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Results in Unfortunate Delay in Publishing Laws.

Druggists' Liquor Tax. Assembly at Raleigh. Delay Will be Quickly Taken. Cotton Mill Dividend. Public School Letter.

Great inconvenience will be caused by the delay in publishing the laws of the last General Assembly and in other printing. John Julian, who is arranging the captions of, and annotating and indexing the new laws, says that Edwards and Bronghton will not do any of the heavier and most important printing until their suit with Barnes Bros. is decided. It will be April before the fight is made on the printing. Barnes Bros. have made a statement of their position in the matter.

The North Carolina insane laws have been published and will be distributed at once. The Secretary of State is sending these laws, together with certificates to the clerks in all the counties of the appointment of magistrates, to all parts of the State.

The statement is made by Treasurer Worth that under the new revenue law the sheriff, instead of the State Treasurer, collects the druggists' liquor tax. In towns of 500 inhabitants or less the tax is \$25, and in larger towns than this the tax is \$50. The Teachers Assembly will be held at Morehead City if the owners of the Atlantic Hotel can procure a railroad rate of 1 cent a mile, which they think will be given both by the Southern and the Atlantic & North Carolina railroads. This is by the authority of Superintendent Melham.

Capitalists in several northern cities are proposing to take the bond issue of \$110,000 in parcels or as a whole. One large and well known firm has offered 1.06 for the entire issue. It is now believed that the \$110,000 will hardly cover the indebtedness of the State's prison. The executive committee report that the books of the former management indicate additional debts and that it will not be possible to ascertain before a week's time exactly how the institution stands financially.

The cotton mills of Raleigh are in a highly prosperous condition. The Carnegie mills have declared a dividend payable April 1st of 4 per cent on the preferred stock and 8 per cent on the common stock.

The West Raleigh Baptist church extended a call to Rev. T. H. Leavitt of Fayetteville to the pastorate of that church. Mr. Leavitt has now accepted the call and he is expected in Raleigh probably this week or early next week. Hamrick has formally given up his office of Labor Commissioner and R. B. Long has taken possession.

Superintendent Melham has sent out the following circular letter: "To the County Supervisors: The manuscript of the public school law and notes thereon were placed in the hands of the public printer on March 15th, but owing to law suits injunctions, &c., have no assurance as to a definite

THE OLD WAY.

Of Treating Dyspepsia and Indigestion by Ejecting a Dangerous and Useless one.

We say the old way, but really it is a very common one in present time and many dyspeptics and physicians as well consider the first step to take in attempting to cure indigestion is to diet, either by selecting certain foods and rejecting others or to greatly diminish the quantity usually taken, in other words, the starvation plan is by many supposed to be the first essential.

The almost certain failure of the starvation cure for dyspepsia has been proven time and again, but still the moment dyspepsia makes its appearance a course of dieting is at once advised.

All this is radically wrong. It is foolish and unscientific to recommend dieting or starvation to a man suffering from dyspepsia, because indigestion itself starves every organ and every nerve and every fibre in the body.

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FIRE HORROR.

Windsor Hotel New York City Burned. Eleven Killed.

NEW YORK, March 17.—At least eleven persons were killed and about thirty five were injured in a fire which destroyed the fashionable Windsor Hotel, at the corner of Fifth Avenue and Forty seventh street, this afternoon.

The hotel was full of wealthy guests, many of whom were women. Their panic was terrible when the flames suddenly caught them in a furnace from which escape for many seemed impossible.

The fire was one of the worst horrors of the kind that ever occurred in this city. It started from the igniting of a lace curtain a few minutes after 3 p. m. and in two hours the hotel was in ruins.

Queen Signs Treaty. MADRID, March 17.—The Queen Regent signed the treaty of peace between Spain and the United States. The signed treaty will be forwarded to the French Ambassador at Washington, M. Jules Cambon, for exchange with the one signed by President McKinley. No decree on the signing will be published in the official Gazette.

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THE SPECULATIVE MARKETS. Today's quotations, furnished by W. L. Galbraith, New York, (Represented by A. O. Newberry.)

NEW YORK, March 18, STOCKS.

Open.	High.	Low.	Close
Sugar.....	165	172	165
Am Tobacco.....	211	211	210
J. O.....	111 1/2	111 1/2	111 1/2
C. R. & Q.....	140 1/2	141	139 1/2

COTTON. Open. High. Low. Close

May.....	6.07	6.07	6.00
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CHICAGO MARKETS.

Wheat—	Open.	High.	Low.	Close
May.....	67 1/2	67 1/2	67 1/2	67 1/2

TO CORNER AGUINALDO. Otis' Plan in His Advance Movement Said to be Aimed at Closing in on Malolos.

NEW YORK, March 17.—A Washington special to the New York Press says: In the latest movement of troops the campaign against the capital of the Philippines is forestalled.

A battalion pushed out from Pasig to the north side of the entrance to Laguna de Bay and took Calat. In so doing it crossed the Manila line and entered the Province of Morong.

Sunday, a general Otis received overtures from the people of Morong, indicating that they desired to acknowledge American sovereignty. The capital of Morong is a city of 9,430 persons, bearing the same name. Calat is a place of 3,377, nine miles from Morong, and on Laguna de Bay. Taptay is even more important, having a population of 6,800. The belief is that the Morong people only await a show of American force to declare allegiance.

This movement suggests the possibility that General Lawton is planning to close in on three sides of Malolos when the time comes to make the general advance. Wheaton now holds the Pasig river to the lake and controls the lake with the improvised gunboats. He has the southern wing of the Philippine army where it cannot communicate with the northern, save by a journey through a difficult country of 150 miles or more.

This most recent advance into Morong on the north side of the lake and formal dispersion of the natives at Calat and Taptay removes conditions which might be harassing to an American column moving north.

Hale's brigade has been waiting at San Juan del Monte, north of the Pasig and some distance out of Manila, in the direction of Morong. The operations of Wheaton northeast of Pasig and on the north side of the lake seem to make the way easy for Hale to march northward without fear of an attack on his right flank and to come in on the east side of Malolos.

Gen. Harrison Gray Otis is at Calocan, a few miles south of Malolos. The fleet can steam to the westward of Malolos within a few miles, and a transport can land a force to approach the capital on that side.

Army officers who have studied the maps with reference to Wheaton's movements and the disposition of the other troops, think they see the formation of a plan to cross in Malolos in such a way as to make the capture complex.

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