905 they rose to $57,000 and the prospect now is for the record breaking increase of $13,000 for this year.

Secure New Pastor.

(Special Correspondence.)

Greensboro, Nov 29—The Rev. Melton Clark of Florence, S. C., has accepted the pastorate of the First Presbyterian church here, but may may not be able to take up the work before the first of the year. The Presbytery to which he belongs will meet the first week in December, when he will be dismissed. He will preach for the first and second Sundays and may come to Greensboro very soon afterwards. A letter was received yesterday from Mr. Clark saying that he would preach the Thanksgiving sermon at the Presbyterian church today. At this service, which will be at 11 o'clock a collection will be taken for the benefit of the Barium Spsings Orphanage.

BLACKBURN'S TAR HEEL NOT SOLD.

Shooting Accidents Are Becoming Common. Rare Case of Endurance.

LARGE CONSIGNMENT OF DRESSED TURKEYS.

Some Changes in Railroad Officials. The Wood-Osborn Arson Affair in Court, Circumstances Point to Their Guilt.

(Special Correspondence.)

Greensboro, N. C., Nov. 28th.—A statement apparently authorized by Congressman Blackburn, which was sent out from Washington last week, has caused some additional adverse comment on him, by some of the anti-Blackburn Republicans here. Blackburn was represented as having discovered that parties holding stock in the organization organ, the Industrial News were trying to buy up a majority of the stock of his paper, The Tar Heel, whereupon he broke up their little game by buying a controlling interest himself, and would in future have complete control of the Tar Heel. Speaking of this, a man who knows, said this morning, that Blackburn had repeatedly tried to sell the Tar Heel equipment to the Industrial News to be run by this corporation as a weekly attachment to their daily, but he had been assured, that when the News desired to run a weekly, it had all the equipment it needed and did not wish to purchase more at any price This gentleman declared this offer was made soon after the State convention, and was again made on the afternoon preceding the night week before last, when the Tar Heel directors held their last meeting, which the Washington correspondent represents the Congressman as stating, he had scooped in the stock and checkmated the Industrial News. Another item of interest bearing on this and calculated to impeach the Congressman's veracity, was that he bought what stock he did buy, because ex-postmaster George Patterson and others, threatened that unless somebody took their stock off their hands at par, they would apply for a receiver and have an accounting. And so it goes. The organization crowd say that the Congressman goes out of his way and lies awake at night to study up some new cause of quarrel and all they can do to satisfy him they want peace, has no moral effect on him.

But they seem inclined to talk back, in this last instance. This correspondent only records a small portion of the latest irritating gossip, only vouchsafing the comment, that if the latest statement is true, the Congressman made some wild and unjustifiable assertion about the newspaper situation the last time he talked in Washington for publication.

Besides the dreadful accident Saturday afternoon in which Miss Annie Edmundson was instantly killed by the accidental discharge of a gun, her brother had, two other accidental shootings have taken place since. Last night Minnie Donnell, a negress, was painfully wounded by a ball from a flobert rifle, which was fired by a small negro boy. The shooting was accidental. The doctors were unable to locate the bullet, but it is not thought that the wound will prove fatal.

A little white boy, who does not desire publicity by a publication of his name, was out hunting Saturday. He accidently shot himself in the foot. He was but 12 years old, and fearing his mother would not let him go hunting again, kept the accident a secret. Yesterday, however, he had to send for a Doctor. His great toe, from lack of attention where the shot had struck, had mortified to such an extent, it had to be amputated to save his life. The little fellow must have descended from the old Spartan who would allow the fox to gnaw his insides out, rather than make an outcry.

The court house was nearly filled with people yesterday afternoon to hear the trial of Minnie Osborne, a white woman and John Wood, a negro man, accused of burning the barn and live stock of Newton Leonard, whose wife is a sister of the woman defendant. Justice J. M. Wolfe and D. H. Collins presided. The prosecution was represented by Col. J. A. Barringer, the defendants by G. S Bradshaw. After a long trial, the defense introducing no testimony and speeches from the lawyers, the defendants were bound over to the next term of court. The woman gave bond, but the man failing to give bond was sent back to jail. Witnesses testified to bad feeling Minnie had towards Mr. and Mrs. Leonard, because her mother had left them nearly all her estate. She had frequently "cursed them out to their faces and to others."

Testimony was introduced that she said she intended to burn them out so they could not enjoy their legacy It was also shown that she and the negro man were constantly together and were seen at her house as late as eleven o'clock last Thursday night, when the barn was burned. Officers who made the arrest told of how they traced two fast tracks of a man and woman going from Minnie's house half a mile distant to the barn and returning. That their shoes fitted exactly, and they were together when arrested. The woman was perfectly composed at the trial and made no scene, as she did Saturday, when she threw her arms around her sister's neck in the court room and declared she was innocent.

The fact was made known yesterday that other places besides Greensboro were making preparations for the typical Thanksgiving Day, when thirty solid car loads of dressed turkeys passed here from the South destined to Northern cities.

Assistant General Superintendent of the Southern Railway, Capt. Horace Baker, who for quite awhile had his headquarters in Greensboro and made many warm friends resigned to accept the position of general superintendent of the Missouri Pacific railroad, with headquarters at Little Rock, Ark. In accepting his position with the Queen and Crescent, he succeeds W. A. Garrett, who is the new vice-president of the Seaboard Air Line Railway.

Mr. O L. Sapp, for sometime a prominent member of the Ashboro bar, has moved his family to this city and will be associated with Col. J. T. Morehead in the practice of his profession. Mr. Sapp was in the city today attending to the unloading of his furniture. He has purchased from Dr. Hughes a handsome residence on Summit Avenue, where he will reside.

TORTURED BY ITCHING SCALP

Eczema Broke Out Also on Hands and Limbs—Suffering Intense—Doctors Said Too Old to Be Cured—An Old Soldier of 80 Years Declares:

"CUTICURA TREATMENT IS A BLESSING"

"At all times and to all people I am willing to testify to the merits of Cuticura. It saved me from worse than the tortures of hades, about the year 1900, with itching on my scalp and temples, and afterwards it commenced to break out on my hands. Then it broke out on my limbs. I was advised to use salt and water, which I did, to no effect. I then went to a Surgeon, who commenced treating me with a wash of borax. This treatment did me no good, but rather aggravated the disease. I then told him I would go and see a physician in Erie. The reply was that I could go anywhere, but a case of eczema like mine could not be cured; that I was too old (80). I went to an eminent doctor in the city of Erie and treated with him for six months, with like results. I had read of the Cuticura Remedies often. I was strongly tempted to give them a trial, so I sent for the Cuticura Soap, Ointment, and Resolvent and continued taking the Resolvent until I had taken six bottles, stopping it to take the Pills. I was now getting better. I took two baths a day, and at night I let the lather of the Soap dry on. I used the Ointment with great effect after washing in warm water, to stop the itching at once. I am now cured.

"The Cuticura treatment is a blessing and should be used by every one who has itching of the skin. I can't say any more, and thank God that He has given the world such a curative. You can use this letter as you please. A very much befriended man, Wm. H. Gray, 3303 Mt. Vernon St., Philadelphia, Pa., August 2, 1905."

Complete External and Internal Treatment for every Humor, from Pimples to Scrofula, from Infancy to Age, consisting of Cuticura Soap, 25c., Ointment, 50c., Resolvent, 50c. (in form of Chocolate Coated Pills, 25c. per vial of 60), may be had of all druggists. A single set often cures. Potter Drug & Chem. Corp., Sole Props., Boston, Mass.

☞ Mailed Free, "How to Cure Disfiguring Humors."

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Nov 29.

Thanksgiving Day is again near us, and we should truly feel thankful that we are here, and thankful for the blessings that we receive.

Hunting coons and opposums are in progress now, Mr. John Morton, Masters Justin and Alex Higgins have been very earnest in hunting of late.

Mrs Jane Ervin and son, Andrew have gone to spend awhile in Maryland and New Jersey with relatives.

Messrs Baxter and John Barbee of Richlands have been been visiting their brother and uncle of this place recently.

Miss Nannie Higging is over in Jones county spending a few days with her cousin, H Collins.

Misses Etta Smith and Susie Higgins spent Saturday night and Sunday in Jones county, with Mrs Mandessie Collins.

R J Parsons made a dashing trip to Swansboro last week.

Job Parsons was in Jones county Sunday attending the Brick Kiln preaching.

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Gives vigor, strength, vitality to your nerves, stomach and every part of your body. Its easy to take; swallow a little Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea; it does the business. Tea or tablets, 35 cents. F. S. Duffy.

Fresh lot frankfurters and liver at Oaks Market.

Extra Fine Liver Sausage at Coast Line Market