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Decision Regarding Extra Railroad Fares. Bonds Quickly Taken. Complaint About 'Jim Crow' The Artists' Dispute Is Warm.

RALEIGH, July 17.—It has been decided that a cotton mill shall be built at the Falls of Neuse, 14 miles from Raleigh. This city will take a large block of the stock. Northern capital is ready to take all of it, in case an opportunity is offered.

Corporation commission has ordered the railways in regard to the collection of extra fare in case a passenger has not a ticket, that such extra charge shall be 25 cents, and that a drawback for that amount shall be given.

One of the men who sold spotted meat in the market here got off with \$10 fine and some \$75 costs. A year on the roads was richly deserved. His lawyers begged him off.

It is said that a remedy for splenic fever has been found. It is a solution of tobacco made with sun cured manufactured tobacco, into which is stirred a generous quantity of cooking soda. It is used as a wash, and kills the ticks and heals the sores.

Formal complaint was made as to the way the Southern operated the Jim Crow Car Law and an order was served on that road to appear before the commission on the 25th and show why it had not complied with the law. It was filed by citizens of Reidville.

The Superior Court judge here has decided the much talked of case in regard to the penitentiary debt. The penitentiary board issued warrants for the \$119,040 of debt up to March 7. The State Treasurer refused to pay the warrants, saying he would pay only up to Decem. 31st last. He was sued to force him to pay, and in return brought a suit against the penitentiary executive board to compel it to make the warrants only up to December 31. The judge decided against the treasurer, to his great disgust. He appeals to the Supreme Court.

The directors of the North Carolina Railway will build at Greensboro a monument to the memory of Colvin Graves, the first president of that road. It will be on the spot where work began.

The joint legislative committee on the work of the penitentiary will investigate everything and everybody save Superintendent Day.

A letter from New York, says: "Two months ago, when the people of North Carolina decided to erect a statue of the late Senator Vance, Jos. G. Brown of Raleigh, who was in charge of a fund of \$7,500 contributed for the monument, came to this city and invited six well-known sculptors to compete for the work. These six sculptors are now highly indignant because they have just received notice that a model sent in by one Elliott, a sculptor of Washington, has been accepted. They say that it was expressly stipulated by Mr. Brown that the competition was to be limited to them, and that no one else was to have a chance unless all six failed to produce satisfactory design. Two of the sculptors who have already written letters of protest to Mr. Brown are W. Granville Hastings and Phillippe Marlay. Marlay said:

"We were given to understand that competition was limited to us. No mention of any other sculptor was made. We made our sketches and models, and were sent to Mr. Brown at Raleigh on July 6th. Each one of us got a letter Wednesday last stating our designs, but stating that the one made by Elliott, of Washington, had been accepted. All our work has gone for nothing, and the prize has fallen to one, who I am told is a man of some influence among politicians."

"I can only say for myself that I was a fool to enter such a competition when I did not even know who was to be the judge of the work submitted. I stand on the merit of my work, and make the five other sculptors who, like myself, believe that they were engaged in an honest and limited competition, not on the pull we were able to exert. We are going to call a meeting soon and discuss the matter. In the meantime Mr. Hastings and I have written letters of protest to the monument committee."

Mr. Brown, who is president of the Citizens' National Bank, said he saw none of the artists in New York; that upon application the Graham Manufacturing Company gave him the names of the six New York artists. Hastings, Zolman and Marlay among them; that Mrs. Vance gave him the names of some others, and so did Editor Daniels, of The News and Observer; that all were invited to submit designs; that the competition was not limited to any man or set of men; that in a letter Hastings thanks Brown for courtesy; that Zolman told Elliott, of Washington, the winner in the competition, that his (Elliott's) model was superb; that there was no question of the superior excellence of Elliott's model.

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M'LEAN A CANDIDATE. If Elected Governor of Ohio this Fall his Friends Think he Will Make Good Presidential Timber.

WASHINGTON, July 16.—It is the opinion of a number of politicians who have been in this city recently that it will be well for Mr. Bryan's friends to keep an eye on John R. McLean, of Ohio, in connection with the next nomination for the Presidency. They say that if the anti-Bryanites wish to defeat the nomination of Mr. Bryan, they must present as a candidate some one who will be acceptable to the silver Democrats as well as to the old line Democracy.

THEY HAVE OPINIONS.

But No Better Than Lots of Others. Predict Change of Policies. WASHINGTON, July 16.—Senator Scott, of West Virginia, who has just returned from an extended trip on the Pacific slope, summarized his impression of public sentiment in that section thusly:

The advocacy of expansion is not confined to any party. The commercial view of extending the possessions of the United States appeal strongly to the people of the Pacific Slope, and there is little difference of opinion on account of politics. Regarding the situation in the Philippines, there is a very general belief that Gen. Otis has failed to measure the full extent of the insurrection, and he is criticised for not demanding long ago, a large army, so as to clean up the work of suppressing the insurrection.

According to the opinion of ex-Senator Dubois, who is now in Washington, the policy of expansion will cause the Republicans to abandon the protective tariff policy and advocate the raising of all money by internal revenue taxation. He also expresses the opinion that the democrats will advocate protection and oppose expansion, and that both parties will oppose trusts in their national platform. Should his tariff predictions prove true, many of the older voters in both parties, will have trouble in finding out just "where they are at" politically.

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BACK FROM AFRICA.

Negroes Found Liberia Worse Than a Desert.

London, July 16.—Partly as a result of fear on investigation of the alleged persecutions by the white people of the South, and partly from a spirit of adventure, Case Shack and Harry Kirtley, both colored, recently got their families together and set sail for Liberia. They gathered together all the money they could, went to England, and thence took a boat to Liberia.

But the supposed Paradise of the colored man in Africa, according to their story of their experiences, was worse than the Desert of Sahara. The reception they got surprised them. Instead of being welcomed with open arms and offered plenty of work, they were looked down upon, and, although willing to earn their bread, were refused a chance. They have returned to Boston. They say the negro has absolutely no chance to earn a living in Liberia. All the wealth of the country is now in the hands of a few persons. Though Shack and Kirtley were expert farmers, they were not given any kind of farmwork.

Broken hearted and despondent, the men of the families appealed to the captain of an Elder-Dempster Line steamer to give them passage to England. They told him of the trials and sufferings they endured. They said they had spent what money they had, the savings of almost a lifetime, and they were willing to do anything on the ship if they could get passage to England.

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