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UNION POINT

WOULD NEVER
GET HIM OUTOnce in the White House, Henry
Waterson Thinks, Absolu-
tism Would Result

Atlanta, Ga., Dec. 27.—"Rooseveltism would mean absolutism," declared Henry L. Waterson, editor of the Louisville Courier-Journal in an interview today in which he expressed the belief that the long-hoped-for change of parties in power was at hand. "If they put him in the White House again we will never get him out except feet foremost."

"I believe that the party discipline and organization will be strong enough to secure Mr. Taft's nomination; still a stampede for Mr. Roosevelt is not impossible. It looks as though his friends are playing a very wary game to that end. It is my opinion, however, that what Mr. Taft lacks at one end Mr. Roosevelt lacks at the other. No man can ride two horses going in opposite directions at the same time. In seeking to ride the proletariat of the West while making his peace with the interests of Wall Street Mr. Roosevelt is attempting this pass. There is a yet greater dragon across his path than any of the lions he encountered in Africa. That is the third term issue."

"The limitation set upon the occupancy of the Presidency office is all that stands between us and life tenure. The election of Roosevelt in 1912 would mean an exigency in 1916 and a Diaz election in 1920. Now, when we can consider that the President of the United States has more power than any sovereign in the world it is easy to see that the abrogation of the third term tradition would mean something little short of absolutism. On that issue, which would become immediately paramount in the campaign, I do not believe Mr. Roosevelt, with all his extraordinary resources and popularity, would carry a single state in the Union."

Don't miss the big Dog and
Monkey show at The Athens to-
day.

WILLIAMS' KIDNEY PILLS

Have you neglected your kidneys? Have you overworked your nervous system and caused trouble with your kidneys and bladder? Have you pains in loins, side, back, groins and bladder? Have you a flabby appearance of the face, especially under the eyes? Too frequent desire to pass urine? If so, Williams' Kidney Pills will cure you at Drugist, Price 50c. Williams' Mfg. Co., Prop., Cleveland, O.

Hookworm Disease—Diagnosis—Treatment—Prevention.

There are three methods of diagnosing hookworm disease. First by microscopic examination of the feces to find the eggs of the hookworm. The State Laboratory of Hygiene at Raleigh makes this examination free of charge. Second, the clinical symptoms of the disease in severe cases are sufficient for making a diagnosis. Third, by experimental treatment and finding the expelled worms. The principle underlying the treatment of hookworm disease is to kill the parasite. This can be done with thymol and epsom salts properly administered. The treatment is simple, inexpensive and harmless. If all people who have the disease would be treated and every one wear shoes for a few months till the germs in the soil die, there would be no more hookworm disease. As this is practically impossible we are forced to rely on sanitary measures largely to prevent reinfection.

As horticulturists have agreed that the diseases most dreaded can be traced to causes well known; that their spread may be prevented and stamped out and kept out by proper precautions. Is it not infinitely wiser to prevent soil pollution by using sanitary toilets and thereby eradicate hookworm disease, than to allow these parasites to sap the blood and blast the homes of hundreds of thousands of our people? The disease is causing mental and physical degeneracy and industrial inefficiency. To many of its victims it brings not only physical suffering but misery and distress from the poverty which it breeds. Sanitation means the salvation of one's community, the salvation of one's country, the salvation of the world, from preventable disease.

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NOTICE.

We will keep open each night until 9 o'clock beginning on the 15th, and continuing through the holidays, will be glad to have my city customers visit our store at night as we can give you much better service as we are so crowded through the day.

J. H. MILLER
The Furniture Man.TOO MUCH
CHRISTMASA Score or More Lined Up Before
Mayor McCarthy Tuesday
Afternoon.

A score or more of offenders, some watery-eyed and still weak from the effects of the whiskey they had imbibed during the holidays and which had caused their downfall, some defiant and presenting a countenance which clearly showed that they thought they had been outraged by being brought into court, lined up before Mayor McCarthy Tuesday afternoon and answered for their transgressions.

Green McDaniel, colored, could doubt less be classed as the leading man, in the "mellow drama" which was enacted before the large audience. The scene was set on picturesque Long Wharf and McDaniel was ably supported by a capable company of players. The first act showed the star engaged in pummeling several young men who happened to be in that locality at that time. Of course the scene would have been imperfect without some retaliation on their part and the curtain fell (amid much applause) on a scene depicting the stellar performer in ignominious retreat. The second and last act showed the interior of a colored woman's cottage and the star crouched in one corner of the room. A knock at the door and the strong arm of the law appears on the scene (more applause.) The truant is placed under arrest carried to the dungeon (city lock up) and allowed to sleep off the 18 karat jag with which he is hindered. Mayor McCarthy decided that as long as McDaniel had been the aggressor in all the trouble he could pay \$3 and the cost of the case. This he did and was allowed to go in search of a more appropriate vehicle for his next appearance.

Walter Jones, colored, started out early Monday morning equipped with what he thought, two very necessary articles, viz: a revolver and a quart of whiskey. During his rambling he purchased a box of blank cartridges and proceeded to enliven things in his locality by a fusillade of shots. Officer McDaniel happened along about that time and Jones was piloted toward the rendezvous of other celebrators. He explained things to the Mayor and was dismissed with a severe reprimand and a warning about discharging firearms.

Emma Cooper, a colored damsel, who had been there before, was the next of fender. She was charged with shooting a revolver, but it turned out that she was on her own premises and she was dismissed.

Rob Phillips, colored, called upon a friend of his while in an intoxicated condition and told him that his hour had arrived. However the friend called the bluff by going for an officer, but before Phillips had used considerable vile language on other's premises. For this indiscretion he was taxed with the cost of the case.

Taken as a whole there was comparatively little disorderly conduct during the holidays and the Mayor felt inclined to be as lenient as possible with the offenders. Several had spent Christmas in jail and this was quite sufficient punishment for them. However, the season for celebrating is now over and those who still persist in celebrating will not be dealt with as easy as those who fell into the police drag net during the past few days.

Ray Rush with his animal ac-
tors, nine performers, at The
Athens tonight.

Notice—Watch This.

A brand span splendid new 8 room house, toilet and bath, modern and up to date and an automobile house, all to rent or lease, at No. 22 New street. See Big Hill, the man who sells Shingles for less, and the only Shingle man.

COTTON MARKET

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New York Cotton.				
	Open	High	Low	Close
Dec.	92 1/2	92 3/4	90 1/2	92 1/2
Jan.	87 1/2	87 3/4	87 1/2	87 1/2
March	89 1/2	89 3/4	88 1/2	89 1/2
May	90 1/2	90 3/4	89 1/2	90 1/2

New York Spots 5.50.

Liverpool Cotton Market.

	Opening	Closing
Jan. Feb.	4 1/2	4 1/2
May Jun.	4 1/2	4 1/2

New Bern Market.

Middle, 12 1/2.
St. Middle 12 1/2.
Good Middle 12 1/2.
Below none.MILLIONS FOR
EDUCATIONSouth Will Derive Great Benefit
From Distribution of Peabody
Fund.

New York, Dec. 27.—An appeal to friends of education in America for \$1,000,000 to make the George Peabody College for Teachers at Nashville Tenn. a great final memorial to Mr. Peabody's beneficent service to the South and the educational crown of the system of schools now established in that section is embodied in a lengthy statement from the trustees of the Peabody Education Fund issued tonight.

The trustees give notice of having voted to close the trust pursuant to the permission given them by the founder after distributing millions in building up State systems of public schools, aiding the development of rural schools and establishing departments of education in the State universities.

"Since 1865," the statement continues, "the Peabody Fund has aided in maintaining the Peabody Normal College at Nashville, Tenn., as the central and leading normal school for the South, in closing the trust, the trustees have undertaken to find a successor to this the George Peabody College for Teachers."

The statement goes on to explain that this institution is to be for the higher education of teachers throughout the South.

To this end the trustees have given a sum of \$1,000,000, concurrent with gifts by the State of Tennessee, county of Davidson and the city of Nashville, amounting to \$550,000, and 16 acres of land, with buildings, by the University of Nashville. In the final dissolution of the Peabody fund the trustees have offered to endow the college with an additional \$500,000, provided that within two years from November 1, 1911, the college raises \$1,000,000.

"All experts on the subject," the statement continues, "know that such a college is the greatest crying need of the South today. The Southern States, with a courage and self-sacrifice rarely if ever equaled, are devoting every year from 35 to 40 per cent. of the amount raised by taxation to the education of both races, wisely recognizing that this is their best hope for the future. But these sums must go to the public schools and State institutions. Much as this central teachers' college is needed to do a work which no State are barred by constitutional limitations from contribution to its maintenance."

Send the children to the Matinee 3:45, at The Athens to see the big Dog and Monkey show today, also three reels of good pictures.

Tea Postponed.

A cablegram announces that Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Blades did not sail from Naples until Dec. 24th, the day they expected to arrive in New York. Their failure to reach New Bern when expected necessitates the postponement of Mrs. Buford's tea invitations which have been issued for December 30th. Mr. and Mrs. Blades expect to arrive in New York on the 6th of January.

Laid To Rest.

All that was mortal of the late J. J. Wolfenden was laid to rest in Cedar Grove cemetery Wednesday afternoon. The services at Centenary Methodist Church were largely attended. There were a number of intimate and life long friends honorary pall bearers, Confederate Veterans and Daughters of the Confederacy formed an escort. Rev. J. B. Hurley of Centenary, and Rev. Dr. Sumner of the Presbyterian Church, officiated.

Pictures—Great Assortment.

You can buy at your own price, as pictures are not selling fast since so many people have their own special subjects framed. Anything in the picture line at cost, will show you the bill to prove to you if you want to see it.

J. S. MILLER.

The Furniture Man.

Baptist Union Meeting.

Onslow County, December 27th—

The next session will be held with the Capersum church, beginning Friday, Dec. 29th. Visitors and delegates will go to Belgrade station where they will be met and driven to the church. Business men are especially urged to attend. Ladies and young people are cordially invited. Rev. E. T. Carter, D. D. of New Bern, is expected to preach the introductory sermon, a number of interesting speakers will present important subjects.

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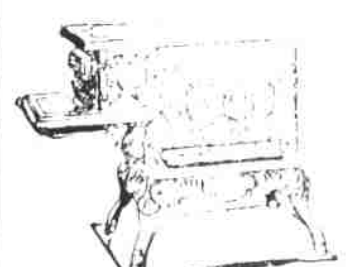
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