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Weather Predictions—Chief Moore, Washington, D. C., 10:30 o'clock. Generally fair to-night and Thursday.

Tomorrow's Sun.

The sun rises tomorrow at 5, 8 o'clock and sets at 7, 4 o'clock. The polls will be open between these hours.

Temperature and Rainfall.

The temperature yesterday was 88 maximum and 70 minimum.

The rainfall during the month just closed was 2.56 inches against 8 1/2 for July 1899.

River News.

There was 3 1/2 feet of water in the Cape Fear at 8 o'clock this morning. The Driver came up from Wilmington yesterday evening and cleared on her return trip this morning. The Hurt will be up this evening.

Marriage Licenses.

During the month past the Register of Deeds granted 23 marriage licenses—13 to whites and 10 to colored couples. The last one was issued late last night as follows: Mr. J. J. Bowden, age 23, to Miss C. J. Bolton, age 26, both of Quewhiffle township.

Fort Rearrested.

Thomas Fort, who recently failed to appear at trial on a charge of carrying a concealed weapon, and who is also out on bond for attempted criminal assault, was arrested at Hope Mills this morning and brought here and lodged in jail. He is quite sick and was driven from the train to the jail accompanied by his mother.

LOCAL POLITICAL NOTES.

The Last of the Speakings.

I. A. Murchison, Esq., spoke at Mt. Tabor last night and gave a division of time to Mr. J. C. Bain, one of the Fusion leaders. There was a large crowd present, including a number of Populists and Republicans, who witnessed the severe drubbing Mr. Murchison gave their champion, with unconcealed chagrin.

Capt. J. H. Currie spoke to a most enthusiastic audience at Beasley's Gin last night and made such a telling speech that it won over Mr. Beasley, one of the most prominent anti-amendment citizens of that neighborhood, who publicly announced his change of faith.

Messrs. J. H. Myrover and B. T. McBryde went to Hope Mills last night expecting to have a joint discussion with Fox Person, the notorious Fusion orator, but Fox did not turn up. The Hope Mills band and the crowd were there, however, and the speaking went on right merrily. Both Mr. Myrover and Mr. McBryde made stirring speeches and aroused their auditors, and there were several hundred, to a high pitch of enthusiasm. Mr. James H. Johnson was present and made a vigorous little speech against the amendment, but which was utterly without logic or reason.

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No New Developments In Chinese Affairs.

Minister Wu Has Another Message.

The Advance Said to Have Begun.

Twenty-Four Anarchists Arrested for King Humbert's Assassination—Mr. Wolcott Accepts the Ambassadorship—A Likely English Story.

Ambassador to Italy.

By telegraph to the Observer. Washington, August 32.—Ex-Gov. Wolcott has accepted the ambassadorship to Italy.

An English Story.

By cable to the Observer. Pretoria, August 1.—A proclamation issued by President Kruger says that Gen. Roberts has retreated south of the Vaal river and that Pretoria is surrounded by Boers. He adds that Lady Roberts made her escape in a balloon.

Seized the Property.

By cable to the Observer. Managua, August 1.—The Government of Nicaragua has taken possession of the property of the Maritime Canal Company and removed the company's cars to the interior from Graytown, under article 31, of the concession.

The King at Rome.

By cable to the Observer. Rome, August 1.—The King and his Queen Helena arrived early this morning and proceeded to Monza, where they will arrive this evening. The ministers met their majesties at the railway station.

Charles H. Hoyt.

By telegraph to the Observer. Hartford, Conn., August 1.—Playwright Chas. H. Hoyt who has been confined in a sanitarium here, was ordered released today by Judge Freeman, who directs that he be given over into the hands of his friends, to be transferred to the care of such physicians as they may select.

Wu Has Another Message.

By telegraph to the Observer. Washington, August 1.—Minister Wu took a message to the State Department this morning which he received last night and which he says confirms the reports received yesterday of the safety of the foreign ministers at Peking, and deals with the measures taken by the Chinese government to insure their protection.

Twenty-Four Suspects Arrested.

By cable to the Observer. Rome, August 1.—Twenty-four persons have been arrested as confederates of the assassin Bressi. One is Teresa B. Rognoli and was captured at Prato. He is believed to be the one who wrote the letter to Bressi from New York asking: "Is all ready." Six were arrested in Prato also, the rest in Milan.

It Was a Vast Anarchist Conspiracy.

Proofs have been obtained by the police that Bressi arrived from America in company with the anarchists Laner, Sassi and Quintavalle, went first to Paris, where they had a conference with other members of the international society. The death of King Humbert was decided upon at Patterson, N. J., and was confirmed at the Paris conference. Humbert was designated as the first victim because Italy had taken the initiative at the anti-Anarchist congress. Bressi was to kill the King at Monza, but failing a good opportunity there, the others were to

watch for a second chance at Ivrea, near Turin, where they have been arrested. Quintavalle when arrested at Capolineri had a photograph of five anarchists each bearing words indicating a particular crime he was to be responsible for. He also had six daggers. He also had a letter in his possession giving a rendezvous at Florence.

Advance on Peking.

By cable to the Observer. London, August 1.—It is announced in a News Agency bulletin dated Shanghai today that the allies began the advance on Peking this morning. It is assumed that Americans, British and Japanese are taking part in this movement, whether the other nations are doing so or not. The advance base will be established probably twenty or thirty miles nearer Peking, where supplies will be assembled preparatory to a direct stroke at the capital.

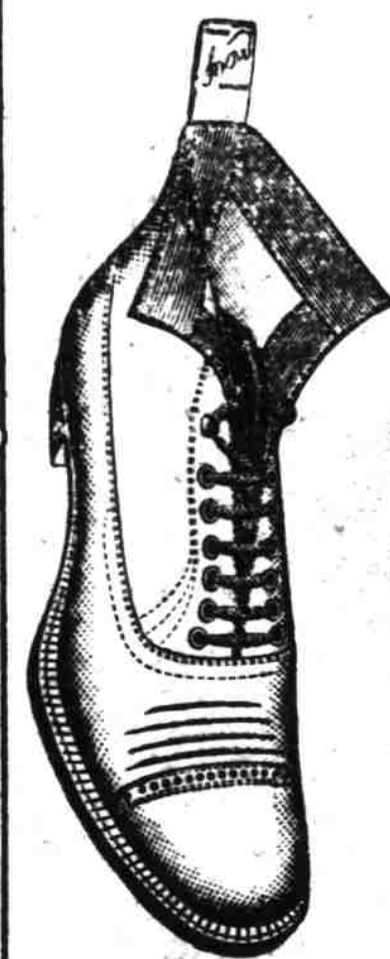
Getting Ready to Advance.

Tien Tsin, July 27, via Shanghai, Aug. 1.—The Japanese commander said tonight that the Japanese were preparing to establish an advanced base almost immediately, by means of the capture of Yangtsun. They will probably do this in three days. The latest news received from Peking increases the desire for a forward movement to be quickly made. The Japanese report fifteen thousand Chinese between Peitsang and Yang Tsun, well entrenched. The Russians are preparing for an advance and their transportation is almost ready. The Americans are organizing a cart train. The Japanese are preparing junks to supplement their pack trains. The British are organizing both a cart and junk service. The Fourteenth U. S. infantry arrived here today. Gen. Caselee came today and said that as soon as he had time to learn the situation he would be prepared to advance. Many documents have been found in the city showing that the Taotai and Viceroy actively supported the attacks on the foreigners and encouraged and liberally paid the Boxers.

For burns, injuries, piles and skin diseases use DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. It is the original. Counterfeits may be offered. Use only DeWitt's. King Bros.

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Special Sale of Embroidery.

We have placed on sale our entire stock of

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We have made two tables and have two prices.

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Consists of all Embroideries sold at 18c, 20c, 23c, 25c, 30c, 35c and 38c a yard. Your choice on table No. 2 at

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Our great lever of cut prices has been applied. This advertisement will be interesting reading to careful buyers.

Read the Story Below.

Over 100 ladies' Oxford Ties in Tan and Black genuine kid tops and solid leather bottoms, about all sizes. They are \$1, \$1.19, \$1.25 and \$1.39 per pair, closing out prices 79c a pair. 100 Negligee Shirts—some Lion brand shirts in the lot. The prices were 50c, 75c and \$1 each. Closing out prices 39c each. Don't believe you have ever been offered such in Negligee Shirts. 100 Men's Straw Hats—all this season's shapes—new and up-to-date. Were 50c, 75c and \$1 each. Closing out price 44c each. About 100 Children's wide brim Sailor Hats and Boys' Straw Hats that were 25c, 35c and 50c each; for this sale 19c each. About 50 ladies' Lace Striped Lawn and Pink and Dimity Shirt Waists that were \$1; to close out 75c each. Get what you want of above goods before they are picked over.

M. F. Crawford & Co.

Wood's New Crop Turnip Seed.

According to our custom our order was postponed until certain of getting

New Crop Seed.

which were not received until yesterday.

Being sole agents for T. W. Wood & Sons at this place we buy direct from them and carry a full assortment.

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Turnips get the

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