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WHERE LIES SAFETY IN RAILROAD RATE REGULATION?

No greater or more important factor than the railroad, is to be found in the industrial promotion of the country. and on the other side no influence is more potent to work hardships upon a community, than this same rail-

Railroad rate regulation has been a subject for newspaper and political controversy for some time, and yet it is impossible to see or say that there has grown out of this controversy any real good, or that the public which is concerned equally as the railroad, has found that even through political help, it has secured any real benefits."

State cornorations have been elected whose members were both for railroad interests, and those favoring the people's interests. The first would naturally turn towards rates, that already prevailed, as being just, while those commissioners elected on strictly political grounds, would seek to overthrow existing rates and get others much

In either case there is a confessed failure to secure satisfactory results for the commissioners on both sides, who relection was either due to railroad influence, or through politics, were handicapped to secure actual good effects, because on whichever side they might be, their judgments were prejudiced and affected by exterior causes, which could not but make this discharge of their official duties biased and par tial, instead of being clear and without leanings towards either side.

Fixing of rates for transportation i well known through Supreme court decisions to be a legislative act, and while the courts in some States have declared that this authority may be delegated to an administrative body, yet the reasonableness of this decision, in relegating such a power, that the City, Mo. a Corporation Commission of a State, can be seriously questioned.

So far as instances are known, where a State Commission has exercised this power, the results are not seen to be satisfactory, Texas, Georgia and Iowa, in their experiences prove that instead of benefits, it has been otherwise.

Where is the safe and just middle H. Baily, Providence, R. ground, that shall secure both equity to the railroad, and give the people rates which shall enable them to do business, placing all who do business with railroads upon a non-competitive basis, without favored rebates or special discriminations? This is the question that must be determined, so that whatever abuses now existing may be done away, and there be no strife between railroads and the people, but a joint working together that shall benefit

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C. D. BRADHAM, Special Agt.

The Alumnae Association of Greens boro Female College, to All Former Students

Greetings:- At our annual meeting eld in the College Chapel last June, we, as an Association, pledged ourselves o raise One Thousand-Dollars (1,000) to be used for the completion of the

front of the new building The ladies of West Market Street Church came promptly to our assistance offering to give to this fund the proceeds of their annual Chrysanthemum Show. In connection with the "Show" we wish to have a Farcy Work Bazaar. in which we ask the co-operation of every former student of Greensboro Female College. We hope that a pleas ing display of embroidery, drawn-work, lace, pyrography, painting and dainty hand-made articles of every description will not only add to the attractions of the occasion but very materially inrease our receipts.

Will you not help to make the Bazaar, a financial successs by donating a piece of hand-work, and also by requesting your friends who are interested in the College to do the same All exhibits should be sent, not later than the first of November, to Mrs. Lucy H. Robertson, Greensboro Female College.

It is our purpose to reach every G. F. C. girl in the State and you assist us very much by mailing copies of this letter to your College acquaintances and also to your county newspaper for publication. Additional copies will be furnished on request,

MRS. LUCY A. CUNNINGGIM, President. MISS NANNIE LEE SMITH,

Got Off Cheap

He may well think, he has got off cheap, who, after having contracted constipation or indigestion, is still able to perfectly restore his health. Nothing will do this but Dr. King's New Life Pills. A quick, pleasant, and certain cure for headache, constipation etc. 25c at all drug stores; guaranteed.

Negro Pythians Elect Officers

Prof. W. W. Lawrence has returned from Kansas City, where he went to attend the biennial election of Grand Of ficers of the negro Knights of Pythias. The following are the officers elected: PSC-William G. Strange, Balti-

S C-Ashley Hawkins, Baltimore, VSC-Dr. T. C. Nuthank, Kansas

M of E-George Gorden, Chelsea Mass K of R & S-William Grandison, Cam bridge, Mass. M at A-J. B. Loveing, Los Angeles,

I G-G R Green, Kansas City, Mo. O G-J. S. Drake, Johnson, S. C., Trustees-Soloman Tripp, Baltimore, Md; F. G. Freeman, Boston, Mass; R.

The next session of the lodge at New Bern, September 1907.

A Cold Settled In His Kidneys.

A. J. Jennesse, 9201 Butler St., Chicago, writes: "I am a switchman and am out in all kinds of weather, I tool a cold which settled in my kidneys and I was in bad shape. I tried several advertised remedies with no benefit, until I was recommended to try Foley's Kidney Cure. Twothirds of a bottle cured me." For sale by Davis Pharmacy.

Rates one and one-third first-class fares plus 25 cents for the round trip have been authorized from all points on the A. & N. C. Railroad account the

Primitive Baptist Association, Rose Church, Durham N. C., Sept. 19-21 1905. Certificates to be signed by S. P. Terry, Moderator, and vised by J. J. Strickler, Special Agent. Agents Dur-ham will benor certificates on or before

st. 25th, 1906, Presbyterian Synod of North Carolin Red Springs, N. C., Oct. 24-30th, 1905 Certificates to be signed by D. I. Crul, Clerk, and vised by H. F. Toon, Specia Agent. Agent Red Springs will honor certificates on or before Nov. 2nd, 198

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy Acts on Nature's Pian.

surroundings for "A Bunch of Keys", which is to appear at the Masonle Opera House tomorrow, Wednesday night. In fact from all authentic accounts the management of this phenomenally outlasting fun provider have rather shown a disposition to be somewhat more prodigal than usual insamned as not alone is every item of the oirginal settings brought into requisition, but a number of added suggestions help along to make the entertainment quite as interesting to the eye as the action of the comedy is exhibitating to the mood for effervescent fun and charming

The famous hotel scene, one that ha nade millions explode with mirth i carried intact, and in new paint is said to be about as attractive a stage picture

as one could desire to see.

All the familiar characters of "A Bunch of Keys" none of whom can very well be overlooked in the keen enjoyment of the faso and furious fun have been particularly well suited with actors and singers whose works are in fullest accord with what is required in order to give caste and spirit to the whole. Among the latest recuits may be mentioned Miss Lillian Lawson, who is called upon to portray Teddy, the role that has earned reputation and rank for a score or more young ladies of the stage, several of whom are twinkling stars today while others are counted with the upper class of prominent artistes. That Miss Lawson was found to be a worthy successor to all those who owe so much of their greatness to "Teddy" there can be not the slightest doubt surely when the most highly esteemed press reviews fairly teem with exalted praise for the manner in which this little lady disports herself, and with golden opinions re garding her rare vocal gifts to say nothing about the comments pertaining to her beauty of face and correctness electing her for such an important con sideration.

Indeed so much has reached here conerning Miss Lawson that seemingly there is as much interest being manifested in her behalf as there is for the nore than welcome advent of a musical

Do Not Be Imposed Upon.

Foley & Co., Chicago, originated remedy, and on account of the great the genuine. Ask for Foley's Honey the same satisfaction. It is mildly laxa school topics. tive. It contains no opiates and is safest for children and delicate persons. For sale by Davis Pharmacy.

Five men have left England for South Africa to demonstrate whether white men can do the work of Chines in the mines. Their journey is the out come of a controversy between two members of parliament

Are You Engaged?

Engaged people should remember, tions in good condition with Electric Bitters, S. A. Brown, of Bennetts ville, S. C., says "For years, my wife lost her strength and vigor, and became a mere wreck of her former self. Then she tried Electric Bitters, which helped her at once, and finally made her entirely well. She is now strong and healthy." All druggists sell and guarantee them, at 50c a bottle.

A Mixup. Magistrate-If I let you off this tim will you promise me to take the pledge? Delighted Prisoner (excitedly) will, yer honor, an' drink yes

by Chambertain's Pain Balm. A little child of Michael Strauss,

Nernon, Conn., was recently in great pain from a burn on the hand, and as cold applications only increased the in-flammation, Mr. Straum came to Mr. James H. Nicholt, a local merchant, James H. Nicholy, a for something to stop the para. Mr. Nichols 'eays: "I advised hint to us Chamberlain's Para Balta, and the fire Chamberlain's Para Balta, and the fire chamberlain's Para Balta, and the latter part of th lication drew out the b mend it very often for cuts, be strains and lame back, and have no known it to disappoint." For sale Davis' Puarmacy and F. S. Duffy.

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The Craven Circuit Sunday School Convention. The Craven County circuit Sunday

School Convention was held at the Asof form, there is every reason to rely bury church Thursday. There was a upon the fine judgment exercised in large attendance and the meeting was interesting and instructive. The morning session was devoted to organization and other business and some of the sub jects were discussed. Mr. O. H, Weth erington presided.

The ladies served a basket dinner on the lawn in front of the church and omedy that absolutely guarantees it- this feature was a most enjoyable part self as one of pronounced agreeable of the program. It was a bounteous and very appetizing spread.

It was hoped that Rev. G. T. Adams would be present to make an address but was unable to be there. His ab sence was very much regretted. Rev. Honey and Tar as a throat and lung R. B. John made a very helpful and interesting talk on building up and susmerit and popularity of Foley's Honey taining Sunday schools. Ex-Sheriff W. and Tar many imitations are offered for B. Lane in his felicitous and humorous manner made a few remarks that were and Tar and refuse any substitute offered as no other preparation will give full of practical suggestions on Sunday

> After the discussions were over the nembers were grouped on the lawn and Mrs. Bayard Wootten took their picture. They then adjourned to see a base ball game between two neighboring teams.

Given Up To Die.

B. Spiegel, 1204 N. Virginia St., Evansville, Ind., writes: "For over five years I was troubled with kidney that, after marriage, many quarrels and bladder affections which caused me much pain and worry. I lost flesh and was all run down, and a year ago had to abandon work entirely. I had three of the best physicians who did me no good suffered intensely from dyspepsia, com and I was practically given up to die plicated with a torpid liver, until she Foloy's Kidney Cure was recommended and the first bottle gave me great re lief, and after taking the second bottle I was entirely cured." For sale by Davis Pharmacy.

> Mr. Wilson, the junior surgeon on the Discovery during Capfalu Scott's antarctic expedition, states that the taste for alcoholic drinks dropped suddenly when he and his colleagues entered the ice region and that the disinclination essed as time went on.

The laxative effect of Chamberlain's smach and Liver Tableta is so agree a From a Burn Promptly Relieved able and so natural you can hardly realise that it is produced by a medi-cine. These tablets also cure indiges tion. For sale by Davis Pharmacy.

> Nothing is less in our power than the heart, and, far from communding we are forced to obey it.—Roussean.

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Mortgage Sale.

1966 at the bour of 12 colock m., to the highest bidder for cash, all of the following describe property as conveyed in the Mortgage aforesast, to wit: Fifteen (15) acres of land in No. 5 Township, it being part of the land I bought of George T. Bell in 1903. Bounded as follows, on the week by J. R. Bell, on the South by Bettie Bell, and N. H. Saujon on the west.

New Bern, N. C., Aug. 26th, 1905.

H. S. HANCOCK, Assignee of Mortgage WILLIAM DUNN, Ja., Attorney,

SALE OF STEAM

By virtue of a power of sale contain ed in a mortgage from W. H. Parris to me registered in the Collectors office District of Pamlico, N. C., port of New Bern, N. C., in liber 15 of Mortgages folio 50, I will sell to the highest bidder for each at Hollister & Cox's wharf New Bern, N. C., on the 25th day of September, 1905, at 12 o'clock m., the Steam Tug or vessel called the "Mary Belo" of the burden of 9 70-100 tons, or thereabouts, together with her bowsprit, boat, anchors, cables, chains, rig ging, tackle, apparel, furniture, &c &c This 23rd day of August, 1905.

B. E. Moore, Mortgagee.





Entry Claim. NORTH CAROLINA,

a Geo B Waters, Entry Taker For Craven Co. The undersigned E.Z. R. Daylo of Craven County. North Carolina, enters and lay claim to the following described piece or parest land in Nos. and 9 Township. Craven county North Carolina, the same being yearst and map propriated had and subject to entry, v.g..

Near the A. and N. C. Raifroad bounded is follows, viz. At the head of gran gwamp on the moth by Himestrien, Lamber Company, on the west by John Jackson, on the southwest by T. Buyer Rosen.



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Photographers Association of Virginia and Carolinas. Charlottsville, Va. Oct 25-26, 1905

The A. & N. C. R. have author ized reduced round-trip rates on th Certificate Plan from joints on the line to Charlottesville, Va., and retur account above occasion. Agents Charlottesville will honor all certificate on or before October 30th, 1905,

The following reduced round trip cates on the Certificates Plan have been authorized via A & N C R R

Washington District Conference, A M. A. Zion Church, Greenville, N. C., Sent 19 21, 1905. Certificates to be signed by Rev. J. H. Moseley, Secre tary, and vised by J. H. Moore, Special Agent. Ticket Agent Greenville will honor certificates returning on or be fore Sept. 25, 1905.

Weiman's Baptist Home Mission Convention, Lumberton, N. C., Oct. 5-8th, hats Cestificates to be signed by Mrs. 1. G. Shepard, Secretary and vised by Mr. J. A. Dozier, Special Agent.

exacting on or before Oct. 14th, 1905. The A.C.N.C.R.R. gives notice that er. Don't neglect them until cold operated on their trains Nos. 3 and 4 yeather. Send them to 61 South Front between Goldshoro and Morehead City will be discontinued for the present sea on after Sept 17th, 1965

> United Daughters of the Confederacy, North Carolina Division, Morganton, N. C. Get. 2 7, 1905. Certificates to he signed by Mrs. Leo D. Heartt. Chairman, Raleigh, N. C., and vised by Mr. E. J. Galloway, Special Agent, Morganton N. C. Agent Morganton will homor contationtes on or before that 11. 1986.

> Independent Order of Good Samari tans and Daughters of S. m cria, Charotte, N. C., Oct. 2 6, 19c5. Certificates to be signed by Mrs. Adelaide Jones, Secretary, Raleigh, and vised by Mr. T. J. Witherspeen, Special Agent, Charlotte, N. C. Agent Charlotte will honor certificates on or before Oct. 10,

> North Carolina Christian Temperance Union, Raleigh, N. C., Oct. 1 5, 1905. Certificates to be signed by Miss Eliza beth Marsh, President, Winston-Salem N. C., and vised by Mr. H. A. Morson, Special Agent, Raleigh, N. C. Agent Raleigh will honor certificates on or before Oct. 6, 1905.

Entry Notice

Pitate of north carolina. Jones county. To J. K. Diron, Entry Taker for Jones county. The undersigned, J. W. Riggs of Jones county. The undersigned, J. W. Riggs of Jones county Blate of Biroth carolina, enters and lays claim to the fullowing described pieces or parcels of lard in White Oak township, Jones county, s. c., the same being warant und unappropriated hand sand unique to the Hosth by Oak River and bounded on the Houth by De David Alliens lands, on the seat by Kein Parson's in'd and land known as the Shiftey hand, on the South by J. W. Collins lands, and on the west by the lands of J. W. Collins lands, and on the west by the lands of J. W. Collins lands, and on the west by the lands of J. W. Collins lands, and on the west by the lands of J. W. Collins lands, and on the west by the lands of J. W. Collins containing by estimation two hundred acces stages are less.

Entered this the 7th day of Septemper 1906. Witnesser J K Diron, his

Entry No. 607 Entered Sept. 7, 1906, J. K. Dixon, Roy. Deeds and ex-officia, Entry Taker for Jones county.

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA, Johns Cottery.

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Dittor Entry Taker for Joses Coumeratured. M. Humphrey. of Jones.

George and Coumerature would just claim to the
fleet place or parcel of lend in Wh-