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Brandt Walker has made in Wall street \$6,500,000 since St. Patrick's Day. Mr. Walker's bear plunges during the present slump alone have netted him \$3,000,000. That was upon his arrival from Saratoga, where he conducted a Wall street campaign between races that poured \$500,000 into his coffers, already bulging from the famous March raid through which he directed operations by telephone and cleared \$2,000,000. Shipping out to Chicago between times, he beat the seasoned Ritters out of \$500,000 in bull wheat.

Mr. Walker said yesterday: "I sold Union at 43, Steel at 39, Smelter at 111, and St. Paul at 132. Altogether I went short 200,000 shares in New York and 80,000 in London—\$5,000,000, that's right—but I've kept enough of the good stocks to make me net profits on this little flyer just \$3,000,000, and three weeks ago they were saying I'd never be able to cover."

"I attribute my success to the fact that I realize no stock market can be ahead of a bond market. Rockefeller Harriman and Rogers were dealing out fat dividends, and the bond market was steadily declining."

"Had these three men and their associates engaged in legitimate declaration of dividends, it would have been better all around. I saw the trend of affairs were taking, and I acted accordingly—with one eye on the stock market, the other on the bonds."

"If these men had acted legitimately no utterance of the President would have caused such a break as has now come in the stock market."

"By figuring on these two elements, and their relation to each other succeeded."

"These railroad men ought not to try to fool the people with fake dividends. That's the trouble with the market. Guess I'll go back to Chicago and see the old governor. He's been plugging away thirty years as counsel for the Chicago and Milwaukee, but he can't show, within several millions, the plunks already gathered by his faithful son."—Wilson Times

WORTH MILLIONS

The Danbury Reporter thinks it is the agitation of the tobacco farmers and anti-trust legislation, rather than the small crop, that are responsible for the increase in the price of the tobacco this year over last year. It is right. The size of the crop has very little effect on the price which the trust fixes for the weed. The only thing that affects it materially is to give the trust real fear of aggressive legislation and vigorous prosecution. Then it pays more for tobacco until it feels that the people have again been lulled to sleep. The agitation and the passage by the House of Representatives of North Carolina of "sub-section a" was in itself worth millions of dollars to the North Carolina tobacco growers, and the investigation by the Federal government and the institution of legal proceedings against the trust is worth almost as much.

If the people go to sleep, the trust feels safe in putting down the price and keeping it down; if the people are aroused and determined, the trust sees that it must put up the price.—News & Observer.

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ROBERSONVILLE NEWS

Dear Editor:

These bright, beautiful days of "Indian Summer", have a tendency to make one feel like sleeping nearly all the time; with the semi light, and hazy atmosphere, and varied colored leaves of the forest, and the absence of the many summer birds which made the air harmonious with their notes of joy, and our own feelings, give strong indications that "Nature" is preparing for her winter nap.

The seared leaf, which drops and falls in eddying currents to the ground; the dried and dead grass and other vegetation, which, a few weeks ago were green and beautiful, the lonesome caw of the crow, all tell us in a silent language "that nothing on earth, can stay here, the roses must die with the year". And, though we may have these sad thoughts and realize the mutability of all things; change on change taking place day by day we can look beyond the coming winter which for a while will wield his icy scepter, and reign a stern and cruel monarch, to the brighter days of the sweet spring time, and we then can repeat the words of the poet when he says:

"Clouds of bees are busy with clover,
Clouds of grasshoppers skip at your feet,
Clouds of larks are caroling over
Thanking God for a life so sweet."

After the winter comes the baling spring, which we can appreciate more, because the cold days are gone, and flower and shrub and vine put on the lovely robes, and bask in the sunlight glow.

Your correspondent has been silent for a good while, and knowing of a stirring character to write about, the thoughts above written were suggested to him as he sat at his window and looked out upon nature in all its dreamy silence, indicative of the silence which shall reign supreme, when the dreamless sleep which knows no waking in this world, shall come upon us all sooner or later, but in the glorious spring, tide of an endless eternity we shall awake to behold the beauties of a deathless life that shall never experience the fear of sickness or death, but we shall dwell in the light, and life and love of the Author of life.

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OUR PARAGRAPHER

Mr. Roosevelt says, our hearts should be set hard as flint against predatory wealth, as well as predatory poverty. He will find very few men in this country who don't hate poverty of every kind worse than the average woman hates a wrinkle.

An Ionia Mich., man named John F. Bible has been punished for contempt of court. This should be a warning for other men in the Bible class.

If little Delaware goes "dry", there may be considerable rejoicing among the thirsty ones, over the fact that it doesn't take long to get out of the State.

The Alton Railroad by this time has come the conclusion that even in the matter of rebates it is more blessed to give than to receive.

Carrie Nation as a star in "Ten Nights in a Bar Room", will run the risk of doing a great deal of damage. Some theatre goers are easily driven to drink.

A Miss Bond of McHenry, Miss., has been asleep for two weeks, and it is reported that her breathing is regular, her pulse normal and she has lost no weight. But think of the time she has lost, just when other women are enjoying the fall display of new millinery!

The President's poor luck in Louisiana is likely to make the trust fear that he will come home in the mood to once more give the hard-working millionaires the "benefit of both barrels".

Prof. Cabot of Harvard, has resigned his pastorate to devote his entire time to golf. Probably his church duties kept him from playing on Sunday.

America has managed to put up with so many anarchists that it seems unreasonable for Europe to object to a few Mormons.

Nowadays, a new steamship that does not break a record is considered a failure.

The meat packers sat down to a \$10,000 dinner at their convention the other day. Wonder who paid for it?

The tobacco trust says there can be no monopoly of cigar trade. We guess not, as long as cabbages are so easily grown.

Gen. Booth eats neither fish, flesh or fowl. Maybe that will explain his indifference to the exactions of the Chicago meat combine.

It may be expected that Rhode Island will, as usual, provide the Thanksgiving dinner at the White House without any interference from Louisiana.

Among the speakers at the Conference on Trusts and Combinations in Chicago, this week, were Seth Low and Richard Pearson Hobson. Apparently the problem is to be settled all at once.

While the President was enjoying deer in camp, the rest of us were growling about the dear meat at home.

Etomologist, Stefansson, gained 20 pounds while living with the Eskimos. Is he going to start the fad of eating whale-blubber and fried ice?

The whale that swallowed Jonah may never have existed, but you could hardly convince a man who bet on the Tigers that no such thing as Jonah ever existed.

And now it is whispered about in Spain, that King Alfonso is a sadly henpecked husband. Wouldn't it be to bad should his most Catholic Majesty prove to be a mere royal mollycoddle?

A West Virginia man says he will run for governor "just to please his wife". That is very nice of him, to be sure, but he need never expect to finish explaining it if he fails to land the office.

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Secretary Taft says that we are not going to have war with Japan and does not even hedge on a time limit.

WILL CONSTRUCT
NEW RAILROAD

Line to Operate From Hamilton to Rocky Mount, Via Tarboro.

Dr. J. McLeay, Atlanta, Ga., is the promoter of a new railroad from Hamilton, Martin county, to Rocky Mount by the way of Tarboro. Dr. McLeay has corresponded with Gilliam & Gilliam, attorneys, concerning the preliminary arrangement of securing a charter and to have towns along the proposed line vote on bonuses.

Hamilton is located on the Roanoke river, and water transportation for freight could easily be secured to Norfolk. Rocky Mount, the other terminus of the line, is the division point of the Atlantic Coast Line.

The proposed line would traverse a country void of railroads and develop that section. Several construction companies are bidding for the contract.

Dr. McLeay and a party of those interested in the project will visit Tarboro within the next few weeks, when they expect to secure a charter.—Tarboro Advocate.

Death of Mr. Joseph Roberson.

In his sixty-third year, at the residence of his only child, Mrs. C. L. Ellington, Mr. Joseph A. Roberson died on Wednesday morning at 6:45 o'clock. Mr. Roberson had been ill only a short time, many of his acquaintances not knowing of his being indisposed. The funeral services were conducted by the Rev. C. L. Read, pastor of the Methodist Church.

Mr. Roberson was a Confederate Veteran, a member of Rieves Company, and served the lost cause manfully during the dark days of the civil war. He was one of the older men of the community and remembered Williamston as it was in the by gone days. One by one these older citizens pass away, even within the last five years there have passed into the beyond almost every man whom we have considered the old men of town.

Mr. Roberson was married three times, he being a widower at the time of his death. He is survived by his only child, Mrs. C. L. Ellington, and a brother, Mr. John Roberson, and one half brother, Mr. B. F. Godwin.

The active pall bearers at the funeral were S. S. Brown, J. D. Biggs, G. T. Brantley, C. D. Carstaphen, Theodore Roberson, and William Baker.

"I suppose you noted the disposition to make class distinctions in Europe?" "No," answered Mrs. Cunnora in a tone of disappointment. "Europeans seem to go on the principle that all Americans are rich without realizing that some of us may be vastly richer than others."—Washington Star.

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Secretary Taft has convinced

Japan that there is no danger of war between that country and the U. S. All that will be necessary now, to restore profound peace, will be for some one to convince Richmond Pearson Hobson that it will be safe for him to remove his side arms.

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Formal Opening of The Road

October 30th, next Wednesday, the Raleigh and Pamlico Sound branch of the Norfolk & Southern road between Raleigh and Washington, N. C., will be formally opened.

Governor Glenn and officials of the road with members of the Raleigh Chamber of Commerce will pass over the line on a special train, making short stops along the line where the Governor will address the people.

At Washington the Chamber of Commerce is preparing a banquet and reception.

Real Fish.

The talk around the table shifted to fish and fishing, with the usual consequences.

"Well, gentlemen," said the man who was fortunate enough to tell the best story, "the best day's sport I ever had was off the coast of southern California. There were three of us in the boat, each of us had three lines out, and we simply couldn't pull them in fast enough."

"What kind of fish were biting?" asked an indulgent listener.

"I don't know what the natives call them," said the fisherman, "but they were big enough to be leithyosaurus."

"Maybe they were whales, Frank," suggested an ironical member.

"Whales?" exclaimed Frank, with a look of disdain. "Whales! Indeed! Why, man, we were baiting with whistles!"—Life.

A Difficult Art.

There was a good story told of Dr. Joachim when he was in Hanover. During the winter there was a great deal of skating going on, of which he had a good view from his window. It looked so easy and every one seemed so happy that he thought he would have a try. Accordingly he strolled down and was soon pounced upon by the ice cleaner, who asked him if he wished to skate. "I have never tried yet," Joachim replied. "I will show you, Herr Hofconcertmeister," the man said, screwing on a pair of skates. "So! Now stand up. Now slide the right foot so and the other so, and then off!" Joachim slid his right foot and prepared for the left, but before he had righted himself he was indeed "off" and sprawling on the ice. "Ja, ja, ja!" the man exclaimed, as he raised the famous violinist. "It is not quite so easy as playing the fiddle."

Schoolmaster—Who can tell me what a steward is? Johnny—A steward is a man that does not mind his own business. Schoolmaster—Why, where did you get that idea? Johnny—Well, I looked it up in the dictionary, and it said, "A man who attends to the affairs of others."

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Notice

North Carolina—Martin County.
Personally appeared before me this day James Z. Brown of Jamesville township, Martin County, who enters and lays claim to the following described piece or parcel of land in Jamesville Township, Martin County, N. C., the same being vacant and unappropriated land and subject to entry.

The same being about a miles south of Roanoke river and being on the west side of Cabin Swamp, bounded as follows, viz:

Beginning at a gum in Cabin Swamp at James Z. Brown's corner, thence up Cabin Swamp to the Roanoke Railroad and Lumber Company's, formerly the J. and W. R. R. Co.'s line, thence Westward along said line to James Z. Brown's line thence North to degrees east to the beginning, containing 50 acres more or less.

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J. Z. BROWN, Applicant.

W. C. Manning, Register of Deeds for Office, Entry Taken, Entry No. 208, 9-4-4

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This notice is required by law and I shall expect the people to meet me and settle their taxes and save the trouble and expense of forcing collections.

	Friday,	October, 11, 1907
Goose Nest,	Saturday,	" 12, "
Hamilton,	Tuesday,	" 15, "
Hassell,	Thursday,	" 17, "
V. R. Taylor's Store	Saturday,	" 19, "
Gold Point,	Tuesday,	" 22, "
Parne'e,	Wednesday,	" 23, "
Everetts,	Friday,	" 25, "
Bear Grass,	Saturday,	" 26, "
Robersonville		" 29, "
Griffins, Davie Hardison's Mill		" 31, "
Williams, Ben Gray's Store,	Friday,	November 1, "
Dardens,	Saturday,	" 2, "
Jamesville,		

Very respectfully,

J. C. CRAWFORD,

Sheriff of Martin County

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10-1-41 MARTHA NICHOLS, Executrix.

Notice

By virtue of authority vested in us by an order entered in a special proceeding pending in the Superior Court of Martin County entitled Watson, Walker et als ex parte we shall sell to the highest bidder for cash on November 4, 1907 at 12m at the Court House door the following described property, to-wit:

One house and lot lying and being in the town of Jamesville adjoining the lands of Dr. Hassell and Thomas Gray and known as the Hane property, being in the western part of the town, being the house wherein Amy Jarvis died and Joseph Walker resides, containing one half acre.

This September 25, 1907.

WHEELER MARTIN,
S. J. EVERETT,
Commissioners.

10-4-41

Notice

Having qualified as administrators upon the estate of John E. Peel, deceased late of Martin County, N. C. this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of the said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned on or before the 25th day of October 1908, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.

This the 25th day of October 1907.
W. H. & Sylvester Peel, Adms.,
11-25-61

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