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25 CENTS A MONTH

CARELESS SMOKER.

Oldest Play House in County Damaged by Fire.
BOSTON, April 13.—The Boston Museum, the oldest play house in the city, was badly damaged by fire this morning. The fire was caused by careless smoker. The loss is eighty thousand. Several firms were also damaged by the war.

DETECTIVE A MURDERER.

He Shoots Persecutively in a Saloon.
BROOKLYN, April 13.—Detective Doyle shot and killed Martin Carey in Spohrs saloon at Williamsburg this morning. He also shot and seriously wounded August Miller. Another shot missed its intended victim. The woman accompanied Doyle, who had been drinking, when the victim was trying to eject him.

MOLINEUX CLUE.

NEW YORK, April 13.—Captain McCluskey announced this morning that he had a letter from Molineux, one in a batch of ten thousand purchased from Dr. James Burns, formerly of Columbus avenue, New York, now in the Hodges building Detroit, ordering the remedy. The letter paper contained the silver crescent at the top the same as on some of Barnett letters.

EWART APPOINTED

A TELEGRAM WAS RECEIVED IN THIS CITY THIS AFTERNOON ANNOUNCING THAT PRESIDENT M'KINLEY HAS APPOINTED JUDGE EWART AGAIN AS JUDGE OF THE WESTERN FEDERAL COURT OF NORTH CAROLINA. THE APPOINTMENT WAS MADE TODAY IN SPITE OF THE GOVERNOR'S OPPOSITION.

OFF FOR NEW YORK

Raleigh's Representatives Select Route and Leave Tomorrow

Arrangements are now complete for the "Raleigh." Welcome Committee to visit New York. The party will leave tomorrow morning at 11:15 on the Seaboard Air Line going by the Cape Charles route. They refused to accept the special rate of \$18.50 and will pay straight fare which is \$20.50 good for thirty days. Any citizen who can go will be welcomed in the party. Messrs. Jesse Ball, M. Rosenthal and H. H. Crocker of the party will leave tonight at 2:15.

The following telegram was received this morning:

New York, April 13, 1899.

C. C. McDonald, Chairman, Raleigh, N. C.

The Raleigh is expected to arrive here Saturday afternoon. You can secure your accommodations aboard the committee boat by applying at the Mayor's office on Saturday morning but notify me today of the number of people in your party.

ALFRED M. DOWNS.

Chairman McDonald replied saying that the party would include twenty-five. Leaving here tomorrow at 11:15 they will arrive in New York at 7 a. m. Saturday. All the gentlemen who intend going are requested to get their credentials from Mayor Powell immediately. These will be necessary.

SUITS BROUGHT

Many Suits Being Instituted in Superior Court.

Besides the suit with Dr. D. H. Abbott brought against Mr. E. C. Beddingfield late last evening for the place as railroad commissioner, summons were today issued in several other suits which will be begun at the April term of the Wake county Superior court. They are as follows:

Sallie Mitchell administratrix of Jim Mitchell, against the Raleigh Electric Company. Jim Mitchell is the negro who was killed while working for the Bell Telephone Company on Blount street near Newbern avenue.

Mr. C. F. Fowers through his attorneys, Messrs. Beckwith, Douglas and Simms, also instituted suit for damages to machinery against the Raleigh Water Company for a large sum. The other suit by him against the water company is in a magistrate's court while the amount of this suit necessitated its being brought in the Superior court.

Mrs. Ava M. Creel also had summons issued in a suit for divorce against Mr. John R. Creel.

Clerk of the Court Russ and his efficient deputy, Mr. V. Royser are very busy now preparing for the April court.

KALAPODENCIS.

The Episcopalian diocese of the Kalapodencis will give an entertainment in the auditorium of the Blind Institution, next Tuesday afternoon.

Some of the best musical talent of the city will take part, and the evening will be made a delightful one. A voluntary silver collection will be taken at the door, and the proceeds will be donated to the Baptist Female University. The music loving people of the city are cordially invited to attend. The entertainment will be closed with a grand cake walk led by Dr. J. M. Ayer.

Mr. B. C. Rivers left today for New York city, where he will book some high class attractions for Raleigh next season.

COMMISSION TO SAIL

Germany Orders Von Sternberg to Samoa

GERMAN VIEW

If Germany Resists to Critical Point England and the United States Will Address Her a Joint Note.

WASHINGTON, April 13.—The statement was made this morning that German embassy Von Sternberg is appointed as the German member of the Samoan commission and is making preparations to leave Washington. It is hoped the commission will be ready to sail April 19th as planned. This disposes of the apparent uncertainty at the German foreign office that Von Sternberg will be ordered to Berlin, then to a revocation of the order, again to renewed orders to proceed to the German capital. The latest announcement now made makes it appear that the Kaiser's Government has finally reached an agreement with London and Washington. Of course the commission cannot now sail April 19th, but the statement indicates that soon after it will start for Apia.

GERMANY NOT WEAK-KNEED.

BERLIN, April 13.—Cologne Gazette says that it cannot deny that matters are developing unpleasantly for Germany in Samoa. The extraordinary deeds and words of America, and notably of England, show hostility to Germany. What the government has so far done does not justify suspicion that the government will adopt a weak kneed policy.

AMBASSADOR TALKS.

BERLIN, April 13.—Ambassador White stated today that the German government expressed regret at the occurrence in Samoa and urged the adoption of the unanimity rule and ordered Von Sternberg to sail for Samoa as soon as possible, as his early arrival will prevent further serious bloodshed. This morning Von Buelow informed Ambassador White that an agreement had been reached and the commission can sail without delay.

JOINT NOTE.

LONDON, April 13.—It is authoritatively stated that order will not be restored at Samoa until both Ruffel and Rose withdraw. Great Britain and the United States are not yet diplomatically in concert, but if Germany resists to the critical danger point, joint Anglo-American note will be sent to Von Buelow.

CRUELTY TO ANIMALS.

Mr. A. P. Sullivan was arraigned before Mayor Powell this morning on the charge of cruelty to animals. He was driving a grey mule and whipping the animal every few steps. Blood was upon the hind legs and flanks of the beast. Sullivan, however, proved that the mule injured himself in a barb wire fence before he was lashed up and as the mule was a chronic kicker he only whipped him to break him of his bad habit. The evidence was not such as to authorize the mayor in binding the defendant over the court.

Magistrates should certainly have jurisdiction in cases of cruelty to animals. It is almost impossible to secure conviction when a case is sent on to court.

TONE OF THE MARKETS

CLOSING QUOTATIONS.

Furnished by H. D. White, manager for Paine Murphy & Co., 207 S. Wilmington street.

LIVERPOOL COTTON MARKET.

Liverpool 4 p. m., April 13, '99.—Spots; Dull; quotations bare y supported midling 3 3/4; sales 8,000; American 6,000; Receipts 6,000; American 2,000 speculation and export 500. Fut; opened dull, closed easy.

Close: 3-15b

April and May..... 3-18

June and July..... 3-18b

July and August..... 3-19a

August and September..... 3-19

September and October..... 3-18 1/2

October and November..... 3-18b

November and December..... 3-17 b

December and January..... 3-17 1/2 b

January and February..... 3-17 1/2 b

February and March..... 3-15b

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET.

The following were the closing quotations for the leading stocks:

American Sugar..... 1 1/4

Southwestern R. R. Preferred..... 1 1/4

Pacific Mail..... 5 1/2

R. T. T..... 1 1/4

St. Paul..... 1 1/2

Suburban..... 1 1/4

B. & O..... 1 1/4

American Tobacco..... 2 1/4

Missouri Pacific..... 5 1/2

T. C. I..... 6 1/2

L. & N..... 11 1/2

J. J..... 2 1/2

U. S. Rubber..... 5 1/2

NEW YORK COTTON

Months: Closed 5 1/2 @ 70

April..... 5 1/2 @ 74

May..... 5 1/2 @ 74

June..... 5 1/2 @ 74

July..... 5 1/2 @ 74

August..... 5 1/2 @ 74

September..... 5 1/2 @ 74

October..... 5 1/2 @ 74

November..... 5 1/2 @ 74

December..... 5 1/2 @ 74

Close..... 5 1/2 @ 74

ANOTHER BRUSH

Insurgents Make a Sally on American Camp

MANILA, April 13.—About four o'clock this morning a small body of rebels attacked the camp of the Third artillery from the swamp near Paombon, a mile and a half west of Malolos. Two privates and a lieutenant were killed and two others were wounded. After daylight our forces scoured the district driving the rebels northward and killing several. A Montana private was wounded.

TWO MURDERERS IN JAIL.

Two Men in Jail Here Accused of Murder in Robeson.

This morning Judge Roberts committed to jail Henry McLean and Luther McGill both colored, charged with the killing of a man in Robeson county, named McBrady. The prisoners were arrested by a special officer D. M. McVey who fears the possibility of lynching if returned to Robeson county and they were committed to jail here by Judge Roberts till the authorities in Robeson county can be communicated with.

CRIMINAL INSANE

Hospital Executive Committee Appeal to Treasurer

The executive committee of the directors of the Central Hospital for the Insane met today. After examining accounts they address the following to the State Treasurer: Hon. W. H. Worth, Treasurer North Carolina: Dear Sir: At a meeting of the Directors of the State Hospital at Raleigh, April 5th, the matter of providing for the dangerous insane confined in the penitentiary as provided in section 62 Insane Law of North Carolina, Laws of '99, was discussed and the matter committed to the executive committee.

HOUSE OF MR. FLONNIE WIGGINS ENTERED LAST NIGHT

A plain case of burglary happened in the suburbs of Raleigh last night. There seems to have been no mitigating circumstances connected with it and if the fellow is caught he will doubtless pay the penalty of the crime with his life.

NEW CONSERVATORY BUILDING

It is said that Mr. Duke will sometime in the near future begin the erection of another building for the Southern Conservatory of Music. The building is to occupy the lot east of Main street church which is a very pretty one for the purpose. Though the Southern Conservatory is yet a child as to age, yet so far as business is concerned it has attained the stature of a full fledged man.

QUAY TRIAL

Probability that It Will Only be Well Under Way When Legislature Adjourns.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., April 13.—Counsel on both sides in the trial of Senator Quay and son announced to the court this morning that they had agreed upon a plan regarding the identification of entries in the mass of books which will save considerable time. In pursuance of this plan all the books were brought into court. The indications are that these identifications will go on into next week. It is believed that they will not be over when the legislature adjourns.

BULL FIGHTERS

They Will Appear in Raleigh April 20th—Female Base Ball Team Also.

The famous Mexican Bull Fighters, an eminently Mexican spectacle, consisting of 60 genuine Mexicans, in a true representation of Mexican National Sport, the Bull Fight, will exhibit at Raleigh, April 20th. This is the first tour of this mammoth aggregation in America, therefore this is the first time that the American people have had an opportunity of witnessing in this country this novel, exciting and interesting exhibition. An American Amusement Syndicate conceived the idea of bringing this organization to this country; they have now executed their plans and the result is one of the most original and sensational exhibitions of the age—something new and never before witnessed in this country. The performance requires a mammoth inclosure 1,500 feet in length. Within these walls is a vast arena 300 feet in diameter, around which there is a wire fence 7 feet high, which affords ample protection to the thousands of patrons that visit this, the greatest of modern amusement enterprises.

BLOOMER BALL PLAYERS.

(Journal, Ft. Smith, Ark.)

It was clearly demonstrated here yesterday that women can play ball as well as men, and our base ball club, though unusually good players, were no match to the Boston Bloomer Girls, the latter defeating them on a score of 2 to 1, ten innings being played.

The female ball players, under the management of W. P. Needham, arrived early yesterday morning in their private car from Fayetteville where they won Wednesday's game. The game was called at 3 p. m. During the morning they had inclosed the diamond with a high canvas wall, erected seats and made everything as comfortable as possible.

There was fully 2,000 people when the game was called, and they seemed to enjoy the game fully as much as if they had been watching a league game. The female ball players did some fairly brilliant playing, the pitcher throwing a remarkably good ball, while their fielding and work on the base was exceptionally good.

Mr. Samuel Berwanger is already in New York ready to participate in welcoming the Raleigh.

BASE BALL

State Treasurer Says that Each Game is Taxed

J. H. Wycoff, sheriff of Iredell county, telegraphed the State Treasurer as follows: "Does section fifteen include baseball where admission is charged." Treasurer Worth telegraphed him: "Liable under section fifteen." The following is the text of the section: "Sec. 15. On all companies or persons whatever who exhibit or give entertainment for amusement of the public, for reward or otherwise than is mentioned in the five preceding sections, five dollars for each exhibition or performance. Exhibitions or entertainments given for the sole benefit of religious, charitable or educational objects (shall) be exempt from taxation: Provided, no part or clause of this section shall be so construed as to exempt from taxation persons claiming to be spiritualists or mediums of communications between the material and immaterial worlds and giving public exhibitions: Provided, this section shall not apply to stationary bird shows."

CASE OF BURGLARY

House of Mr. Flonnie Wiggins Entered Last Night

A plain case of burglary happened in the suburbs of Raleigh last night. There seems to have been no mitigating circumstances connected with it and if the fellow is caught he will doubtless pay the penalty of the crime with his life.

RIP VAN WINKLE.

The great production—Rip Van Winkle—which made Joe Jefferson famous was first presented by Jas. K. Hackett in 1840, followed by Chas. Burke, half brother to Joe Jefferson, in 1854, when Samuel W. Glenn in 1856 made the play still more popular by his rendition of the title role, for four years, when under Mr. Glenn's management Joe Jefferson won his reputation. Mr. Glenn's support by a splendid company will present the great emotional drama at the Academy of Music on Friday and Saturday nights, with a matinee Saturday, Asheville, Greensboro and Durham patrons are loud in their praise of the delightful entertainment they enjoyed by Mr. Glenn's rendition of Rip Van Winkle. Tickets are now on sale at King's drug store. Reserved seats 75 cents, general admission 50 cents. Gallry 25 cents. Prices to the matinee are 15 and 25 cents. This engagement is for the benefit of St. Luke's Home for Insurables and it is to be hoped full houses will greet every performance.

NARROW ESCAPE

Negro Attempts to Assault a Pedestrian.

Last night as Mr. George McCullers was returning to the city from the country he had a narrow escape. It was nearly eleven o'clock when he reached the railroad bridge on west South street. A rock as large as a brick was thrown at him striking the board near his head. If the rock had struck him he would probably have been killed. He lodged behind the bank and his assailant ran into the cut. After a tussle the negro was overcome and was forced to go on to the electric light at the corner. He proved to be a young negro about eighteen. A crowd of negroes collected and insisted that the fellow be released and since Mr. McCullers could not make him come with such a crowd opposing he had to release him. The negro could have been thrashed within an inch of his life before he was forced to go on under the electric light, but he passed so pitifully.

HAIR TO THE RALEIGH.

(By M. L. Hyndman, 108 S. 4th St., Philadelphia, Pa.)

There sails a ship across the seas, Lo! how she dances in the breeze, Careering o'er the wave she coaxes; Fly out the banner, sound the drums, 'Tis the Raleigh, Raleigh, Raleigh.

Lo! see her flag that floats on high, The flag that Spain dared to defy, How proud it flashes in the sun, With no star drummed, ah, no, not one. 'Tis the Raleigh, Raleigh, Raleigh.

Lo! see her guns all polished bright, That flashed in great Manila's fight, How roared their brazen throats the day, The Spanish fleet was swept away. The Raleigh, Raleigh, Raleigh.

What forms upon her deck are they, Who stride so bold, in trappings gay, Old Montezco could sadly tell, Who sent that shower of shot and shell. The Raleigh, Raleigh, Raleigh.

Bold Captain Coghan and his crew, Prepare for something more to do, Ten thousand miles (think of thy bliss), Expect from you a hearty kiss, The Raleigh, Raleigh, Raleigh.

And millions of thy countrymen, From every city, plain and glen, Their homage only wait to pay, To ye who fought so well that day, The Raleigh, Raleigh, Raleigh.

Then hail to ship and gallant crew Who duty did, and nobly too, May ages hence record their fame, And ever their great deeds proclaim, The Raleigh, Raleigh, Raleigh.

Mr. M. B. Leard, of Troy, N. Y., is in the city.

FLEET LOOTED

Rebels Take Guns from Spanish Gun Boats

THIRTEEN IN FLEET

The Spanish Gun Boats Captured by Dewey's Fleet and Sold to Reyls Fall Prey to Aguinaldo's Men.

MANILA, April 13.—Francisco Rey, purchaser of the Spanish gun boats at Island Mindanao, has received advices to the effect that the fleet sailed from Manila, but returned a few days later, the vessels having been stripped of their guns and ammunition. The purchaser's agent and the native crews for the vessels are on board the American steamer Batuan and convoy Zamboanga. The United States cruiser Boston instructed the officer of the fleet to wait the arrival there of the gun boat Petrel; but after the Boston sailed the Spaniards transferred the gun boats to the agents of Senor Reyes and the fleet left Zamboanga unescorted. They soon returned deported having been boarded by rebels and looted. There were thirteen gun boats in the fleet.

BUSINESS MANAGER.

Mr. Edgar Womble has Charge of This Department of The Times-Visitor.

Mr. Edgar Womble, having become interested in The Times-Visitor, has assumed the position of business manager.

Mr. Womble will have charge of the subscription lists and advertising business and it is the purpose of the management to make the Times-Visitor even more successful in the future than it has been in the past.

NEARING DURHAM.

Interstate Co. Will Soon Have Connection Between Raleigh and Durham.

The inter-State Telephone Company are now pushing their line from Raleigh to Durham and it will be completed in less than two weeks. The force is now past Cary and will soon have a complete system connecting nearly all the important cities of the State.

LAMP EXPLODED.

Accident Camp Near Burning up the Pest House.

Last night a lamp exploded in the pest house and but for the prompt work of the nurse Peter Scott, assisted by the patients, the building would have been destroyed by fire. Blankets were used and the flames thus extinguished. There are three patients in the house—Carrie Young, Julius Caesar Falcon and Chas. Herndon. They are all doing well. The report has been circulated that Herndon would for Mr. Ed. Denton and others, but this is a mistake. He never worked for any one but his reputation of being an east Raleigh loafer.

HOBART ILL

A Change for Worse and His Condition Alarming

WASHINGTON, APRIL 13.—VICE PRESIDENT HOBART'S CONDITION IS ALARMING. HIS PHYSICIAN AND TWO TRAINED NURSES REMAINED WITH HIM ALL NIGHT. A CHANGE FOR THE WORSE OCCURRED LATE LAST NIGHT AND HE HAS SHOWN NO IMPROVEMENT SINCE.

LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

Familiar Faces From the Passing Through—Items of Note

Treasurer Worth is out again. Mr. Jones Fuller is in the city. Mr. William Harrison is in the city. Mr. Chas. B. Jordan, of Salisbury is at the Yarboro.

Thirty four years ago today Sherman's army entered Raleigh.

Remember that you are liable to a \$25 fine if you have not paid your sanitary license.

Grand Secretary B. H. Woodell has returned.

Mr. Henry Hunicutt is out again after being confined to his home several weeks with the grip.

Mr. C. P. Sapp is kept in his room by sickness.

Mr. I. C. Avery is in the city. Mr. Avery had charge of Col. Olds' correspondence while the latter was in Cuba.

Chairman Frank McNeill, of Wilmington is in town.

Straw hats are slyly making their appearance on the street.

You can let up on Beck Beer and drink hydrant water once again.

Bear in mind Rip Van Winkle appears only Friday and Saturday. Benefit of St. Luke's Home for Insurables.

The street force is putting down curbing on East Davie street from Wilmington to Blodworth.

It is with pleasure that the many friends of Miss Lizzie Hood, who has been seriously ill with pneumonia to learn that she is able to be out again.

The North Carolina and Virginia Missionary Baptist Association (colored) has a movement on foot to establish an industrial and educational institute in either Nansmond, Southampton or Isle of Wight county—Yorkfolk Ledger.

Greensboro Telegram: Mr. Greek O. Andrews, a prominent newspaper man of the State, recently connected with the Raleigh Morning Post, has accepted the editorship of the Havana, Cuba, Herald, and left Saturday night for Havana, to assume his duties.

Madison Dewar and Ben Womble, both colored, were committed to jail last evening by Judge Roberts for trial before him Saturday, the latter upon two charges, one for assault with deadly weapon, the other carrying concealed a deadly razor.

There is much complaint of begging by grown men black and white at night. We have been told of frequent cases where these solicitors of charity limous will knock at the back doors of residences after work. Such characters are vagrants and should be arrested.

The Arnold-Wellis Players will appear all next week at the Academy of Music at popular prices under the management of Messrs. Bonner and Fann, the net proceeds a benefit for the employes of the Academy.

A NIGHT OF FUN.

Black Patti and her troubadours had a splendid house last night and gave a splendid entertainment. The colored people had the entire gallery and before the show opened Manager Rivers was compelled to cease selling tickets for that portion of the house. There was a well pleased audience and the entertainment was an agreeable surprise to all. The singing was excellent, the dancing splendid, the stage sitting admirable and costumes attractive. The grand cake walk was immense. Black Patti herself maintained her well earned name as a singer. In fact everyone seemed well pleased. Next season the company will spend six weeks in the South and will make a booking for Raleigh.

RALEIGH STOCK MARKET.

QUOTED BY GRIMES AND VASS.

RALEIGH, April 13, 1899.

BONDS.

North Carolina 6s Bid. 131 Asked.

North Carolina 4s 102 1/2

City of Raleigh 6s — —

Wake County 5s — —

Southern Ry. 1st 5s 107 1/2

W. N. C. R. R. 1st 6s 119 —

Ga. & A. R. Prof. 5s 102 1/2

" " Console 10 1/2 10 1/2

Ga. Car. & North 1s. 6s — 103

Carolina Central 4s — —

Rail Water Co 6s 103 100

Albemarle & Ches. — —

Canal Co. 1st 7s — 104

STOCKS.

North Carolina R. R. 153 1/2

Seaboard & Roanoke — —

Raleigh & Gaston — —

Raleigh & Augusta 20 80

Durham & North'n 45 52

Southern Ry. Prof. 50 50 1/2

" " Common 12 —

Mechanics Dime — —