

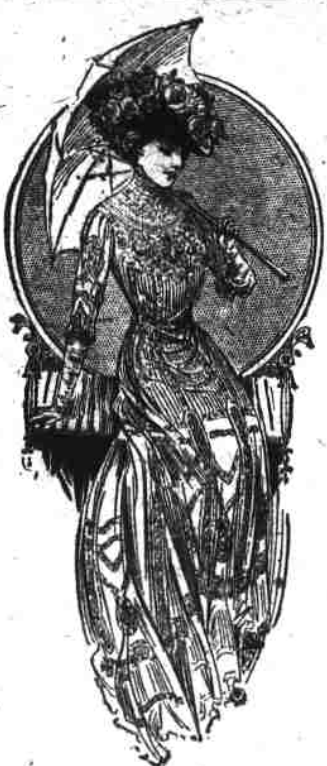
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Appellate Court Confirms Sentence in New York.

New York May 4.—The United States Court of Appeals handed down a decision affirming the decree of the United States Circuit Court in which the Standard Oil Company was fined \$20,000 by a jury before Judge Noyes, in the Western District of New York, for violation of the Inter State Commerce act.

There were 40 counts in the indictment, brought under the Elkins act, and the defendant was found guilty on each. These counts charge acceptance of concessions by the Standard from the published and filed tariffs on inter-State transportation of petroleum between August 15, 1904, and May 17, 1905, between Olean, N. Y. and Rutland, Vt., and between Olean and Belknap Falls, Vt.

The allegations in general were that the Pennsylvania, New York Central and the Rutland Railroads published and filed tariffs, but at the request of the oil company the railroads unlawfully transported a carload of oil at a lower rate and that the company knowingly accepted such concession.

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A Sad Case

In the Police Court yesterday afternoon Lillian Laughinghouse, a young white woman who lives near Five Points was given a hearing on a complaint made by a number of reputable citizens charging her with improper conduct and being a public prostitute.

Thy evidence given by all who were familiar with the case was very damaging and although she put up a plea for mercy she was ordered to move.

Getting the Umpire's Goat

Have you heard the newest baseball song hit? If not next Sunday's New York World has a musical treat in store for you. "Let's Get the Umpire's Goat" is the title of the song by Nora Bayes and Jack Norworth, of the "Jolly Bachelors" company.

This is the baseball season, so everybody will recollect what a great hit "Casey at the Bat" made. "Let's Get the Umpire's Goat" promises to make a still greater one. By special arrangement with the publishers, the complete words and music of this song will be published next Sunday in The New York World. Order in advance.

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Hubert Items

May 4.—We are having some very cool weather at this time of the year, the farmers have planted cotton and they want it to turn warm so the cotton can come up.

We had a very nice rain last night and everything looks like it has got a new spirit in it.

There were a party of the young people of Hubert and Stella, that attended the picnic at Mayville last Tuesday.

Miss Annie Hestall and Miss Louise Henderson spent last Monday with Miss Modell Frazier.

We had a sad death with us that was Mr. Lisa Freeman who passed away last Tuesday morning, who lived to be 86 years old and leaves 5 sons and 3 daughters and wife and a host of friends to grieve his loss.

Wednesday night Mr. Bony Higgs, and Miss Emma Parks were happily married by Mr. C. A. Conroy.

Mrs. Theodosia Frazier and daughter of Hubert is spending a few days in Greensboro.

Mr. Bill Bell and son Mr. N. L. Bell, made a business trip to Mayville last Monday.

Mr. Robert Jones and Mr. Heston Jones went to Jacksonville Wednesday on some business.

There is going to be a free trip to the beach from Mr. B. H. Jones, leaving the 31 of May everybody is invited to come and bring well filled baskets, we leave the landing at 8 o'clock sharp.

Let us hear from the red cross boys again.

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Columbia First City in South To Try New Government.

Columbia, S. C., May 3.—Three members of the City Council, R. J. Black, W. F. Stieglitz and B. C. Keenan, were nominated yesterday under the commission form of government, thus completing the ticket. The Mayor is W. H. Gibbs, and the other Councilman is R. W. Shand, both being nominated in a primary recently held. The general election to be held later is only a matter of form. Columbia is the first city in the South Atlantic States to adopt the commission form of government, this being done some time ago, by a vote of 185 to 78.

Our car of Pittsburgh Fencing has arrived. See us at once. Basnight Hdw. Co.

Married.

Last night at the residence of Merriam Hamilton on Barn street, Mr. Roland Styron and Miss Bessie Mason, both of this city. Justice of the Peace J. M. Hines officiating.

To The Public.

The statement in the Sun of the 4th said that some one in my family gave out the information as to the cause of the fire which damaged my property Tuesday morning is entirely incorrect. As no one in my family smokes there could be no lighted cigarette or cigar stubs. Nor has any one of my family given out information that the fire was due to an electric wire in contact with the wood work. The origin of the fire is unknown.

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Fishes up Old Relic

Several days ago Lynn Stewart, a colored fisherman who lives in this city, fished up and old army revolver out of Neuse river that had doubtless been used by some of the Revolutionists. The weapon was covered with rust and at a glance it was almost impossible to tell whether it was a decayed piece of wood or a pistol. Stewart is contemplating presenting his find to the State Museum.

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VOICE OF THE PEOPLE.

CENSUS ENUMERATION

MR. EDITOR:—I feel in justice to myself as the enumerator of the 13th. census in the 5th. and 6th. wards of the whites of this city that I can not let your editorial of May 5th stand unanswered. I know that the count of the whites in these wards have been perfect. I know I had the most difficult work of all the enumerators, while they only had to step from one house to another I had to pass house after house and enquire where the white families lived and there is not a white family in these two wards that I did not see. The head of the family, either father or mother and get the information. I went in every house, I did not take it from neighbors, neither did I "light about in spots." Of course the work is some what difficult. Some refuse to answer the questions until they find they have to and give the enumerator a lot of trouble. Some will not even trust you sometimes and sometimes you have to go back to find them, and the pay is less than it was ten years ago, but with all that every enumerator in the city of New Bern knew before they took the oath to faithfully discharge their duty, when the pay was, if they should not do the work right and perfect for the pay, they should not have taken the oath. I was the enumerator of the whites of the 5th. and 6th. wards have faithfully discharged my duty and know that my numbers are perfect. I want you to give publicly in your paper that my work was perfectly done so that the confidence of the city council for me to faithfully execute the oath that I took.

MRS. LULA M. DISNEY.

(If Mrs. Disney will send the editorial referred to in her personal communication will be returned.)

OFFICERS SNUB
MR. BRYAN.

Democratic Commissioners Close Court House to Him.

Lincoln, Neb., May 4.—Mr. Bryan, was snubbed in the Democratic board of county commissioners at Nebraska City yesterday. He had announced that tonight at a meeting arranged to bring pressure to bear upon State Senator Buck, of Otoe County, to agree to vote for the initiative and referendum amendment.

Word was sent him by the board, all of whom oppose his plan as a roundabout way to secure county option in the State, that he could not have the court house, Mr. Bryan made this statement later: "I shall speak there, next week at another hall or out doors. Meanwhile the people of Nebraska may understand what special interest it is that is endeavoring to suppress free speech and free discussion of public questions."

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Chamber Commerce Meeting.

The regular monthly meeting of the Chamber of Commerce was held at the court house in this city last night, I. H. Cutler, Jr., presiding, W. G. Boyd, secretary. There was a good attendance.

The matter of bi-Centennial Celebration came up, C. J. McCarthy chairman making a favorable report. R. A. Nunn read the program for the week's events. T. F. McCarthy spoke of the proposed street lighting in the way of illumination. J. J. Wolfenden, chairman music committee, made his report. G. N. Ives, chairman on river events spoke.

The proposed New Bern Fair came up for a long discussion. Reports were made by J. A. Bryan and R. A. Nunn. A committee of ten was appointed to go before the board of aldermen at their next meeting, and enter protest against the purchase of the lot corner Broad and Middle, Davis Pharmacy, as being unsuitable.

Now is the time to buy light clothing and summer Underwear, we have them in all weights and grades. J. J. Baxter.

Another Forest Fire in Pamlico

A telephone message from Pamlico county yesterday stated that another forest fire had broken out in that county and that much valuable timber was being destroyed.

This is the second time within the past few weeks that one of these destructive fires has raged and with the dry condition of the timber is in just at this time it is almost impossible to extinguish it.

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Riverdale to Have Public Road.

A delegation from Riverdale appeared before the board of county commissioners Tuesday, petitioning for a public road leading from Brice Creek church to the post office. There was some opposition and legal talent had to be employed on both sides but the board finally ordered that a jury be summoned to lay off the road. Riverdale is only a few hundred yards from the New Bern and Beaufort road, but there has never been any public highway to connect the two points. The passway has for 30 years been merely a woods road that was moved, or shut up, at the will of those over whose lands it should happen to cross. Lately, on account of a feud between two of the land owners, the traveling public had to drive a considerable distance out of the way through the woods to reach the station and post office, the other road being shut up. The order of the commissioners will perhaps settle the matter once, for all time, much to the benefit of the whole neighborhood.

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