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Country roads in China are never bounded by fences, but are entirely undefined. While the farmer has the right to plough up any road passing through his land, drivers of vehicles have an equal right, and they exercise it, to traverse any portion of the country at large.

The steward of a big restaurant in St. Louis gives a bill of fare to cost \$25 per plate exclusive of wine and the President Association, of that city, advertises to give a square meal for 7 cents, consisting of soup, pork and beans, potatoes, rutabaga, bread, coffee and peach pudding.

An old lady at Oxford, Mich., just returned from California, where she and her husband had spent the winter, was asked by one of her neighbors if she had heard an earthquake while there. She answered: "Yes, I heard one, and rather enjoyed it; for it was the first thing that happened since John and I have been married that he did not think I was to blame for."

Archdeacon Farrar, in a recent reminiscence, says that when a young man he heard Macaulay name every woman who had ever been executed in England. He was then asked if he could name all of the Archbishops. "Oh, yes," he replied: "any school boy could do that." The Archdeacon says that Macaulay's memory made him the most wonderfully informed man that ever lived.

The New York committee for the cultivation of vacant lots by the unemployed are increasing their operations greatly this year. They have secured 321 acres of land for the coming summer, and ploughing has already begun. The committee furnish seed, tools, fertilizer and instruction by a practical farmer, and in fact carry on a farm training school. Already farmers are appreciating its value, and many after one year's work under the committee have been able to get employment on farms.

A Solon (Me.) correspondent of the Kennebec Journal says: "When young men can't go to church and sit with their best girls, things have come to a pretty pass, and it is about time to stop going, but such is the case at the Methodist church. One of the deacons who led the meeting Sunday evening said that gentlemen should not come to church with ladies; that men should sit on one side of the house and the women on the other. Then another deacon got up and made a speech, and after he had finished talking seventeen young men and women left the church. They will go to the Congregational church hereafter, where they will be welcome, and where the men won't have to sit on one side of the house and women on the other."

These are the titles in full of the Roman Pontiff: "His Holiness Leo XIII, Bishop of Rome, Vicar of Jesus Christ, 258th successor of the Prince of the Apostles, Supreme Pontiff of the Church Universal, Patriarch of the West, Primate of Italy, Archbishop and Metropolitan of the Roman Province, Sovereign of the Temporal Dominions of the Holy Roman Church, Prefect of the Sacred Congregations of the Inquisition and the Consistory of the Apostolic Visit, President of the Pontifical Commission for the Renovation of Dissenting Churches, and Protector of the Church and Chapter of St. Celsus and St. Julianus of the Orders of St. Benedict, of Preachers, of the Friars Minor, and also of the Archfraternities of the Via Crucis, of Jesus and Mary, and of the Stigmata of St. Francis."

John Barnes, a coal black young negro of Brooklyn, has begun a suit against Dr. Sanita Crova in the Supreme Court in Brooklyn for \$10,000 damages for personal injuries and mental suffering resulting it is alleged, from the doctor's attempt to transform Barnes's skin from black to white. Barnes sets forth in his complaint that in July last Dr. Crova made a written agreement to give him \$5 a week for submitting to a skin-changing experiment, the understanding being that the job would be accomplished successfully in six weeks. In the process he had to submit, he says, to powerful chemical baths, which caused him great pain and a burning sensation. When the experiments were abandoned

his skin was as black as ever, and his finger nails marked with deep black stains which cannot be removed. His mind, he says, has been more or less disturbed through the experience he has passed through.

A NEW SCHEDULE.

Street Cars Now Run Until 11 O'clock at Night.

With the changes in the Raleigh Electric Company's management come improvements which mean much for the convenience of the patrons of the Electric cars.

The summer schedule has gone into effect and instead of the cars meeting at the Capitol Square every twenty minutes they will hereafter make more hurried trips and every quarter of an hour the trip is made.

Another feature of the new schedule will meet with the thanks of the riding public. The cars previous to this time have returned to the power house every night at 10:30 o'clock but from to-day the hour for the last trip is changed and the service is prolonged until 11 o'clock. This has long been wished for by the people of Raleigh and Superintendent Johnson deserves commendation for the great improvements he has already accomplished.

The summer cars, elegantly equipped are now running regularly and the service given is excellent considering the number of passengers handled daily.

There remains one greatly needed improvement and it is the prolongation of the Fayetteville street line to the Centennial Graded School which was proposed some weeks ago and favorably considered by several of the Raleigh Electric Company's directors. The Fayetteville street car now stops at the corner of Davie and Fayetteville streets, giving service to the business portion of the city but neglecting the southern part of Raleigh. The enterprises in that section of the town would soon give the company much revenue, certainly more than the union depot contributed, and many believe as much as the Blount street line now furnishes.

HAD A CLOSE CALL.

An Ex-Convict Arrested Here for Murder of Richmond Policeman.

The Richmond police authorities are making desperate efforts to capture the two young negro burglars who shot and killed Policeman Austin of that city while he was attempting to arrest them on the morning of April 11th.

Telegrams and letters giving descriptions of the murderers have been sent all over the country with the announcement of a good reward, and especially in North Carolina have the circulars been distributed for the two criminals are supposed to have come from this State.

Chief of Police Norwood has been requested to be on the lookout for the men, and a close watch has been made here since the news of the murder reached Raleigh.

It now comes to light that Monday afternoon a negro answering in every detail the description of one of the murderers, was found near Pace's store, in North East Raleigh, and he was arrested by members of the Raleigh police force. The negro made a denial and showed his papers of release from the North Carolina State Penitentiary. The release stated that he was given his liberty on the 14th of April and as the murder was committed on the 11th inst., he was at once released. All of the necessary arrangements for taking him to Richmond would have been completed in short order, but the ex-convict is free and happy.

It was a close call for him since the description answered in every particular there would have been no other way for the darkey to have avoided trial, had he not been able to furnish the papers of identification.

"FAUST" LAST NIGHT.

John Griffith and His Company Delighted Those Present.

The recent attractions at Metropolitan Opera House were greeted by empty houses and last night the John Griffith Company, presenting "Faust" broke the ice and a fair audience was present. If the people of Raleigh had known what a really good thing was in store for them the hall would have been well filled with the city's best people.

Mr. Griffith, as Mephisto, was excellent. He is not quite the equal of Morrison who has made himself famous in that role but his future is a bright one and as a tragedian his superior seldom visits the South.

The role of Marguerite, which requires the most emotional of characters was well handled by Miss Kathryn Purnell. The electrical display has never been equalled on a stage in Raleigh and the company would have acted wisely by making a two night stay here.

THE AMNESTY TAX.

It will be well for those of our unfortunate citizens who owe the city back taxes to recollect that the time for paying the same expires May 1st—free of penalty. After that you will have to pay cost. So it is your fault if you fail to take advantage of the above—and you will have no cause for kicking in the future. Now is the accepted time. The tax collector will have no authority to extend the time beyond May 1st, as the time was fixed by the resolution of the Board of Aldermen.

BELVIN-HARDIN.

Marriage at Edenton Street Methodist Church this Morning.

The Rev. W. C. Norman this morning performed the ceremony uniting in marriage Miss Katie Belvin to Mr. John W. Hardin.

The wedding was one of the most beautiful in detail that has ever taken place in Edenton Street church.

At eleven o'clock the bridal party arrived at the church. A large number of friends were present to witness the ceremony. Miss Lula Holden, at the organ, had rendered several selections, while the guests gathered and as the ushers entered in advance of the bridal party, played the Bridal chorus from Lohengrin.

The bride, preceded by her sister, Miss Bessie Belvin, as maid of honor, entered the church with her brother, Mr. Chas. H. Belvin, Jr., and at the altar was met by the groom with his best man, Dr. J. M. Ayer. At the altar rail the bridesmaids and ushers took positions on each side of the minister and facing the wedding guests.

During the ceremony the organist softly played "Answer," and with the last words of the blessing, began Mendelssohn's wedding march, and in the following order the bridal party left the church: The bride and the groom on the left aisle; Dr. J. M. Ayer with Miss Bessie Belvin; Dr. H. A. Royster with Miss Laura Adair of Atlanta; Mr. John Stronach with Miss Corrie Petty, of Carthage; Mr. James O. Litchford with Miss Annie Hill; Mr. E. B. Crow with Miss Nellie Massey; Mr. Irvin Jones with Miss Mamie Robbins; Mr. Rawley Galloway with Miss Mary Davis, of Louisburg.

From the church many friends accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Hardin to the union depot, where they took the Seaboard Air Line train for a tour through the great cities of the north.

The pulpit and Altar rail of the church were beautifully decorated with Stately palms, ferns and lilies.

The bride was elegantly gowned in a dark travelling suit, and carried a handsome bouquet of bride roses.

The maid of honor, dressed in white organdie with satin trimmings, carried a bouquet of pink carnations.

All of the bridesmaids wore white duck suits, and white sailor hats.

Miss Belvin was one of Raleigh's most popular women and has many friends who join Mr. Hardin's friends in wishing them every happiness and extending to him their heartiest congratulations.

WANT THAT FAT OFFICE.

Did Dr. Mott Come Here in the Interest of Gen Cowles?

Republicans continue to look with longing eyes toward the vacant office of treasurer of the North Carolina Railroad.

A sinecure with a salary of \$2,000 a year and a \$600 clerkship is not a plum that drops any old day, and they know it.

"If the Governor is so anxious to get a Railroad Commissioner to sniff him," said Dr. Abbott, "he now has a chance. Let him appoint me treasurer of the North Carolina Railroad and I'll resign as Commissioner."

It was suggested that such a swap would not be without precedent, but that, profiting by John R. Smith's experience, it would be well to have a guarantee on the new job, or it might not last long.

Chairman Caldwell said he didn't know but that he also might be induced to resign again if he could get so soft a snapp in place of the present precarious position he is now popularly supposed to hold down.

The most active candidate yet in the field for the place is Adjutant General Cowles. He has not only been writing to the Governor on the subject, but it is said that it was in his interest that Dr. Mott came down here Sunday.

There is no telling just now who will be appointed. The \$300 clerkship was created to give State Treasurer Vardell's son a job and to enable Walton to live in Morganton and draw the salary and keep the office at Burlington open. Since Walton's death the duties of the office have been performed entirely by young Worth.

There are not a few Republicans who believe that when the Governor does appoint he will name a Populist for the place.

SATURDAY'S GREAT GAME.

Carolina and Virginia Meet Next Saturday—Large Crowd Expected.

The annual championship game between the baseball teams of the North Carolina and Virginia Universities is always a matter of public interest, and the contest this year promises to be more exciting than usual. As the day approaches, the students of both institutions become more anxious as to the result, for the record of each team this season has been such as to put them in the same class.

The fact of their being evenly matched has attracted the attention of "cranks" far and wide, and a larger crowd is expected this year than ever before. Each team has lost one game, but as North Carolina tied the team that defeated Virginia, the odds are slightly in favor of the Tar Heels.

Both teams are particularly strong in batting, a fact which predicts interest for the spectators. Lawson, the clever twirler for Carolina, has not yet lost a game, and the White and Blue supporters are hanging a large part of their hopes on him. Virginia claims to have a "puzzle" in the person of Summersgill, who pitched for Brown University last season. It was he who defeated Yale last week.

Tickets have been placed on sale at King's Drug store for the special train that is to be run from Raleigh. It is scheduled to leave the Union station at 1 o'clock, and will reach Chapel Hill in ample time for the game. Returning, it leaves immediately after the game, arriving at Raleigh about 8 o'clock.

A large crowd will go from Durham, and it is expected that many from Greensboro, Winston and other points west will attend.

I. O. R. M.

Regular meeting of Osceola Tribe, No. 1, this (Wednesday) evening at 8 o'clock in Jr. O. U. A. M. hall. Invitation. Every member urged to be present.

G. W. BRYANT, SACHEM.

Mr. A. Frank Page, of Aberdeen, is in Raleigh to-day.

TO BE HERE THE 26TH.

Standing of the Boston Festival Orchestra Coming to Raleigh.

The tenth annual tour of the Boston Festival Orchestra is to commence this month. It is under the management of George W. Stewart, a well-known Bostonian and the orchestra, which consists of fifty performers, will be directed by Emil Mollenhauer.

This excellent organization, which has been in the habit of making an annual tour of the United States and Canada, will this season include the principles of the South, and will be heard in Raleigh April 26th.

Manager Stewart says in his prospectus:

"The plan adopted by the management of the Boston Festival Orchestra some years ago introduced to the smaller cities of the United States musical entertainments given on a truly metropolitan scale has demonstrated the fact that all sections of the country are quick to appreciate and ready to support what is truly noble and best in the art of music.

"It has been, and will continue to be, the aim of the organization to give only the best, and in our endeavor to present to our patrons an orchestra that will compare favorably with the best orchestras of Europe and artists, the simple announcement of whose names is a guarantee of the highest excellence, no expense has been spared; rather has money been lavishly expended, for the daily expenses of the combination as it will be heard in the Southern cities are nearly if not quite \$1,500 per day."

One of the principal features of the tour will be the production of the principal scenes from Rossini's "Barbiere di Siviglia," after the manner adopted by Mme. Sembrich—that is, with the omission of the chorus.

INTEREST INCREASING.

The interest in the revival services at Edenton Street Methodist church is increasing, and the pastor, Rev. W. C. Norman, is doing a great work this week. Several conversions were made last night.

The services will continue hereafter at 8 o'clock every night, and at 10:30 in the morning.

CONFIRMATION TO-NIGHT.

To-night at the Church of the Good Shepherd a class of sixteen will be confirmed by Bishop Joseph Blount Cheshire. The services will begin at 8 o'clock, and the sermon will be preached by the Rev. Mr. Bell, of Wilson. The public is cordially invited.

DON'T GET CAUGHT NAPPING.

It will be well for our merchants and business men generally, who are in the habit of taking or cashing city warrants, to remember that the city treasurer will pay warrant unless the warrant has stamped on the back by the tax collector, "Taxes Paid."

ALL MAY GO TO WAR.

And Insurance Rates of Virginia Company Will Not Increase.

Now that every one is talking about war, and many people are about to enlist, the subject of life insurance is widely discussed.

In Raleigh there are over 3,000 insurance policy holders in the life insurance company of Virginia and the following letter to the efficient superintendent of that Company's work here, is of importance not only to those insured, but also to those who contemplate taking out policies in any insurance company.

The letter reads as follows: Office of Vice-President, Life Insurance Company of Virginia, Richmond, Va., April 19th, 1898.

Dear Sir:—After careful consideration the Life Insurance Company of Virginia has decided that all of its industrial policy-holders having policies now in force which prohibit active service in the army or navy in time of war, or any such policies that may be written prior to the actual commencement of hostilities, will be given permission to volunteer in the army and navy of the United States in the event of war between this country and Spain, without prejudice to their policies.

Every such policy-holder of the Life Insurance Company of Virginia who wishes to enlist in the event of war with Spain, can, by sending his policy to the home office, have permission to do so endorsed upon the contract without any additional premium charge.

The above notice to policy-holders will be published in the next issue of the Virginia.

Yours truly,

J. G. WALKER,

Vice-President.

LOST.

A bunch of keys. Finder will please deliver to E. T. Boykin, Jones and Boykins' law office.

Buy Shad from Britton Pearce and save money. Big lots received daily. Phone 2290.

Florida Oranges at Dugh's.

Britton Pearce is selling fine Roe and Buck Shad cheaper than any other dealer in the city. Phone 2290.

THE SALE IS NOW COMPLETE.

Battle's Corner Tenant Agrees to Vacate For Mr. Tucker.

The people of Raleigh will rejoice to hear that Mr. W. R. Tucker has at last succeeded in making such terms with the lessee of the drug store on Battle's corner as will enable him to get possession of the building at once, tear it down and begin the erection of what will be the handsomest office building in the city.

Mr. Tucker has been most liberal to the present tenants of the building, and now that he has possession of it, he will begin work preparatory to erecting the new structure at the earliest possible date.

His plans in regard to the new building are not yet complete, but it will probably be four stories high, with basement, and will cost between \$25,000 and \$30,000. The first floor will be handsome stores. The other floors will be offices.

The corner store, when the building is completed, will be a drug store. The store adjoining, on Fayetteville street, will be occupied by Cross and Linahan.

The stock of drugs now in the store on Battle's corner, will be moved into the wooden building now occupied by J. M. Broughton & Co. on Martin street. This will be done within the next few days.

This deal means much for Raleigh in every way, and is in line with the other improvements being made in the city.

ANOTHER PEARSON.

Mr. Sam T. Pearson is a Democrat and Not an Applicant for Office.

In a recent issue, in speaking of the vacant position as treasurer of the North Carolina Railroad, the name of Mr. Sam T. Pearson was mentioned as an applicant. This was an error as to initials. Mr. Sam T. Pearson has always been an active and useful Democrat, and the mention of his name in this connection with a position under Governor Russell is unfortunate and we regret it. In a private letter Mr. Pearson says:

"I never dreamed of applying for this or any other place, and as I do not know Governor Russell, I have no idea he ever heard of my name in connection with it."

A well known Republican told a reporter that he had heard the name of Pearson mentioned in connection with the race, but gave a reporter the wrong initials. He says he meant Mr. D. C. Pearson, the postmaster at Morganton. As he retired from the pie counter fully satisfied with the postoffice at Morganton, our Republican informant was in error in supposing that Mr. Pearson would like to swap places.

DR. THORNWELL'S ADDRESS.

Tickets of admission to this very entertaining lecture, which is to be delivered Friday night for the benefit of the Presbyterian church building fund, may be obtained at the Parlor Shoe Store and at King's drug store. Price of admission: Adults, 25 cents; children 15 cents.

NEW TELEPHONE COMPANY.

The Secretary of State to-day incorporated the King Mountain Telephone Company, with a capital stock of \$1,000. The incorporators are P. S. Baker, P. Dilling, C. E. Neisler, R. S. Plank and J. S. Manney.

CORPORATION FOR CHARLOTTE.

Articles of incorporation were to-day filed with the Secretary of State by Messrs. J. A. Halvin, of Mecklenburg county; J. H. Gouley, J. Holt, and R. J. Gouley, of Norfolk, Va., who wish to incorporate the "Queen City Telephone Company," with a capital stock not to exceed \$250,000.

George P. Hardy met with a painful accident this afternoon by getting his foot caught in a gas engine.

Vice-President W. W. Finley, of the Southern Railway, was here to-day. He left on his private car via the S. A. L. for Washington.

Mr. H. W. B. Glover, of the Seaboard Air Line, was in the city to-day.

SUPREME COURT DECISIONS.

Opinions were handed down as follows by the Supreme court yesterday afternoon:

State vs. Wolf, from Cabarrus; new trial.
Charlotte vs. Shepard, from Mecklenburg; former judgment affirmed.
Rothchild vs. McNichold, from Surry; reversed.
Dunavant vs. Railroad, from Catawba; no error.
Gaines vs. McAllister, from Guilford; new trial.
Newman vs. Bost, from Iredell; new trial.

Huntsman vs. Lumber Co., from Mitchell; modified and affirmed.
Bernhardt vs. Brown, from Burke; affirmed.
Jones vs. Insurance Co., from Caldwell; new trial.

Presnell vs. Garrison, from Burke; petition to rehear dismissed.

Clark vs. Peebles, from Halifax, (per curiam); modified and affirmed in accordance with the opinion at this term in a case between the same parties.

Marsh vs. Nimocks, from Cumberland; action dismissed.

Appeals from Twelfth district will be called on next Tuesday, April 20, in the following order:

State vs. Rumbough.
State vs. Patsell.
Stewart vs. Keener.
Everett vs. Railroad.
Hollingsworth vs. Duckworth.
Frisbee vs. Town of Marshall.
Morton vs. Devitt.

Allen vs. Hammond.
Berry vs. Railroad Co.
Parker vs. Hastings.
Moore vs. Wolfe.

Clonis vs. Simonds.
Thomas vs. Railroad Co.
Pickelsimer vs. Pickelsimer.
Owen vs. Paxton.
Rouse vs. Ditmore.
Russell vs. Hill.

Wilson vs. Featherston.
Woodcock vs. Merrimon.
Miller vs. Alexander.
Morrison vs. Chambers.
Sims vs. Lindsay.
Bank vs. Loughran.
Wyman vs. Taylor.
Alexander vs. Gwaltney.
So. Commission Company vs. Porter.
Andrews vs. Jones.
Fry vs. Graham.
Woodbury vs. Evans.
McClure vs. Spivey.
Commissioners of Buncombe vs. Payne.

Everett vs. Shuler.
Roberts vs. Roberts.
Davis vs. Long.
Tate vs. Commissioners of Haywood County.

Cooper vs. Wyman.
Cases from Eleventh district were argued yesterday as follows:

State vs. Ray, argued by Attorney General for State.

State vs. Ford, argued by Attorney General for State; Jones and Tillett, F. I. Osborne for defendant.

Benton vs. Railroad, submitted on briefs by Jones and Tillett; Covington and Redwine; F. I. Osborne for plaintiff; George F. Basson for defendant.

Spring vs. McCoy, argued by Jones and Tillett for plaintiff; F. I. Osborne for defendant.

Copeland vs. Collins, argued by S. Gallert for defendant appellant.

Carson vs. Carson, argued by A. G. Mangum for plaintiff; O. P. Mason for defendant.

Means vs. Railroad, argued by Osborne for plaintiff; Burwell, Walker and Cansler for defendant.

Bishop Cheshire returned from Wilmington this morning. He will visit the Church of the Good Shepherd and administer confirmation this evening.

The Rev. Mr. Bell, of Wilson, arrived in the city this morning and is the guest of Dr. and Mrs. Pittinger. He will preach the sermon at the Bishop's visitation to-night. Service will begin at 8 o'clock. The public is cordially invited.

Miss Etta Mabry left this morning for Mount Olive for a two months' visit to friends.

The bank-wrecker may be bailed out, but the bank usually sinks.

We never saw it rain cats and dogs, but have often seen people hail street cars.

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