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**SNAPSHOTS.**

Castro is said to be greedy for money. Castro and Castellane ought to exchange notes of sympathy.

In the Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde make-up, of the Pennsylvania Legislature the Hyde characteristics decidedly predominate.

After reading all the details, the wonder is that the Countess Castellane was so slow about starting her divorce proceedings.

The Russian National Assembly will meet on April 28th, if Count Witte or the Czar doesn't decide to put all the members in jail.

A municipal question of no small importance, is whether Philadelphia or New York shall be first, in the race to have eighty cent gas.

Mrs. Andrew Carnegie has come into possession of a large amount of valuable property by the death of a relative. "Them as has gits."

Russia is going to decorate her soldiers who took part in the war with Japan—at least those who escaped decoration by the Japanese.

The immigration commissioners at New York tried to keep an English joker from landing. How they found out he was a joker is not explained.

Count Boni says he would rather beg his bread than suffer an injury to his pride. Boni has tried every way of getting his bread except working for it.

If the rush keeps on, there is danger that the White House Democrats will be crowding the front feet of the White House Republicans out of the trough.

Mr. John D. Rockefeller is still missing. The jailer at Omaha, however, can prove that Pat Crowe has not carried out his old threat to kidnap the oil king.

Gov. Magoon testifies that men may be put to death in the Panama canal zone without trial. It seems to be easier to put them to death than to put them to work.

Of course ex-Congressman Baker of Brooklyn, would not hold an office under the condition that he keep still. He is a chronic sufferer from ingrowing opinions.

Georgia drummers are demanding a law for clean streets. They ought to consult with Hapgood and Collier of New York who have done something toward getting cleaner streets.

District Attorney Jerome will probably get very anxious to prosecute those life insurance officials after they have all had time to get comfortably located in their new homes in Paris.

Bill Sewall the old Maine trapper and guide, has two Federal offices and wants to resign one of them. Might offer it to Mr. Shonts. Shonts has no objection to double salaries.

Our new minister to Japan, Luke Wright, complains that no two of his pictures in the paper are the same man. Seems kind of funny about his pictures. Wants them to "Luke Wright" so to speak.

Senator Lodge proves that railroad rates are lower in this country than in countries where the rates are controlled by the government. That kind of argument is liable to make the railroads want government control.

The reason Dr. Dade's Little Liver Pills give perfect satisfaction is due to their tonic effect on the liver. They never gripe. Sold by S. R. Biggs.

**BIRTHDAY OF WASHINGTON.**

Yesterday was the birthday of George Washington, the ideal of the people of America.

He is the people's ideal because his great life work was a contribution to the happiness of Americans that were yet unborn.

Americans love Washington because his life was vicarious, self-sacrificing. No man can live in the hearts of any people, unless he shows by every action of his life that he is willing to sacrifice everything for the good of his country.

Washington was, says a great Revolutionary orator, "Lighthorse Harry" Lee, "first in War, first in Peace and first in the hearts of his Countrymen."

He was first in war because he had fought the Indians and proven his valor and grit and overcome the British Lion by his sharp, keen guerrilla movements; first in Peace because he had been first in war, he had been tested in war, and he proved to be first in Peace; and as a result of these two tests he was first in the hearts of his countrymen, and he ever will be.

Washington was a man who did things and he did them for posterity and not for self, hence he is the nation's ideal. The spirit of this great man still watches over us with vigilant eye.

His life is thoroughly engrafted into our life; he is part and parcel of us. Hence we consecrate throughout the States the twenty-second of February as the nation's sacred day.

**THE REAL DEPEW.**

"High on a throne of royal state which far outshone the wealth of Ormus and of Ind, or where the gorgeous West, by the cunning hand of a grafter, showers on the Vanderbilts franchises and tax exemptions, Depew exalted sat, by merit raised to that bad eminence."

This is quite a good picture of the junior Senator from New York, and the closing words of the drama of a life spent like his was, are, "The path of my glory leads me to my grave."

If the article in the March Cosmopolitan, "The Treason of the Senate," be true, what a falling off there has been, or rather what a sham Depew has put up for these many years!

Seventeen years ago, on the occasion of the celebration of the one hundredth anniversary of the inauguration of Washington, he was the orator of the occasion. It was a grand effort, but if we as a nation had celebrated birthday of Washington yesterday we would want anybody in America but the sugar-coated Chauncy Depew, the tool of the Vanderbilts, the man who said seventeen years ago that "the grand central idea in the Declaration of Independence was the sovereignty of the people."

But now we learn that Depew was the man who made the Vanderbilts rich by his shrewd lobbying at Albany getting measures passed for a class, by keeping in touch with local politicians and by every means his ingenious brain could concoct.

The writer says "the Depew laugh has cost the people of America one billion dollars." The actual cost of the capital at Albany was four million, but with Depew, commissioner it cost twenty-five million.

There must surely be daggers in men's smiles. The American people don't want such a man to be the orator of the day when they meet to pay tribute to a Washington or a Jefferson. They want a speaker whose life and character attest the man behind the speech. They want the real man, not the "greasy tongued" politician who works for a class, but the statesman who spends his life for the amelioration of the whole American people.

Pinesalve is the best salve for sores, burns, boils, tetter, eczema, skin diseases and piles. Sold by S. R. Biggs.

**Real Inventor of Colt Revolver.**

New Bern, N. C., Feb. 15.—Mrs. Fannie Gill, an old and well known resident of this city, was buried here yesterday.

She was the widow of Samuel Gill, who was an inventor, but was one of those unfortunate persons who never realized anything from the result of his genius; generally some one else got rich from his idea.

Samuel Gill was the real inventor of the Colt revolver, which was used in the United States army for a long time and has for many years held a high rank among scientific and practical fire arms. This was the best product of his inventive genius.

It is said that after Gill had completed the model of the revolver he went to Washington with the intention of having it patented. While there he became acquainted with Colt, to whom he showed the model. Colt seeing that the invention was good obtained possession of it by borrowing it, saying that he wanted to show it to a friend. The next day Gill became seriously ill and was in that condition several weeks. When he recovered the model revolver and man were gone.

In after years, subsequent to the death of Colt, the story of Gill was told to Mrs. Colt, who upon verification of this statement, sent Mr. Gill \$2,000 for his invention. That amount was soon lost, however, and the family have depended on charity. Mr. Gill died several years ago.—Special to The Raleigh Evening Times.

**A Wonderful Saving.**

The largest Methodist Church in Georgia, used 32 gallons of L. & M. mixed with 24 gallons of oil, thus making paint cost about \$1.20 per gallon. They calculated to use 100 gallons of other paint. Saved about \$80.00; and also got a big donation of L. & M. Dealers gladly sell L. & M. because their customers call for it and say they used it 12, 14 and even 30 years ago. Don't pay \$1.50 a gallon for linseed oil, which you do in ready-to-use paint.

Buy oil fresh from the barrel at 60 cents per gallon, and mix it with L. & M. Paint. It makes paint cost about \$1.20 per gallon. Sold by S. R. Biggs.

**Pie Crust.**

The average New York resolution goes, in a few days, with the Christmas tree to the ash heap. Manhood is not developed by swearing off but by taking on. It is not a negative but a positive quality.—Sel.

**Startling But True**

People the world over were horrified on learning of the burning of a Chicago theater in which nearly six hundred people lost their lives, yet more than five times this number or over 3,000 people died from pneumonia in Chicago during the same year, with scarcely a passing notice. Every one of these cases of pneumonia resulted from a cold and could have been prevented by the timely use of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. A great many who had every reason to fear pneumonia have ward off by the prompt use of this remedy. The following is an instance of this sort: "Too much cannot be said in favor of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, and especially for colds and influenza. I know that it cured my daughter, Laura, of a severe cold, and I believe saved her life when she was threatened with pneumonia." W. D. Wilcox, Logan, New York. Sold by S. R. Biggs.

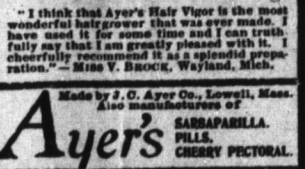
Tom Lawson says he can control two insurance companies at any time he desires. Policy holders will be anxious until they learn the names of the two companies, and then policy holders of the two in question will be anxious.

Now is the time to guard the health and strength of lungs. The best remedy to use for coughs and colds is Bee's Laxative Honey and Tar. The only cough syrup that does not constipate the bowels, but which on the other hand, expels all cold from the system by acting as a pleasant laxative. Best for coughs, colds, croup, whooping cough, etc. Sold by S. R. Biggs.

The London Zoo has just received its first humming bird. Blind, bleeding, itching and protruding piles are instantly relieved by Manzan. This remedy is put up in collapsible tubes with nozzle attachment, so that the medicine may be applied inside directly where the trouble originates. Man Zan relieves instantly. Sold by S. R. Biggs.

**Is It Your Own Hair?**

Do you pin your hat to your own hair? Can't do it? Haven't enough hair? It must be you do not know Ayer's Hair Vigor! Here's an introduction! May the acquaintance result in a heavy growth of rich, thick, glossy hair! And we know you'll never be gray.



Experience and Wisdom. Experience knows how to do a given thing well but wisdom knows what to do, and when it should be done. Experience, therefore, makes an efficient follower, but only wisdom can make a successful leader.—Sel.

**Chamberlain's Cough Remedy the Mother's Favorite**

The soothing and healing properties of this remedy, its pleasant taste and prompt and permanent cures have made it a favorite with people everywhere. It is especially prized by mothers of small children, for colds, croup and whooping cough, as it always affords quick relief, and as it contains no opium or other harmful drug, it may be given as confidently to a baby as to an adult. For sale by S. R. Biggs.

**A Paradox.**

An Englishman is never so happy as when miserable; a Scotchman never so much at home as when abroad; an Irishman never so much at peace as when at war.—Sel.

**TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY**  
Take LAXATIVE BROMO Quinine Tablets. Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVE'S signature on the box. 25c.

You can hardly ever trust your eyes to tell you what a woman really looks like.

It is a sin to suffer with backache and pains over the kidneys when a single dose of Pine-ules will give relief in one night. Suffering women should heed these warnings ere it is too late. Female troubles may result. Pine-ules will strengthen the kidneys and bladder, cleanse the blood and relieve the aches and pains of Neuralgia and Rheumatism. Sold by S. R. Biggs.

**Now is the time to subscribe to THE ENTERPRISE.**

**Sick Headache.**

This distressing ailment results from a disordered condition of the stomach. All that is needed to effect a cure is a dose or two of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. In fact, the attack may be warded off, or greatly lessened in severity, by taking a dose of these Tablets as soon as the first symptom of an attack appears. Sold by S. R. Biggs.

**REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF J. C. Robertson, Banker**

at ROBERSONVILLE, N. C., at the close of business Jan. 29th, 1906.

RESOURCES	
Loans and Discounts	\$24,214.06
Overdrafts	1,097.05
Furniture and Fixtures	2,494.54
Other Real Estate Owned	2,568.03
Due from Banks and Bankers	1,131.33
Checks and other Cash Items	3,990.97
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$37,505.98</b>

LIABILITIES	
Capital Stock	5,000.00
Undivided Profits	1,347.95
Time Certificates of Deposit	9,420.00
Deposits Subject to Check	27,738.28
Cashier's Checks Outstanding	606.75
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$37,505.98</b>

State of North Carolina )  
County of Martin )  
J. C. Robertson, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.  
J. C. ROBERTSON, Cashier.  
Sworn and subscribed to before me this 5 day of Jan., 1906.  
S. L. ROSS, Notary Public.

**Notice.**

By order of the Superior Court of Martin county entered in the special proceeding therein pending, entitled Richard U. Norfield and others, ex parte to the court, I will sell for cash to the highest bidder at the court house door in Williamston, N. C., at 12 M., on Monday, March 19th, 1906, the following tract of land in Martin county, N. C.: That part of the Joseph J. Williams "Home Place" which was allotted to Henry P. Pugh in the land division had among the heirs-at-law of Mrs. Charity Pugh, which is Lot No. 7 of said land division which see for better description and which land contains 92 1/2 acres more or less. This February 16th, 1906.  
FRANCIS D. WINSTON, Commissioner.  
Winston & Everett, Attys.  
2-23-06

**Auction Sale of Valuable Building Lots**  
... ON BEAUTIFUL ...  
**Washington Heights,**  
Monday and Tuesday, Feb. 26th and 27th.

THE WASHINGTON INVESTMENT COMPANY invites investors and the public generally to be present at the opening of their new property, WASHINGTON HEIGHTS, on Monday and Tuesday, February 26 and 27. Sale will be conducted on the grounds, beginning at 10 o'clock each day. Terms of sale—10 per cent. of purchase price cash, balance 3 1/2 per cent. of purchase price per month until paid. No interest will be charged on deferred payments and no taxes. Each purchaser will be given coupon at time of first payment; one coupon in the lot will entitle the holder to one extra lot in addition to those purchased. Railroad fare will be allowed off the 10 per cent. payment to out of town purchasers within one hundred miles of Washington. The company gives bond for deed.

As an investment these lots are far above Government Bonds. There is not a building lot within two miles of the City Hall of Washington that will not bring 50 per cent. more than it can be bought for to day within two years. Numbers of lots in Washington have doubled in value within the past two years, some have trebled, and others have increased four and five times.

Washington Heights lies just beyond the corporate limits of Washington, the plot contains 165 acres of open land, which the Washington Investment Company had divided into business and residential lots 50 by 150 feet in size. The streets and avenues are 60 feet wide. The plot is beautifully situated, being on a high rolling plateau some 30 feet above the tide level and giving a grand view of the broad Pamlico river, and the town of Washington in the near perspective, and not more than 15 minutes walk from the City Hall.

One hundred only of these lots will be sold during this sale. As an investment these lots offer the very best opportunity ever offered you. Remember the date, Monday and Tuesday, February 26th and 27th, 1906. Come yourself and bring your friend.

**WASHINGTON INVESTMENT COMPANY.**

**Notice.**

By virtue of an order of the Superior Court of Martin county in a special proceeding entitled John Daniel Biggs guardian, et als ex parte, I will sell for cash at the court house in Williamston, N. C., on Monday, March 19, 1906, at public auction, the following land, to-wit: A tract of land adjoining Hyman Bowen on the north, David Harrison on the east, Reuben Rogerson on the south and Noah Roberson on the west, containing twenty-five acres more or less, and known as lot No. 1 in the division of the Benjamin Bowen in 4 among his heirs at law. This February 13, 1906.  
WHEELER MARTIN, Commissioner.  
2-16-06

**Notice.**

Having qualified as administrator upon the estate of James E. Moore, deceased, notice is hereby given to all persons holding claims against said estate to present them to the undersigned for payment on or before the first day of February, 1907, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of recovery. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment. This Feb. 13, 1906.  
WHEELER MARTIN, Administrator.  
2-16-06

**Notice.**

North Carolina—Martin County. Superior Court—March Term.  
Fannie Biggs vs. Willie Biggs.  
The defendant above named will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior Court of Martin county to obtain a divorce from said defendant, and the said defendant will further take notice that he is required to appear at the next term of the Superior court after the 1st Monday in March, 1906, at the court house of said county in Williamston, N. C., and answer or demur to the complaint in said action or plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in said complaint.  
This February 3, 1906.  
J. A. HOBBS, Clerk Superior Court.  
2-9-06

**Notice.**

Having qualified as executor to the Will of Eliza Everett, deceased, notice is hereby given to all persons holding claims against said estate to present them either to me or my attorneys for payment or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment.  
This January 31, 1906.  
JAMES A. EVERETT, Executor.  
Winston & Everett, Attys.  
2-9-06

**Notice.**

North Carolina, ) Superior Court,  
Martin County, ) March Term, 1906.  
Annie Williams vs. Ham Williams.  
The defendant above named will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior Court of Martin county to obtain a divorce, and the said defendant will further take notice that he is required to appear at the next term of the Superior Court of said county of Martin to be held on the 2nd Monday after the 1st Monday in March 1906 at the court house of said county in Williamston, N. C. and answer or demur to the complaint in said action or the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in said complaint.  
This 13 day of February, 1906.  
J. A. Hobbs, Clerk Superior Court.  
2-16-06

**Notice.**

By virtue of authority contained in a certain deed of trust executed to me by Bryant Chance and wife, Pennie Chance, bearing date July 11, 1903, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Martin county in Book GGG, at page 481 and the stipulations in said deed of trust not having been complied with, I will on Saturday, the 17th day of March, 1906, at 12 o'clock noon, at Robersonville, N. C., offer at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, the following described premises, to-wit: Beginning at an oak stump in Ashworth Branch, James Manning and Wallace Andrews corner, thence northward a straight line along a line of chopped trees to a pine stump, thence southward along a line of chopped trees a straight line to a gum in Ashworth Branch, thence up said branch to the beginning, containing 52 acres more or less. This Feb. 5, 1906.  
J. H. ROBERSON, JR., Trustee.  
2-9-06

**HARDWARE!**

Our farming implements are already here and are on exhibit at our same place. We are offering values not prices.  
Start with a stalk cutter, grub plow, cultivator harrow, smoothing harrow and disc cultivator. Prepare the soil and you are sure to win. Inviting your inspection.

Very truly,  
**BUCK'S SIMPSON HARDWARE CO.**

**BIG REDUCTION**  
In Clothing

Wright's Underwear  
\$1.72 1-2 a Suit

Don't forget our complete and up-to-date line of Millinery and Ladie's Fancy Dress Goods.

We guarantee to please all, so come and give us a trial.

Very Respectfully,  
**G. D. Garstarphen & Co.**

CONDENSED REPORT OF  
**Bank of Martin County**  
AT WILLIAMSTON, N. C.  
At the close of business January 29, 1906.

RESOURCES.	LIABILITIES.	
Loans and discounts	Capital stock	\$15,000.00
Overdrafts	Surplus fund	7,500.00
Other stocks, bonds, etc.	Undivided profits	2,682.70
Furniture and fixtures	Time certificates of deposit	29,549.30
Demand loans	Due from banks and bankers	76,038.18
Due from banks and bankers	Silver coin, etc.	\$130,770.08
3,115.56		
<b>130,770.08</b>		

We solicit your account whether large or small, we will allow you interest by special agreement. When we can serve you call on us.  
WHEELER MARTIN J. G. STATON J. G. GODARD  
President Vice President Cashier

**BEST BALTO. HAMS 15C.**

Fresh meats that are a pleasure to eat because fresh and tender. The stringy kind is an abomination, no matter how little the price. No danger of getting that kind here.

CHOICE RIB ROAST 10c. BEST RIB ROAST 12 1/2c.  
BEST SIRLOIN STAKE 12 1/2c.

BUYER OF ALL KINDS OF POULTRY.  
J. R. WALKER, City Market.

**To Cure a Cold in One Day**  
Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. E. W. Grove  
Seven Million boxes sold in past 12 months. This signature, E. W. Grove  
on every box 25c.