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NOT MANY CHANGES

Expected Will Be Made 'By Govern or Glenn.

Cases of Interest in Federal Court. To Inspect Jefferson Turnpike. Penitentiary Arrivals. Carolina Post Offices Charters Granted.

Raleigh, Nov. 26.—At the session of the Federal court which begins here December 5th, the docket is of about the usual size. The most interesting cases are those against Powell of Norfolk and King at Raleigh, charged with using the mails for fraudulent purposes, that is in obtaining goods, which they ordered shipped here to bogus firms or to well known firms, and which they received and sold. There is a long array of evidence against Powell, it is said, connecting him with similar matters at Newport, News. It is stated by an official of the court that there is evidence to show that King had been engaged in this business for a year or two. He is blind and is a fish dealer here.

It is not believed that the new govern or will make many changes in the personnel of the officials whom he nominates to the senate for confirmation. This is the general view of the matter. The various institutions and sub-departments are running very smoothly and are in good hands, and the governor, who is a very practical man, is well aware of this.

The State board of Internal Improvements now composed of B. C. Beckwith and H. A. Morrow will next week inspect the Wilkesboro - Jefferson turnpike, which is to be completed next year, and which is a very important thoroughfare. This road will bring into middle North Carolina a great deal of trade from three counties which up to the present time are largely separated from the remainder of the State and which have traded almost entirely with Virginia, this being particularly the case with Ashe and Alleghany.

The venerable Col. John P. Kennedy, who has for so many years been with the State Museum, has gone to his home at Goldsboro. He has a slight attack of facial paralysis. He has recently fallen several times in his office here, and has suffered considerably from a wound which he received in the Confederate service. He has stuck to his work wonderfully well.

A charter is granted to the Wayneville Factory Site and Electric Power Co., which is to develop electric power and furnish it to factories, and which will also induce the latter to locate at that point. There is a very fine water power to be thus developed. The capital stock is \$300,000, and Thomas Stringfield, S. A. Jones and B. J. Stone are the chief stockholders.

The last arrivals at the penitentiary are five convicts from Harnett county, among whom are Wiley Lucas, aged 18 and Sidney Norris, aged 20, who are under sentence for twelve years for the murder of Bilton Moore, at a public school debate. Moore got into a quarrel with the boys, who stabbed him several times, and he was found dead near the school house. One of the convicts is Alexander McCormick, aged 15, who confessed felonious assault upon a ten year old girl, both being negroes.

Postmaster Bailey says North Carolina now has more first class post offices than any Southern State except Texas, and that it has more fourth class offices than any other State in the union except three.

The Exact Thing Required for Constipation.

"As a certain purgative and stomach purifier Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets seem to be the exact thing required, strong enough for the most robust, yet mild enough and safe for children and without that terrible griping so common to most purgatives," says E. B. Webster & Co., Utica, Ontario, Canada. For sale by all Druggists.

Port Arthur Nearly Gone.

Rome, Nov. 26.—A dispatch to the Italian Military from Tokio says the whole north side of Port Arthur, one of the forts surrounding Port Arthur, have been blown up by the Japanese. Several hundred Russians were killed and twenty of their guns rendered useless. The concentrated bombardment of Port Arthur by three hundred Japanese guns began this morning.

No Poison in Chamberlain's Cough Remedy

From Napier, New Zealand Herald: Two years ago the Pharmacy Board of New South Wales, Australia, had an analysis made of all the cough remedies that were sold in that market. Out of the entire list they found only one that they declared was entirely free from all poisons. This exception was Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, made by the Chamberlain Manufacturing Co., Des Moines, Iowa, U.S.A. The absence of all poisons makes this remedy the safest and best that can be had, and it is with a feeling of security that any mother or old girl give it to her little ones. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is superior to all other cough remedies, and is the only one that is entirely free from all poisons.

COMMUNITY OF INTERESTS.

Demands Action on Part Mercantile Trade of New Bern.

Discrimination in Freight Rates Needs Correcting. Competition by New Boat Line Possible. Local Business Interests and This Section's Trade Demand Protection.

It begins to look as if an actual "community of interests" necessity would force the merchants of New Bern into some concert of action, by which their trade interests would be protected, as well as built up.

It is not alone that the mercantile trade of this city is being affected by the lease of the Atlantic and North Carolina railroad, which has eliminated all competition between the transportation companies entering this city, but there are changes in freight rates, and in the matter of receiving goods merchants have no longer the accommodations at the transportation companies warehouses as once given them which both built up the trade of New Bern, and the companies which gave these storage facilities.

Trade conditions are getting into such shape, that it would almost seem that merchants here were hemmed in to an extent which makes them helpless and at the mercy of the people, the transportation companies, whose interests ought to be identical with those of the mercantile interests of this city.

It can be no surprise that there is an active looking about by merchants to see if some means can not be secured to give them the needed accommodations and protection necessary, if they are to continue in business.

The river opens the way in this solution, and there are inquiries looking to a new boat line which shall be independent, and so afford the needed protection.

Said a prominent representative of a leading business house in this city, "A steam barge line between New Bern and Baltimore would give the business of New Bern the biggest kind of relief. At present, freight rates need regulating, but who will regulate them? The freight on flour from New York or Philadelphia to Wilmington is 35 cents a barrel, to this city 65 cents. There is no reason or excuse for this discrimination. It means that the merchants here cannot compete with the Wilmington merchants."

Another leading business man said, "A steam barge line between Baltimore and this city would pay both ways. There is always freight coming from that city, our trade is large with Baltimore, its merchants agreeable, and Baltimore can secure the rates so that our goods could come to that city from further north or the west by rail, and by water from that city, and at a rate considerably lower than what we now have to pay. A boat on its return trip could easily secure a cargo of lumber, and so make freights each way. Take the freight rate from Pittsburg. It is 24 cents to Wilmington, and 32 cents to this city. A boat line to Baltimore would put us upon equal terms with Wilmington, and such a boat line would help Kinston and other places, for it would offer competition which does not now exist."

It is not hard to remember the time when New Bern had a perfect fleet of steamers coming to this port. There was the East Carolina Dispatch with five boats, the Clyde Line with three, and the Old Dominion company with two boats. And the business here now is greatly increased, from that time, with only two steamers coming here, to handle all possible water freight.

The time for action is now while trade is good, and not wait for actual business losses to force action which needs little work, for already representatives of outside boat companies have looked into the matter of coming here. But an independent line to Baltimore is the best solution of the question.

Where is the Chamber of Commerce at this time?

The mothers' friend is Dr. Med. Selt. And much it will be to their profit if his "TERTHINA" they will try. For teething babes that fret and cry.

"TERTHINA" Aids Digestion, Regulates the Bowels, and makes teething easy and mother happy by Counteracting and Overcoming the Effects of the Summer's Heat.

Herb W Edwards Injured.

Herb W Edwards of Des Moines, Iowa, got a fall on an icy walk last winter, spraining his wrist and breaking his knee. "The next day," he says, "they were so sore and stiff I was afraid I would never be able to walk, but I turned to Selt with Chamberlain's Pain Expeller and I feel like a new man."

WOMAN FOUND DROWNED.

Rita Moore, Colored, Meets Death in the Neuse. Mystery Surrounding the Affair.

Yesterday noon while working around the dock of the Atlantic Coast Line freight depot, Tony Simmons discovered what appeared to be a woman's dress in the slip. It was located near the dock but a considerable distance from the shore end of the slip. After pushing the object around with a pole it arose to the surface and proved to be a woman's body.

He towed the body to shallow water and notified the authorities also Capt. Mannix at the A. C. L. depot. A crowd gathered at the place but none were able to identify the woman. Officers Bowden and Bryan were soon on the scene and upon looking on the body expressed the opinion that it was Rita Moore, a colored woman well known up town. Upon further examination they positively identified her as that person.

Dr. Jones, the Coroner, impaneled a jury and viewed the body after which it adjourned until Monday afternoon to decide upon a verdict.

The body was then taken to the late home of the woman by the undertaker Merritt Whitley. The woman lived alone in a double house on Kilmarnock Street.

Investigations made by officer Bowden in regard to the woman were to the effect that she was seen between 6 and 7 o'clock Friday evening at Rodman's bar. She was drinking heavily. About 7 o'clock she was heard in her room by the woman who occupies the other part of the house. Sometime after 7 o'clock a woman apparently under the influence of liquor was seen on Queen street going toward the river.

These incidents are probably the last known of the woman. Earlier in the evening she tried to sell a book in several uptown stores. A circumstance about this drowning will require some investigation, although the case may prove to be an exception to the rule. When persons drown the body remains under the surface of the water anywhere from a day to a week or two weeks unless taken out.

This body rose to the surface in about 12 hours indicating that her death may have occurred before striking the water. The coroner's inquest will determine whether she met her death by drowning or otherwise. No indications of foul play were discovered and it is not suspected that any other person had a hand in the tragedy.

The woman was well known up town. She was a hard working woman having done work of a man on the farm of Jack Rodman. She had many peculiarities by which she was known.

Though a hard drinker she seldom got into the police court. She was about 40 years of age.

Coming Attractions at Theatre.

The duldest period in theatricals, the summer, of course, excepted, is the time just after a National Election, consequently there has been a dearth of attractions in the State for the last fortnight. However, it has now commenced to liven up. During the next two months the New Masonic Theatre will offer among its attractions the following:

The Great Harlow Miestrela, Shepard's Moving Pictures, the Mendelssohn Quartette, the Lyric Stock Company, the Paige Stock Company, "The Planting Arrow", "Si Plunkard", Dr. William States Jacobs, "Brown's in Town" and "The Tenderfoot".

Of course, the greatest of these will be "The Tenderfoot", which is one of the largest and best musical comedies on the road. It is the superior even of "Miss Bob White" and will be given an elaborate scenic production in this city.

Messrs Cowan Bros, regret much that they were unable this season to give New Bern the superb attractions sent out by Mr. Jules Murry, of New York. Their inability along this line was caused by not getting a lease of the Theatre until late, at a time when the companies had been routed. However, they have already booked them for next season. The attractions include Mr. Lewis Morris in "Pansy".

Not a Sick Day Since.

"I was taken severely sick with kidney trouble. I tried all sorts of medicines, none of which relieved me. One day I saw an ad of your Electric Bitters and determined to try that. After taking a few doses I felt relieved, and soon thereafter was entirely cured, and have not seen a sick day since. Neighbors of mine have been cured of Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Liver and Kidney troubles and General Debility." This is what R. F. Bass, of Fremont, N. C., writes. Only 50c. at C. D. Bradham's Druggist.

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