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25 CENTS A MONTH

GARCIA'S FUNERAL

Services in St. Patrick's Church Today

LARGELY ATTENDED

Cuban Delegation Escort the Body of Their Dead Chief--United States Senator as Honorary Pall Bearer.

By Telegraph to the Times-Visitor. WASHINGTON, Dec. 13.—The funeral of General Calixto Garcia was held at ten o'clock this morning from St. Patrick's Roman Catholic church. The body was borne from the Hotel on a caisson, draped with American and Cuban flags, and escorted by batteries K and E Fifth and Sixth United States Artillery. Carriages followed with members of the Cuban Commission, members of the Cuban delegation in New York, other prominent Cubans and others, preceded by the Fourth Artillery band. Young Captain Garcia was the only mourner. He was supported by two Cuban friends. The honorary pall bearers were: Secretary of State Hay, Major General Miles, General Shafter, General Wheeler, General Lawton, General Ludlow and Senators Proctor, of Vermont, Thurston, of Nebraska, Money, of Mississippi, Mason, of Illinois, and Hon. John R. Proctor. The Cuban relief commission attended in a body.

TERRIBLE EXPLOSION.

Miners are Entombed and Cannot be Rescued. By Cable to the Times-Visitor. POTEAU, I. T., Dec. 13.—A terrible explosion at mine number 2 of the Indiana and Railway Coal Company occurred last night and five men were killed. Many were buried in the shaft. Over one hundred men were in the mine at the time and only half of this number are yet accounted for. There is little hope of rescuing the entombed miners. The explosion rent the subways asunder.

HEAVY SNOW.

By Telegraph to the Times-Visitor. CLEVELAND OHIO, Dec. 13.—Trains are arriving from one to two hours late owing to the heavy snow and high winds.

HARMLESS DUEL.

By Cable to the Times-Visitor. PARIS, Dec. 13.—Antide Boyer, Socialist Deputy, and Delerode, Revisionist Deputy, fought a harmless duel with pistols today at Tour de Villebon, near Meudon.

BLISS WILL RESIGN.

By Telegraph to the Times-Visitor. WASHINGTON, Dec. 13.—It is very probable that Secretary Bliss, of the Interior Department, will resign within a short time. He has had this step under consideration for some time, deeming that he should be free to devote more time to his business.

AN EXPLOSION.

By Cable to the Times-Visitor. ST. PETERSBURG, Dec. 13.—By the explosion of a shell at Fort Constantine, in Cronstadt, today, nine soldiers were killed and three officers and seven soldiers were wounded.

LAW FOR CHOATE.

By Telegraph to the Times-Visitor. WASHINGTON, Dec. 13.—Seth Low and Senator Platt of New York, called on President McKinley today. Low would not state the object of his visit, but it is understood that he endorsed Choate for Ambassador to Britain.

HARCOURT RESIGNED.

By Cable to the Times-Visitor. LONDON, Dec. 13.—The London News says that Harcourt has resigned, or is about to resign, the leadership of the Liberal party in the House of Commons, owing to dissatisfaction with the present state of affairs within the party.

Jane Udley, colored, who hails from Barton's Creek township, came to Raleigh and filled up with beer and became unruly, causing a breach of the peace. She fell into Constable Potter's hands and Judge Roberts, after hearing the case gave her a severe reprimand and let her return home to raise the costs of her arrest and trial.

The next attraction at the Academy of Music will be "Nancy Hanks," in which that famous artist, Frank Tannehill, appears as the star. This is one of the most really enjoyable entertainments this community will have this season.

MYSTERIOUSLY KILLED?

Prominent Norfolk Man Dead In Brooklyn

WAS SHOT TWICE

The Body of Henry Walke, President of Virginia Club, Found Near the Clifton Place in Brooklyn by Passers By.

By Telegraph to the Times-Visitor. NEW YORK, Dec. 13.—Henry Walke, director of the Norfolk National Bank, and at the head of the large hardware supply house doing a tremendous business with the government navy yard in furnishing supplies, also president of the Virginia Club at Norfolk, and a prominent man socially was found dead in a lonely arway at the Adelphi Academy, near the Clifton Place, St. James Place, in Brooklyn this morning.

When found he had a bullet in his heart, another in his temple and a pistol in his hand. He was a guest at the Waldorf-Astoria hotel, where he is well known.

His body was discovered by passers-by. No cause has been discovered yet for the affair.

FROM OUT THE BOWERY.

Our new Constable, J. E. Potter, had his first experience with Bovey society yesterday evening. Two sisters, Mag and Dump Brooks, of Senegambian descent, had an altercation over house rent, and Judge Roberts issued a proper process for them appear for making an affray for the breach of the peace, and placed it in the hands of Constable Potter. The officer visited the Bowery and with the two colored female defendants and five or six colored female witnesses paraded to Judge Roberts' office, where an examination was had resulting in showing that after hot words over which should pay rent for their habitation on Pink Row, Dump seized a fork and Mag flung stones, while both called the other ugly names. Judge Roberts required each to pay a fine and one-half the costs, with the advice not to appear in his court again or a more severe penalty will be given them.

FEDERAL COURT.

Uncle Sam's Court is still holding forth in the government building. The trial of the famous safe crackers will not be begun before Thursday, it was announced today. Among the cases disposed of today were:

W. F. Judd, illicit distilling, fined \$100 and sent to jail for 30 days.

John McLean of Richmond county, for stealing articles from a postoffice. He was fined \$100 and ordered confined in the Richmond county jail for one year.

A verdict of not guilty was entered in the cases against the following for violating the revenue laws: M. A. Warwick, J. B. Brown, Dewitt Perry, John Beckwith and Julie Bradshaw.

TODAY IN CONGRESS.

Resolutions of Inquiry Consume time in the House.

By Telegraph to the Times-Visitor. WASHINGTON, Dec. 13.—The House of Representatives has passed a bill for the relief of American seamen.

Representative Hay, of Virginia, reported a resolution of inquiry requesting the Secretary of War to furnish the House with an estimate of the number of troops requisite to garrison the Philippines, Cuba, Porto Rico, etc., and the resolution passed.

Chairman Hill, of Illinois, reported from the Committee on Foreign Affairs, the resolution of inquiry relating to the alleged outrage of American citizens in China, which was passed.

On motion of Congressman Grout, of Vermont, the House went into Committee of Whole to consider the District of Columbia appropriation bill.

Senator Morrill's bill for the purchase of a site for the new Supreme Court building passed the Senate.

Senator Pascoe, of Florida, is securing the passage of a bill for the relief of homestead settlers in Florida.

D. A. COVINGTON DEAD.

David A. Covington, one of Monroe's best citizens and one of the State's foremost lawyers, died at 2 o'clock this morning of Bright's disease, after an illness of some weeks, says today's Charlotte Observer.

Mr. Covington was 46 years old. He leaves a wife and several children. He has represented his county in the Legislature, been mayor of his town, and in all things enjoyed the confidence and honor of his fellow men. He was under Cleveland's last administration Assistant United States District Attorney for the Western North Carolina District.

Mr. J. W. Bailey, Mr. N. B. Broughton, Dr. A. M. Simms, Dr. J. W. Carter and Mr. R. M. Furman returned from Greenville today.

BANISH AGUINALDO

Herald Correspondent in Philippines Writes

AMERICAN TO RULE

Only the Lowest Type of the Filipinos Oppose the United States--25,000 American Troops Would be Sufficient.

By Telegraph to the Times-Visitor. NEW YORK, Dec. 13.—The New York Herald representative in the Philippines has carefully investigated and ascertained the feeling of the Filipinos towards the Americans, and what the naval military officers want and comes to the conclusion that a regime should be established.

This correspondent visited the provinces and found the rebel forces well armed. Only the lowest type of natives are opposed to American rule, and the same element is opposed to any form of legitimate government. After an apprehensive glance the correspondent is convinced that it is impossible for this government to recognize the native republic. The peacefully disposed Filipinos are disgusted, and request that Aguinaldo, the leader, be compelled to withdraw.

In military and naval circles of the American force here it is held that a decisive blow ought to be struck and American rule established gradually firmly. Twenty-five thousand men with modern artillery would be sufficient to disband the rebels.

PROCLAMATION TO FILIPINOS.

By Telegraph to the Times-Visitor. WASHINGTON, Dec. 13.—A cabinet meeting was held today, preceding the visit of President McKinley to Atlanta and other Southern point. The cabinet discussed several important matters, one of which was a proclamation addressed to the Filipinos. The proclamation is couched in similar terms to that issued to the people of Eastern Cuba after the Santiago campaign. Liberal self-government is promised the Filipinos provided they lay down their arms and prepare to resume peaceful occupations in conjunction with the United States authorities in their effort to restore peace and quiet on the islands. The United States will provide a military government for the islands, pending the moment; it may become possible to establish a stable civil government. The proclamation will be made public this afternoon and will be cabled to Manila for publication throughout the islands.

SEASON OF OPERA.

An Opportunity for Raleigh to Secure Famous Andrews Opera Company. Manager R. C. Rivers has an offer of the celebrated Andrews Opera company for a short season of one or two nights in the week of December 19th.

The engagement depends upon securing an advance subscription sale of two tickets each at \$3 per book, thus making a 75 cent wholesale rate to subscribers only, which entitles the holder to first choice of the \$1 seats one day before the general sale opens.

The Andrews Opera Company has made rapid strides into public favor during the past ten years, and now ranks as one of the very finest operatic organizations in America, and their repertoire contains such operas as Martha, Cavalleria Rusticana, Faust, Marianna, Fra Diavolo, The Moor's Bride, etc., etc., which in itself assures delightful performances.

The company carries a complete double cast of principals, enabling them to present both grand and comic opera equally well. Mr. George Andrews, baritone, Miss Myra French, prima donna soprano; Mr. Frank Walters, tenor; Miss Carrie Godfrey, contralto; Miss Julia Gerity, soprano; Miss Majorie Evans, contralto; T. J. Johnson, basso; Wm. Howard, baritone; Frank Deshon, and C. A. Parker, comedians; is a partial list of the company's principals.

The commutation books are transferable, the tickets good detached, and in fact are made use of merely to assure a large audience at the opening performance. Any one wishing to assist in securing this excellent organization for one or two evenings should call and sign the list at King's drug store for the number of commutation books desired.

CHRISTMAS TRADE.

Tomorrow the Times-Visitor will tell the public of Raleigh something about what is to be found in the stores of Raleigh for Christmas presents. We will try to give the people of Raleigh, for this paper reaches the homes of the people, all the aid possible in selecting their Xmas goods. By a study of our advertising columns you will find shopping a pleasant task.

MARSH SENTENCED

Ex-President of Keystone Bank Gets 12 Years

HE BROKE DOWN

Said That His Predecessor Left Over a Million Defalcation and He, Marsh, Never Profitd by the Bank's Loss.

By Telegraph to the Times-Visitor. PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 13.—Gideon W. Marsh, former president of the Keystone National Bank, was this sentenced to twelve years imprisonment. He pleaded guilty to the indictments charging him with conspiracy with Cashier Lawrence for misapplying the funds of the bank and making false reports to the Comptroller of the Currency. Marsh has been a fugitive from justice since 1891.

He would make a statement implicating others, in wrecking the bank, when he was sentenced, but instead he merely informed the court that his predecessor in the presidency of the bank had left a defalcation of over one million and that he, Marsh, had never profitd a dollar through the bank's losses. After making this statement he broke down and was unable to proceed further. He trembled perceptibly when he was sentenced. The expression on his face told plainly that he has expected to receive a lighter punishment than the sentence of twelve years imprisonment which the court imposed.

CHRISTMAS CANTATA.

Uncle Sam and John Bull Will Both Attend the Cantata.

On Friday night, December 25th, the Ladies' Improvement Society of the First Baptist Church will give a Christmas Cantata. Mr. Will Royal will personate the great present dispenser Santa Claus. Mr. Sam Parrish will preside at the piano and Miss Ellen Durham and Miss Bessie Rogers and others will render selections. Of course, on the strength of the anticipated friendly alliance so much talked of Uncle Sam and John Bull have been invited and will be present in their original characters.

It goes without saying that lady managers having this entertainment in charge know just what to do to make it the most enjoyable feature of the holidays, and they want everybody to attend and be happy. There is an object in view in giving this entertainment and a small admission fee will be asked to be announced at another time. Let the Ladies' Improvement Society have a liberal response to their noble efforts to do good, by such a pleasant and enjoyable entertainment as only they can give.

FAIR AND COLDER.

The weather bureau predicts for Raleigh and vicinity: Fair, colder tonight and Wednesday.

The forecast for North Carolina sent out from Washington is as follows: Fair tonight and Wednesday, preceded by showers on the coast; cold wave; fresh to brisk northwest winds.

The storm has moved from the east Lake region to the New England coast, with small amounts of precipitation in the eastern States. The weather has cleared everywhere except at a few scattered points in the South Atlantic States and Ohio Valley.

An extensive area of high barometer occupies the Mississippi Valley and entire west, with clear, very cold weather. The lowest temperature is 18 degrees below zero at Huron. Freezing temperatures prevail over all except the Southern States.

MATTHEW ALLEN HAMILTON.

The Baltimore Sun is chronicling the death of Mr. Hamilton, which was announced in the Times-Visitor yesterday, says:

"Mr. Matthew Allen Hamilton died yesterday morning at his home, 142 West Lanville street, after an illness of several months. Mr. Hamilton was a son of the late Dr. Andrew Hamilton, of County Londonderry, Ireland, where he was born sixty-three years ago. He came to Baltimore when a young man and entered the warehouse of the late James George, on Frederick street. He succeeded Mr. George and continued the business until his death. Mr. Hamilton was formerly an active member of the Chamber of Commerce but of recent years gave his entire time to the storage and commission business. He was a director of the Maryland Savings Bank. For many years Mr. Hamilton served as warden and vestryman of the Protestant Episcopal Church of the Ascension. He was also treasurer of the Protestant Episcopal Brotherhood of the Maryland Diocese. A widow and five children survive him."

TWO CELEBRATIONS

Negroes Split About Emancipation Day

LEAK AND YOUNG

Rev. Leak Makes a Sensational Speech and Says Jim Young Wanted to Make a Wilmington of Raleigh

The colored population of Raleigh has split in regard to the celebration of their emancipation day. Rev. Leak and his crowd have engaged Metropolitan Hall while Jim Young and his supporters have the Academy of Music. The negroes are greatly stirred up over the affair and feeling is running high. Each side will strive to get the crowd "Colonel" Young has called another meeting of his crowd for Friday night. If the affair keeps at the present heat a warm time may be expected in Raleigh January second.

Rev. Leak delivered a sermon in St. Paul's A. M. E. church last night in which he declared that Governor Russell was responsible for all the trouble and riot at Wilmington and the negroes are largely responsible for electing Russell.

Rev. Leak said today: "I want to say in the Times-Visitor in connection with my speech last night at St. Paul's church, that Col. Young offered a bill similar to the Wilmington bill to appoint a police commission. We knew that would not do, therefore Col. A. W. Shaffer, Thos. Devereaux, Esq., Maj. J. B. Hill, Col. John Nichols and myself fought the bill and succeeded in defeating it, hence peace in Raleigh between the races, while death and misery reign in Wilmington. Gov. Russell is the cause of it all."

The following communication was sent from the Leak crowd today with the request for publication:

Raleigh, N. C., Dec. 13, 1896.

According to mutual agreement, between the two factions a conference was held at 4 p. m. yesterday in the Frapps Building. The following persons were present:

"Peter Cobb, Norfleet Jeffries, Sr., C. A. Hunter, with the following persons invited by them: Frank Debnam, Willis Graves, Rev. W. A. Peggans. Persons attending the second emancipation meeting present: L. B. Capehart, Rev. Leak, Prof. Lyons, C. A. Williams, Prof. Boyer, A. G. Davis, and John Branch, invited. Prof. Lyons was elected chairman of the conference. On motion Rev. J. E. King was nominated as vice-president for Emancipation Day. Upon this a discussion arose, and the demand was made that the program arranged by the following persons at the first meeting: W. B. Hunter, C. N. Hunter, Peter Cobb, Joe Braam and Norfleet Jeffries, Sr., be adopted as a whole. During the discussion Col. Jas. H. Young sent in for his followers, whereupon Norfleet Jeffries, Sr., Peter Cobb and Frank Debnam took their hats and left. Prof. C. N. Hunter remained a while then went out and saw Young and returned and reported that Colonel Young had concluded to call the third meeting Friday night of this week. The following persons were elected to serve, in case the present officers refuse to serve: Rev. J. E. King, president; J. H. Branch, Treasurer; W. M. Graves, Secretary.

"We further say we selected six of the persons elected by the first meeting for the sake of harmony, but they (three of the five of the first meeting) wanted all or none, for they claimed that the thirty-five of the second meeting are Democrats. We claim that "a negro is a negro, Democrat, Populist or Republican, all have a right to the celebration, hence our salvation celebration on January 2, 1897, at Metropolitan Hall at 12 m."

"We therefore invite all our colored citizens and visitors of Raleigh and Wake county, who want friendly relationship between the races to continue to exist, to attend this, our thirty-sixth anniversary at Metropolitan Hall."

So far as the merits of the case are concerned this paper has nothing to do and does not propose to enter into the matter.

THE NEW BLIND ASYLUM AT RALEIGH.

Mr. Frank P. Milburn goes to Raleigh this morning to receive the Blind Asylum. The State's handsome new building is now completed. Mr. Milburn is the architect, and it was from his plans that the building was erected. The structure cost \$24,500. It is thoroughly modern. It has fire-proof hallways and iron staircases, so that in the case of fire the children can escape uninjured by the flames, and it is heated with steam. The basement is arranged for a play room. The building is new in design and is a splendid addition to the State's many handsome buildings.—Charlotte Observer.

LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

Familiar Faces in the Passing Through

SHORT STATEMENTS

Movement of People You Know—Gleanings in and About the City—Street Gossip.

Mr. W. C. Petty, of Carthage, is in the city.

Seven negro convict were sent to the Tillery farm today.

A meeting of the Capitol Hose Company will be held tonight at 8 o'clock.

Only about three weeks before the Legislature meets.

Christmas trade is on the boom in Raleigh now.

Some of Raleigh's best weather sages are predicting snow for tonight.

Mr. Vanderbilt, editor of the Polk County News, is in the city and will make his home here until the Legislature adjourns.

Miss Vivienne Strong returns this week after an absence of some months, says the Atlanta Journal.

Dr. Samuel Martin died at his home in Winston Sunday. He was the father of Mrs. Charles D. Melver.

Dony Prendergast was sent to jail in default of \$100 by Mayor Powell yesterday for shooting at Tiny Smith.

Miss McDaniel, Mrs. Colton, Miss Eleanor Vass and Mr. William W. Vass left today for New York city.

The Raleigh and Augusta Air Line is straightening its rack near Moncure, where there are some troublesome curves.

Mr. James Tufts, the millionaire owner of Parkhurst, and his wife passed through Raleigh yesterday on their way to Pinehurst to spend the winter.

The State Treasurer's statement for the past two years was given out tonight. It shows receipts last year \$1,308,691, and for this year \$1,337,552. Disbursements for last year \$1,294,725, and this year \$1,254,592; penitentiary earnings last year \$134,516, this year \$94,942.

Judge Melver left this morning for his home at Carthage. His term as Judge expired with the court held here. He has been on the bench for eight years. He was a fine jurist and a host of the best wishes of a host of admiring friends.—Whitson Sentinel.

The Shipp monument committee will meet at 5 p. m. this evening at Col. Keenan's office. Messrs. W. H. Day, R. T. Gray, T. T. Hoy, J. W. Bailey, T. S. Keenan, A. B. Andrews, H. W. Jackson and C. H. Bevin are the members of the committee.

The finance committee of the State Board of Agriculture met today to examine the accounts and the Secretary's books. The present board will hold its final session at 4:30 this afternoon. This is the regular semi-annual session and will be the last meeting of the present members of the board.

Jim Young, Colonel of the Third North Carolina Regiment, was here last night. This morning he and E. A. Johnson, J. J. Worlds, Frank Debnam and several others left for Oxford to attend the session of the Grand Lodge of Colored Masons there. Jim says the Third Regiment is well behaved. He does not know when they will leave Macon, Ga., for Cuba.

A Greensboro woman has opened a day nursery and appeals to all mothers who are inconvenienced by being compelled to leave their children at home to bring them to the nursery, where "the best motherly and christian care will be given them by a loving and christian mother." Hours for admittance are 6 a. m. to 8 a. m.; the fee five cents a day for every child left. Hours of closing are 6 p. m. to 8 p. m.

The Portsmouth Star says: "The steam yacht Sybilla, Capt. Hall, arrived here yesterday afternoon from the North Carolina ducking grounds round about Cape Hatteras. She encountered three severe storms and, although she came near losing a number of her crew overboard, rode through safely. Her owner, John F. Betz, Jr., the millionaire Philadelphia brewer, and a party of six are aboard. They had excellent sport, and the rails and yards of the yacht are strung with upwards of 1,000 ducks, brant and swan, besides several deer."

The members of the Olive Pecker crew who turned Sate's evidence against Anderson, have been released from the Norfolk jail, where they have been confined since Anderson's trial more than a year ago. Each received pay for the time of incarceration at \$1.00 per day.