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Telegraphic Communication With the Uttermost Parts of the Earth.

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Montreal, March 1st.—Parliament passed a law today making it a crime to do any work on the Sabbath other than that of mercy or necessity.

New York, March 1st.—District Attorney Jerome is still firm in his determination to have a lunacy commission appointed for the defendant. He expressed the belief that Thaw was insane.

Washington, March 1st.—The Ship Subsidy bill was voted on by the House of Representatives today and the measure was lost by seven votes.

Madison, Mich 1—Georgia white marble will enter largely into the construction of the magnificent new capitol building the plans of which have recently been adopted, the cost is to be \$6,000,000.

Washington, Ark., March 1—A cyclone struck this town early today and blew down many houses. Several people were killed.

Culpepper, Va., March 1st.—Judge Harrison, presiding over the murder trial of the Strother brothers, said that he recognized no higher court than his. This ruling came from an attempt to change the manner of trial.

Madrid, March 1—While hundreds of people were in the Catholic Cathedral saying mass someone threw a bomb into the building and scores were injured.

Omaha, Neb., March 2d.—Hon. W. J. Bryan commenting on the examination of E. H. Harriman by the Inter State Commerce Commission and the disclosures made by him showed that public sentiment on the government ownership of railroads.

New York, March 2—The trend of the efforts of the opposing counsel in the Thaw case now seems to be that Jerome is trying to have a lunacy commission for the defendant and Delmas is fighting such a move. Delmas wants the case to proceed, feeling sure of acquittal.

Public interest in the trial is waning and much of the morbid sentimentality has passed. It is probable that the case will be argued next week.

Chicago, March 2—Chief of Police Wilkie has so far failed to detect the thief who stole \$173,000 from the sub-treasury. The teller fainted during a searching examination in the sweat box but there was no development.

It is estimated by police authorities that the robber is known, is under surveillance and will soon be arrested. It is said to be not a government employee, nor a professional crook but a business man who is well known in the city. The means of his getting the money has not yet been discovered.

Washington, March 2—The House of Representatives today re-considered the action of yesterday whereby the Ship Subsidy bill was defeated by seven votes and by getting the absentees back to vote carried the measure by twelve votes.

Concord, N. H., March 2—A startling development in the Christian Science finances has been made by the filing of a suit in the Superior court to compel an accounting of funds received by the sect. Mrs. Mary Baker G. Eddy is made defendant in the suit and the plaintiffs are George W. Glover, Mrs. Eddy's son, Mary Baker Glover, a grand-daughter and George W. Baker, a nephew of Mrs. Eddy. In reply to enquiries by reporters those immediately interested in the suit say that they have nothing to say.

Calro, Ill., March 2—The regular spring freshet is beginning to assume a threat aspect. The Ohio from above Cincinnati is past the high water mark and people are moving away from the lowlands. Great fears are held for damage to property.

WASHINGTON LETTER

[Special Correspondence.]
A new building for the bureau of engraving and printing, to cost \$8,000,000, has been provided for in a bill which was recently reported by the house committee on public buildings and grounds.

The overcrowding of machinery and employees has reached to every room in the building. Notwithstanding the ever increasing demand for work officials say it is a question under present conditions if the limit of capacity has not been reached.

The density is greater on the third floor, where the main hand press room is located. Here the conditions are said to be more aggravated than in any other quarter of the building. In continuous lines the presses by necessity are placed against each other, and the aisles between the lines by actual measurement are sixteen inches wide. In these narrow spaces the printer and their women assistants work, the men performing the hardest kind of manual labor.

Only Young Women Employed.
The women who work in these surroundings are mostly young, between the ages of seventeen and twenty-five. It is the policy of the bureau not to employ women as assistants who are more than thirty-five years old. The nature of the work requires that they shall be done quickly, and the person doing it must possess agility of mind and body. It is not unusual for them to fall in a faint at their work.

A hospital, with a physician in charge, has been established, but for want of space even this is inadequate for the purpose.

Theater For Hospital.
The new amusement hall to be erected at the Government Hospital For the Insane, so far as modern construction and design are concerned, will be Washington's most up to date play house.

The designs show a building which will be practically a theater, although it will be known as an amusement hall. It will have every convenience, feature of equipment and advantage in design that is known in theatrical architecture. The hall will be devoted to performances given for the patients at the hospital and will cost \$75,000 to build.

Besides being absolutely fireproof in construction, the building will be equipped with every known contrivance to kill flames in case a fire should ever start. Among these are the water curtain, asbestos curtain, automatic sprinklers and automatic skylight. The hall will seat 700 people in the main auditorium and 300 additional in the balcony, which will be used by guests.

Stage Construction Modern.
In designing the stage every detail of modern equipment has been given careful thought and study, with the end in view to have as complete and "professionally" correct a stage as possible. There is to be a brick fire wall between the stage and the auditorium, and the stage opening is to be provided with an asbestos curtain, curtain and drops to be hung upon a steel gridiron, with iron blocks and wire ropes.

Suspended underneath the gridiron there will be an automatic sprinkler, so arranged as to play on the asbestos curtain, all drops and all parts of the stage.

This is an essential requirement in modern theatre construction, as many fires occur from defective wires in drops and often gain considerable headway before being discovered.

New Orchids For Mrs. Roosevelt.
Exquisite orchids have been imported from the Philippines for the White House conservatories. When Mrs. Roosevelt presides over the post Lenten gayeties society at the capital will have the pleasure of admiring these recent acquisitions. Since coming to the White House Mrs. Roosevelt has clung persistently to the imposing flower known as the "Lady Finger" orchid.

The variety was a gift to Police Commissioner Bingham of New York while major domo of the White House from Joseph Chamberlain of Birmingham, England, who beguiles his leisure from political cares by collecting orchids. The flower combines most gorgeous shades of deep purple to pale violet. Because of its rarity and costliness it cannot become a popular flower. Mrs. Roosevelt never appeared at a state function, whether it was White House reception, inauguration ball or a cabinet dinner, without a large cluster of these orchids in her belt. The Philippine orchids will show more yellow than purple, and they are of long bell shape.

Y. M. C. A. Boys' Building.
Plans have been prepared for extensive improvements to be made on the boys' building of the Young Men's Christian association on G street near Seventeenth.

The building, which was the quarters of the whole association before its new home was erected on the property adjoining, will be remodeled and renovated throughout. When the improvements are complete the boys' quarters will be as modern and well equipped in every way as the newer building.

Statements in Demand.
All sorts and conditions of people come to the White House in a steady stream to beg the president and the members of the cabinet to make speeches in various parts of the country. Anything from the annual meeting of a state bar association to the anniversary of a statesman's death brings a delegation to Washington looking for a "big gun" to make the speech of the day. Not one-tenth of these requests can be granted. President Roosevelt tells all the delegations that come to him that if the cabinet officers accepted one-third of the invitations they have to speak the government business would be badly handicapped.

NEWSPAPER REPORTER SCARED BY McLEAN.

Freight Rate Bill Passed After Considerable Discussion.
Bill to Amend Watts Law.
Special to Journal.

Raleigh, March 2.—There was a sensation in the Senate today, Senator McLean, of Robeson, after reading a newspaper statement which he denounced, regarding bills he had introduced, walked towards a reporter and said unless the policy of slandering him was stopped he would take the matter into his own hands and apply the cowhide to the man who did it.

The Senate passed the bill regulating freight rates drawn to force the roads to give rates in this State as low as in Virginia. During the discussion, which was prolonged, it was said there were several gateways in Virginia, none in this State, and the ablest railroad men had failed to give any reason for the establishment of such gateways. It was declared the railways were in combination in this matter, and the discrimination against North Carolina cost the people millions annually and was the greatest drawback to the business developments of the State.

Bills were introduced in the House to amend the Watts liquor regulation law by preventing the manufacture of denatured alcohol.

Appropriating \$5,000 annually for the Stonewall Jackson Manual Training School.

The House, after a long debate, passed 84 to 23, the bill agreed to by the Democratic caucus Tuesday night, to take control of Sampson county from the Republicans, the statement being made that the sheriff's total delinquency amounted to forty-five thousand dollars.

The Senate passed a bill to prevent railroads from re-classifying freight in order to avoid the provisions of the rate bill, which it is claimed will have an obsolete effect. It defeated a bill to charter and guarantee the interest on the \$11,500,000 bonds of the transcontinental railway for thirty years at 4 per cent. The State to be given control and the road to extend from Knoxville, Tenn., to Greenville, S. C.

J E Latham's Cotton Letter

Special to Journal.
Greensboro, March 2d.—The cotton market this week has been more active from a speculative standpoint than for several weeks but the demand from spinners is not quite so keen, and reflects to some extent that they hold comfortable reserves. The insight from day to day continues large and it looks like this crop after all will pass into history as a record breaker as to size and unsatisfactory quality. Under such circumstances, no important advance is likely on the merits of this crop but the need of another big crop is now so generally conceded that the developments of the new crop will be closely watched. Thus far the winter has been very satisfactory for farm work and my friends in the Southwest expect a large increase in acreage. Spinners are well employed and have bought freely and continue to buy the fall months in Liverpool and New York against their sales of goods. This class of buyers do not sell out freely until they convert their contracts into actual cotton, therefore it seems to me that the buying is of such a substantial character that the advantage for a long pull is on the side of higher prices possibly much higher.

Was Good to Them.

The new post office appropriation bill passed by Congress Saturday put a smile on the clerks and carriers of the post office here that will not easily wear off. Commencing July 1st the carriers will receive \$1,100 per year and the clerks' salary ranges from \$600 to \$1,100. The rural carriers will get \$900.

Fine Cotton Seed for Farmers

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DAMAGED BY FIRE.

Car on Pamlico Oriental and Western Railroad Destroyed.
A car attached to the regular train from Bayboro to New Bern was badly damaged by fire yesterday morning at nine o'clock at the east end of the railroad bridge. The car was filled with camp equipments that had been used by laborers on the P. O. & W Road, and was being transferred to the New Bern-Washington division of the Raleigh & Pamlico Sound railway.

Mr Danenburg Goes into the Bottling Business

Mr. A. E. Danenberg has resigned his position as clerk in the postoffice in this city to engage in other business. He has been in the postal service for eight years and has proven to be one of the most efficient clerks in the service. He goes to Goldsboro, N. C., where he and his brother will engage in the business of bottling Coca-Cola under the firm name of Danenberg Bros. They have lately installed one of the most up-to-date and complete bottling plants in this section of the south, consisting of new machinery and fixtures throughout, and they expect to engage in the business extensively. They have the best wishes of many friends in New Bern for success.

New Additions Bring New Duties

By the provisions of the new charter the limits of the city of New Bern are extended to Jack Smith Creek embracing a large amount of territory which takes in the site of the John L. Roper mill at the head of Griffith street. This very substantial addition to our city area makes new duties incumbent on the board of aldermen that the city advantages of water, sewer and lights be given them. Particularly it is necessary that they should be prompt about the water service on account of fires as there is not enough hose to lay from the last hydrant to the last house. A condition that ought not to exist.

A Business Proposition.

The boom in mining interests through out the country during the past two years has greatly increased the number of investors in this class of securities and holders of large and small amounts are eagerly seeking daily news of the market and of the mining districts. In such matters the "New York Commercial" has grown to be known as the leading authority and investors can do no better than read its columns daily.

The Financial and Insurance departments are among the strongest in the country and the dry goods, grocery, drug, metal and provision market reports are accepted by those in the various lines as most valuable and authoritative.

One druggist who owns two or three stores in New Jersey states that he has saved thousands of dollars by keeping in touch with the market through the columns of the "Commercial." As a business proposition business men will find in a subscription to the "New York Commercial" a valuable asset.

Obituary

Miss Nannie R., daughter of R. R. and E. E. Hill, died Sunday night after a protracted illness at the age of thirty-five years. The funeral services will be held at 3:30 o'clock this afternoon from Centenary Methodist church.

Mr. B. W. Fulcher, whose home was on Griffith street, died at the sanatorium yesterday afternoon after an operation for appendicitis. He was thirty-five years of age and was a native of Pamlico county.

Band Uniform

Manager J. B. Dawson, of the K. of P. band, has placed through Mr. J. J. Baxter orders for uniforms for members of the band, and the measurements have all been taken and the uniforms are expected in a few days. The style selected is one of the latest and the goods is of the best quality. Each uniform cost \$18. No doubt the boys will feel like musicians proper when they attire in their full dress.

The Senator's Wife.

The ever popular actors Chelso D. Percchi and Miss Gyzene began a week of plays at the opera house last night and were greeted by a large and appreciative audience. They have associated with them a stronger company than ever, and while it has never been said that they produced a poor play yet it must be admitted that the play last night was better than ever. The Senator's Wife was a play which showed the dramatic talent of each member up well, and it was sufficiently well enjoyed to insure good houses for the rest of the week.

TRUCE SIGNED BETWEEN EDITOR AND LAW MAKER.

Senate Passes Lee County Bill With But One Dissenting Vote. Bill to Provide Fire Escape on All Public Buildings Tabled.
Special to Journal.

Raleigh, March 4—A threatened encounter between Editor Simpson of the Raleigh Times and Representative Winborne of the lower house growing out of a newspaper criticism and a following denunciation of the editor by the representative on the floor of the House, is averted by a conference between the two, arranged by a mutual friend. Winborne speaking to a question of personal privilege said the editor had acted honorably and he retracted all he said. He and the editor publish cards. The trouble grew out of the report of the conference committee on the railway rate bill.

The bill to create Lee county upon vote of the people within its proposed territory, passed the Senate on second reading, only one vote in opposition.

The immigration bill passed the Senate, 23 to 14, after 51 counties were excepted from the provision that only immigrants from Canada and Northern Europe should be brought from Italy, it being claimed they serve admirably as farm laborers in that section. An amendment was adopted to include immigrants from Southern Italy.

The House passed the labor bill, making 66 hours the limit for a weeks work, and providing that after this year no child under 14 years old shall work between 8 p. m. and 5:30 a. m., and children under 13 without exhibiting a certificate of attendance at school four consecutive months the previous year.

The bill to require fire escapes to be provided at all public building, schools, factories and hotels was tabled, though backed by the firemen associations.

Another bill tabled by the House provided for appeals to the Supreme court in cases where a judge has set aside a jury verdict.

The following bills were introduced in the House:

- To secure enforcement of laws against liquor in Goldsboro.
- To amend the charter of South Mills.
- To allow pensions to ex-Confederate soldiers over 75 years old regardless of the amount of property owned.
- To fix salaries for Pitt county officers.
- To prevent fraud on boarding houses and hotels.
- To incorporate Pine Town, Beaufort county.
- To protect oysters and clams in Carteret.
- To divide profits of the Gritton dispensary.
- To allow Wilson to issue road bonds and to establish a dispensary at Black Creek.

Bills were introduced in the Senate to allow the Geologist to co-operate with the United States Geological bureau in the preparation of a topographical map of North Carolina.

To incorporate the North Carolina Union Railway.

To regulate charges for traveling in chair cars and sleeper cars.

A resolution was offered to adjourn at noon Saturday.

The bill to separate races in street cars was defeated.

The Senate committee this evening decided to extend Raleigh's limits so as to make a square one mile from east to west.

The chamber of commerce which has for months contended for this extension wins out, all opponents having yielded.

The committee also decided to extend Fayetteville boundaries, as asked for.

It's a pleasure to tell our readers about a Cough Cure like Dr. Shoop's. For years Dr. Shoop has fought against the use of Opium, Chloroform, or other unsafe ingredients commonly found in Cough remedies. Dr. Shoop, himself, has welcomed the Pure Food and Drug Law recently enacted for he was tired of being called a quack and other such names. He has tried many formulas for coughs but he found Dr. Shoop's Cough Cure. It is a pleasure to tell our readers about a Cough Cure like Dr. Shoop's. For years Dr. Shoop has fought against the use of Opium, Chloroform, or other unsafe ingredients commonly found in Cough remedies. Dr. Shoop, himself, has welcomed the Pure Food and Drug Law recently enacted for he was tired of being called a quack and other such names. He has tried many formulas for coughs but he found Dr. Shoop's Cough Cure. It is a pleasure to tell our readers about a Cough Cure like Dr. Shoop's. For years Dr. Shoop has fought against the use of Opium, Chloroform, or other unsafe ingredients commonly found in Cough remedies. Dr. Shoop, himself, has welcomed the Pure Food and Drug Law recently enacted for he was tired of being called a quack and other such names. He has tried many formulas for coughs but he found Dr. Shoop's Cough Cure.