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SEEDS!

GRASS AND FIELD
GARDEN FLOWERS

JUST RECEIVED

Duffy's Pharmacy

SPECIAL STRESS ON R. R. LEGISLATURE

SENATE HALL THRONGED BY THOSE DIRECTLY AND INDIRECTLY INTERESTED IN THE MATTER

PLETHORA OF NEW BILLS

Stories Arising From The Prohibition Situation—Bills Regarding Defense Of Insane and Idiots— Changing Time of Holding Court in Onslow —And To Amend Charter of Kinston.

Special to Journal.

Raleigh, N. C., Jany 22.—The Senate chamber was thronged all the afternoon, attraction being the hearing before Senate and House committees on railways or rate question. Governor Glenn, Attorney Thom, of Southern Railway, and others being invited to speak. Others who spoke were Attorneys for State Charles B. Aycock, Robert W. Winston and Fred A. Woodard. All urged that two and one half cent flat rate be established, as suggested by Governor as compromise.

Attorney Thom said the Southern Railway was for peaceful settlement and no more contention and urged that rate suggested be fixed. It was shown that the State had heavy work in pressing the rate case, that roads were in tight place and compromise was better than original plan of legislature, and meant much to the State and the entire South.

In the lower house over 20 bills were introduced, one by Douglass, of Wake, (who bolted Democratic caucus last night) being to prohibit the manufacture and sale of intoxicating liquors in North Carolina.

Morton, introduced a bill to aid in making Wilmington a gateway port.

Douglass, one requiring railways to provide electric equipments.

A bill was introduced in the Senate to allow the Governor $5,000 for counsel fees in the test case brought by the Corporation Commission, before the Interstate Commerce Commission to end freight discrimination against North Carolina.

A resolution offered by Pharr, that the Senate shall not consider any bills except as to railway rates and prohibition and two other matters as mentioned in the governor's message was discussed, and finally sent to committee in judiciary with instructions to determine the power of the legislature regarding general matters of legislation not covered by the call of the special session.

Senator Webb, of Buncombe, said some general legislation certainly ought to be enacted, that a prominent druggist of Asheville had been indicted for selling Jamaica Ginger without a prescription, and that representatives of the State Druggists Association were here asking relief from this embarrassing situation.

Webb said Asheville druggists had been notified they would be indicted for selling witch-hazel. He thought a law ought now to be enacted prescribing the amount of alcohol which might be contained in medicines to be exempt from the law. Webb was asked how the Asheville police justice who was so vigorously enforcing the new prohibition law, voted on the liquor question, and he replied he voted the 'wet ticket.'

In the House, Galloway, of Greene, introduced a bill amending law regarding defense of insane people and idiots.

Koonce bill changing terms of court at Onslow and allowing it to sell county home.

Jones, of Johnson, bill reducing official fees in that county.

Ormond introduced bill in Senate to amend charter of Kinston and prohibit sale of intoxicants there.

Bellamy bill allowing Wilmington to lease certain unoccupied property at Weightsville, owned by city, also bill incorporating Echo Club at Wilmington.

Bellamy offered resolution regarding native grape culture in eastern counties asking that wine made there from such grapes to exempt from tax and also from provisions of prohibition laws.

BAXTER'S BARGAINS

I've been to the bargain sale,
And ventured the bargain gale,
Like the crush at the fair,
All the folks were there,
And money melts like hail.

When my empty purse said "nay"
I sadly came away.
The limit was reached
And I was "searched"
On Baxter's Bargain day.

WINTER SALE

We are closing our entire line of Goods at greatly reduced prices. J. O. Baxter, Leading Jeweler, Sale Lasts 10 Days.

TO PREVENT RAILWAY MERGERS

Governor Glenn's Message Transmitting Bill to Legislature—Competition Throttled by Absorption of Big Com Companies

Special to Journal.

Raleigh, N. C., Jany 22.—Governor Glenn's message to the legislature—transmitting the bill to prevent absorption of railways says he has carefully examined the bill and in view of the fact there is a great deal of talk as to the disintegration of certain railways and probability of their being taken over by competing lines, thus cutting off competition which is of immense benefit to shippers and merchants in North Carolina, and most earnestly recommends careful consideration of the matter and preparation of such a bill as will meet requirements. He says almost all other States have in their constitution provisions similar to the ones suggested, but this is not the case in North Carolina, and the law here makes any provision prohibiting competing lines from obtaining control of other roads and thus bringing about monopoly and stopping competition.

BELIEVE THEIR CAUSE WILL WIN

Prohibitionists Are Very Much Encouraged Over the Situation—Evything Indicates a Victory

Special Correspondence.

Raleigh, N. C., Jany 22.—Your correspondent specially interviewed President Heriot Clarkson, of the State Anti-Saloon League this morning, Mr. Clarkson said when asked what he thought of the action taken last night, "I am perfectly satisfied. An organization will be perfected to sweep the State. I am entirely satisfied with putting the question up to the people of North Carolina. We have now a complete organization in all parts of the State and we have established headquarters here and will maintain them. Keeping them open until the campaign ends. Chairman Oates, of the League, was with Mr. Clarkson, Mr. Oates said: "our executive committee will have a conference today. We are going to sweep North Carolina—and we will win an overwhelming victory."

Speaker Justice was seen a minute later and when asked his view of the situation as to this prohibition matter, said: "I think the course taken the best to pursue. I voted for it. The temperance question is up for settlement and will stay up until it is settled. The thing to do is to settle it in a Democratic way. The order of railway conductors had 70 of its members here today, all wearing red, white and blue badges. Yesterday it was represented before the Senate railroad committee, and again today its delegates were at the capitol watching the proceedings.

WARSHIPS PLOT NO HOAX

Information Given Brazil by Washington—The Great Banquet Held

Rio Janeiro, Jany 22.—There have been no further developments today concerning the reported anarchist plot to destroy some of the American warships here. It is learned, however, that the report was not based; entirely upon the over-excited imagination of the alleged conspiracy having been received by the Brazilian Government from the government at Washington, which also furnished the names of the alleged conspirators.

Had there been any truth in the story, there is scarcely a doubt that the prompt and energetic action of the Brazilian authorities would have prevented any successful attempt to put the plan into effect.

Baron de Rio-Branco, minister of foreign affairs, gave a great dinner tonight at the Monroe Palace to the officers of the fleet. The decorations were elaborate. The members of the cabinet, other high federal officers, were present. Covers were laid for 600 guests. Amid much enthusiasm toasts were drunk to President Roosevelt and President Penna. The national airs of Brazil and the United States were played by a fine band.

Today was the sameday of St. Sebastian, the patron saint of Rio de Janeiro, and it was observed as a general holiday by the Brazilians. Bands from the various warships furnished music in public parks, which were thronged with all classes of the population. The people were enthusiastic over the presence of the Americans. Tonight all the warships were brilliantly lighted with electric lights in honor of the holiday, and as a compliment to the city and the Brazilian navy.

There was a boat race today between the crews of the Illinois and the Louisiana, which was witnessed by many spectators afloat and ashore. The course was 2,000 yards in length. The men from the Illinois proved the victors.

Watch Sale. J. O. Baxter, The Leading Jeweler

BRILLIANT SOCIAL EVENT

Governor's Reception to The Members of Legislature

Special to Journal.

Raleigh, N. C., Jany 22.—The great social event this evening was the reception given by the Governor to the legislature at the executive mansion, which was admirably decorated. Over one thousand people attended, including leading men from all over the State. Third regiment band, of 35 pieces, furnished the music.

The Governor was aided in receiving by other State officers except Treasurer Lacy, who is in Arizona.

While argument was on in Senate on resolution inquiring into power of legislature to consider matters outside of those it was called for, there was sensation. Senator Brown of Yadkin having sudden and severe attack of illness. Business was stopped. Dr. Albert Anderson was called in, and attended the sick Senator, who was a little later taken to the hotel,

Buck's Stoves and Ranges are too well known to need any words of commendation from us.—J. S. Basnight Hardware Company.

WESTERN UNION SUIT CALLED

Company Objects to Paying State Franchise Tax of $100,000

Austin, Texas, Jany 22.—The suit of the State to enjoin the Western Union Telegraph Company from doing business in Texas unless it pays the $100,000 franchise tax alleged to be due the State was called for trial today in the district court and postponed until tomorrow.

The defense of the company is that it does interstate business and the franchise tax, if legally due at all,—should beonly for the Texas pro-rate of its capital stock based on the amount invested in this State.

Suspected Flour is Seized

Chicago, Jan 22.—A carload of flour shipped in alleged violation of Section 8 of the food and drugs act, was seized today by Deputy United States Marshal William Griffith, on the Wabash Railroad tracks here today. The flour will be held by the government pending further investigations, and it is said that there may be a prosecution in the case.

According to District Attorney Sims, who caused the seizure to be made, the flour was shipped Jan. 11 by Seylmour Carter of Hastings, Minn., to Seymour Carter, Greenville, Ohio. It is branded as having been manufactured from the finest select hard wheat. According to the allegations of the government, the wheat from which the flour in this shipment was made is 15 per cent. inferior wheat. This proceeding under the food and drugs act is the first that has been made by the officials in this federal district.

SHOT HIS COMPANION

While Hunting—May Prove Fatal—New Fishing Launch—Trade Dull

Special Correspondence.

Edenton, N. C., Jany 22.—Two boys, Herbert Hall and Lonnie Smith, went out hunting yesterday afternoon with a shot gun. The Hall boy had shot at a bird, and was in the act of bringing down his gun when he unintentionally pressed the trigger of the other barrel, a good portion of the load hitting his comrade, Lonnie Smith about the waist line. The boy was brought to town on a dray and medical attention given, but he was in such a state of nervousness that little could be done yesterday, except to quiet him. Today doctors picked out considerable shot and pieces of clothing that was carried in with the load, but could not get all of it. As it is feared that his intestines were pierced little hope is entertained for his recovery. The mother is prostrated and is also in a critical condition.

Mr. John Wood, Jr., tried out his new fishing launch last Saturday, for the first time. The launch is 42 feet long, and is of the new type having the engine forward, and hole aft. The engine is a two cylinder Lathrop of 15 horsepower.

The big fishermen here, are preparing their nets for the Spring fishing. The writer visited the baseball field recently and found it completely covered with newly tarred nets. Not only was the field covered but considerable of the surrounding grounds. There was about 18,000 yards on a close estimate laid out here to dry, and these nets represent only a very small portion of the total.

Merchants are complaining of hard times. Business is very slack in all lines. The lumber mills are working on short time, the Branning mill here, in Edenton, working four days a week.

M. R. G.

We are overstocked with watches and are closing out the entire stock at greatly reduced prices. Sale lasts 10 days. J. O. Baxter, Leading Jeweler.

WOMAN SHOOTS ADVERTISING MAN

LAWS INTRODUCED PREVENTING COTTON LEAKS AND PREMATURE CROP REPORTS AS TO HELP SPECULATION

HUGHES BOOM LEAVES TAFT

Anthony Comstock's Testimony Favors Thaw—Henry Watterson Knocking Bryan—Death of Prominent Skipper—Challenge to American Yacht Club—Big Money In New York Banks.

Special to Journal.

New York, Jany 22.—Frank Brady, a well known advertising agent was shot and killed in the Macy restaurant at noon today, just as he had finwas evidently a former friend of the patrons of the same place. Brady was evidently a former friends of the woman, as they had been seen talking together in apparently a friendly mood. The murderess shot and killed herself before the dazed inmates could interfere. No motive is known for the deed.

Washington, D. C., Jany 22.—The House passed the Jones bill today—which makes it illegal to secure advance information on the cotton or grain situation as received at the government headquarters, for the purposes of speculation.

New York, Jany 22.—Governor Hughes will soon make a formal announcement of his candidacy for the Republican nomination. It is said that the news has caused considerable consternation in the Taft circle and the statement is received with different kinds of opinions.

New York, Jany 22.—JAnthony Comstock, the noted anti-vice crusader,—was on the stand in the Thaw trial today, and his testimony was favorable to the defendant. Thaw will be put on the stand in his own defense today.

Washington, D. C., Jany 22.—Henry Watterson, the able editor of the Louisville (Ky) Courier—Journal, says that the influence of William J. Bryan is plain to be seen in the present Senatorial contest in the State of Kentucky. He thinks it will weaken his chances for the Democratic nomination.

Southampton, Eng., Jany 22.—Benjamin Parker, skipper for Lipton in his yacht races and also sailor for Emperor Williams' yacht, died today.

Washington, D. C., Jany 22.—The State Department learns today that Japan and China are near war on account of disagreement on railroad. It is feared that there may be complication between the two countries.

Death of Eugene Wallnau

Mr. Eugene Wallnau died suddenly in his room over his store last evening about six o'clock. He was engaged in conversation with Mrs. Cohen at the time, and appeared to be in a fairly good condition of health. He had been seriously ill from an attack of acute indigestion, but was recovering and he and his friends believed he would soon be well. He had arisen from the bed he was lying on, and walked a few steps and dropped to the floor, dying in a few moments. A doctor was summoned, but dissolution had taken place before he arrived.

Mr. Wallnau had been in business in New Bern for many years, having built a trade from small beginnings to one of quite large proportions, and he was beginning to enjoy the fruits of his labors. He was prominent among the Hebrew population and highly respected by all people. He was 57 years of age. Heart failure was the cause of his death.

The announcement of the funeral services will be made later.

Pollocksville Banking and Trust Company

Special to Journal.

Pollocksville, N. C., Jany 22.—The people of Pollocksville and surrounding country are to be congratulated on the convenience offered them by the Pollocksville Banking and Trust Company. The need of this institution has been felt by the business people for a long time, and now after having realized the advantages given by the bank, they wonder how they could have done business so long in the old way, banking away from home. The personnel of an institution of this kind adds materially to the pleasure derived in dealing with it. Mr. H. A. Clough, the clever and accommodating cashier, adds much to the pleasure in doing business with this bank.

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WATCH FOR YELLOW

TWO STORES. J. J. BAXTER

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