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THE CHRONICLE.

CHARLOTTE, N. C.

## ROBERT BERRIER LYNCHED.

THE MURDERER OF HIS MOTHER-IN-LAW HANGED BY A MOB,

### AT 7:30 O'CLOCK LAST NIGHT.

The People in the Neighborhood of the Deed Greatly Stirred up.

Special to THE CHRONICLE.

LEXINGTON, N. C., Oct. 14.-Robert Berrier the slayer of Mrs. Herbert Walser, was taken out of jail to-night at seven thirty o'clock by a crowd of white men, numbering one hundred or more, and hanged to a tree on the outskirts of the town.

The lynching was done in a quiet and orderly manner. h The sheriff and officials of the law did their duty as far as I know, but the crowd was so great that they could not protect the prisoner's

#### THE PRELIMINARY HEARING.

#### An Earlier Dispatch Says Berrier Waiyed Examination-Threats of Lynching. Special to THE CHRONICLE.)

LEXINGTON, Oct. 14.-Robert Berrier who killed his mother-in-law, Mrs. H. Walser, was brought back from Greensboro on the noon train today, and was arraigned before Esquire Moyer. His counsel, M. H. Pinnix and W. B. Glenn, waived an examination and the prisoner Robert Berrier was committed to the county jail to await the action of the grand jury.

The excitement is still great, and the

town is full of country people, and threats of lynching are heard on every

If tonight passes without his being lyuched, I think his life will be spared and the law allowed to take its course Berrier was arrested near here Sunday and brought into town in the afternoon. A great crowd of people from the country swarmed into town and it looked as if Berrier would be lynched

Berrier was promptly corried before Esquire Moyer and committed to jail for a hearing at two o'clock today. The crowd became so threatening

that it was deemed best to get Berrier away; and he was taken to Greensboro on the 7:45 train last night, with the understanding that he should be brought here today on the 11 o'clock train for a hearing.
Public opinion was divided as to

lynching Berrier, and I thought the sober, second thought would prevail, and that the law would be allowed to take its course. The people in town as a unit, opposed his being lynched, and I thought, "if is done at all, it will done by the people in the neighborhood where the cowardly crime was committed."

The four months old child that he carried away, when he committed the terrible murder has been recovered. It was found in a hollow tree, all sound and well, and has been re-

stored to its mother.

[The crime for which Berrier was hanged was given in THE CHRONICLE at the time of the deed. Berrier married a grand-daughter of Henry Walser. He and his wife lived unhappily and finalseparated, their only child, a young baby, being taken by its mother to her mother's home. One day last week, while Berrier's father-in-law was at Morganton, where he had left his daughter in the asylum, Berrier went to his mother-in law's house near Lexing-ton to secure the child. He finally snatched the child away from the old lady, and as she followed him and tried to recover the child, Berrier pulled out a pistol and shot her dead. Berrier then fled with the child.]

#### OUTRAGE IN SOUTH CAROLINA. An old Man Taken from His House and Severely Beaten.

Special to THE CHROSICLE.1
GREENVILLE, S. C., Oct, 14.—I. I.
Nunely, sixty years old. who lives in
Pickens county, about eight miles from the city, was taken from his house on Friday night by three men, and brutally beaven with a heavy cart whip. No other reason was assigned than that he has been talking about one of the men. The men were not masked and were recognized, but they have disappeared. The old man's condition is serious, although he will not stay in bed.

## THE OLD NORTH STATE.

#### News From All Over the State Gathered From Fresh Exchanges.

Asheville Citizen: The very valuable farm belonging to Dr. W. Hilliard, lying about four miles south of this city, mg about four miles south of this city, was yesterday purchased by Charles McNamee, of New York for account of George H. Vandefbilt, the millionaire. The sale was a cash one, and twenty one thousand dollars was the price paid by Mr. McNamee for his purchose.

Mr. MeNamee for his purchose.

Fayetteville Observer: One hundred and twenty convicts arrived here on Wednesday night lass by the night freight and accommodation train on the Cape Fear & Yadkin Valley Railway. They were accompanied by a guard of twenty men, and on Thursday morning were carried to the steamer Hart, to be conveyed to Wilmington for work on the eastern end of the Cape Fear & Yadkin Valley road.

### Talmage's Tabernacie Burned.

BROOKLYN, Oct. 18.—At 2:45 this morning Rev. Dewitt Talmage's Tabernacle was totally destroyed by fire. In the opinion of the fire marshal the fire was started on the roof of the church by an electric bolt during a thunder storm. The grand organ was completely destroped. The loss on the Tabernacle is \$111,000, on the surrounding property \$16,000. The old Tabernacie was burned seventeen years burned seventeen years ago. Dr. Tai-mage held no services today.

### Rossia and Germany.

St. Petersburg, Oct. 14.—The Grash-danin says long conferences between the Czar and Prince Bismarck justify belief that the visit of the Czar will tend to bring an era of more favorable relations between Russia and Germany.

#### FIRE IN A STORE.

#### An Are Light Does Considerable Damage in C. A. Dixon & Co's. Store.

Yesterday morning about 4 o'clock officer Irvine and Hoover discovered that chothing was burning in the store of C. A. Dixon & Co., on E. Trade St. Officer Irvine perceived an odor as of burning clothes, and after investigation in the vicinity and around the neighboring stores, they located it at Dixon's.
Officer Hunter whom they called was sent for Mr. Dixon, who hastened to open the store, when he discovered that a large quantity of men's clothing was

slowly being consumed.

By the help of the officers the fire was extinguished, the alarm no. being turned in. On one of the counters there was a mass of coals. The clothing that was burning was just beneath a large are light, which was blackened and at one place, just above one of the round arms through which machinery runs, it bore the appearance of having

Mr. Dixon says that a hundred and fifty suits were either consumed or damaged and the loss is estimated at \$1500, covered by insurance. Other articles in the store were injured by the

The lamp has not been examined as

yet by the Electric Light Company, and therefore a satisfactory explanation of matters cannot be given. The company's manager says the light was cut out Sunday morning at 9 o'clock, the car-bons having probably burnt nearly out. In the forepart of Sunday night Mr. Dixon went around to the Electric Light House and said that the lamp was burning, when he was told by the engin-eer to "cut out" the lamp, there being a switch on the outside of the store by means of which the current may be turned on off at will. Mr. Dodge thinks that some person must have turned in the current after it was turned off. A lamp generally cuts itself out when the carbo ns burn out, and if one fails to do this it opens the circuit, preventing all the rest of the lamps from burning, whereupon the company make an inves tigation.

### SAM JONES.

#### He Will Come to Charlotte if a Suitable Building is Provided.

Sam Jones passed through the city yesterday on his way to his home in Cartersville, Ga., having just closed his meeting at Durham. He looks as much like his pictures as Zeb Vanse resembles his. After finishing dinner, he stepped out in front of the dinning room and in answer to the questions a CHRONICLE reporter said:

"I expect to be here the last of April or the first of May, that is if a suitable building is provided, capable of seating the crown that will attend." "How many converts were there in Durham. as a result of the niceting there?""Well we were talking about it at the dinner table, and came to the conclusion that the conversions and reclamations were between 600 and 1000."

"Are you on your way home, now?" "I'm going home for about a day, then I will go by way of Louisville, to Lynchburg to conduct a meeting there. Just at this moment the engine bell rang and Mr. Jones as he moved off to his car remarked, "There goes my train: I'm sorry I can't talk to you longer. Mr. Jones was accompanied as far as Charlotte by Messrs. C. P. Wheeler. M. C. Mayer, Joe Smith and E. M. Andrews, who recently went to Durham to secure the services of the great preacher for conducting a meeting in this city and they guarantee that he shall have a building that will accommodate as many as can attend.

Mr. Jones drew immense crowds from the country adjacent to Durham; and his presence here will be the inspiration of many thousands of strangers coming to Charlotte.

### Mr. Mack's Call.

Rev. Ed Mack has received a call from the session of Washington, N. 4C. Presbyterian church for his services as pastor until next May, when he will leave for Berlin, Germany, where he will prosecute his studies in the line of Old Testament Literature and Theology. Mr. Mack won a Hebrew fellowship at Princeton Seminary at his grad-uation, which gives him the privilege of study at either Princeton, Edinburg, or Berlin, Mr. Mack choosing the last named place. Besides this call from Washington, Mr. Mack has under consideration a call from Marion county, S. C., and is not yet decided in which field he will cast his lot.

### The Ada Mills.

At the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Ada Mills last night, in the hall of the Chamber of Commerce. at which 793 out of 1283 shares were epresented, the following old Board of Directors was unanimously re-elected: Col. J. L. Brown, Dr. Jos. Graham, M. C. Mayer, T. R. Robertson, T. L. Alexander, J. R. Holland, and J. W. Wads-

At the meeting of the directors subsequently Col. J. L. Brown was re-elected President, and J. J. Gormley Secretary and Treasurer.

The annual report showed that the year's business had been satisfactory.

### Marder in Georgia.

The second bloody chapter in the terrible history which began with the shooting of C. J. McGregor in his own yard Friday night, December 23, 1887, was enacted upon the streets of Warrenton, Ga., fifty miles from Augusta Saturday, in the killing of J. M. W. Cody by C. F. McGregor. Both are prominent citizens.

## The Crenin Case.

CHICAGO, Ill., Oct. 14.—Judge Mc-Connell's court opened at ten o'clock this morning. After the usual morning proceedings, the court announced that he had appointed Chas. L. Bonney a special balliff to succeed Joseph Caro-lon. After issuing two venures, re-turnable at 10 o'clock tomorrow morn-ing. Court adjourned until tomorrow.

The Raleigh Board of Aldermen has granted the application from the different railroads; or the right of way along Martin street to the end of the bit between Dawson and Harrington streets, as far as necessary, to build tracks to reach the new Union Depot to be located there.

## THE SHIPPERS . WIN.

THE INTER-STATE COMMERCE COM-MISSION FAVOR THE SHIPPER

### AN IMPORTANT RATE DECISION

#### The Case Decided is Regarding Lumber Freight Charges.

WASHINGTON, D. C. Oct. 14 .- The Interstate Commerce Commission today rendered a decision in the case of James & Abbott, lumber dealers, of Johnson City, Tenn., against the East Tenn Va & Ga., and other roads.

This is a complaint of the transportation charges on lumber carried from Johnson City Tenn., to Boston, Mass.

The rate to which complaint is made is thirty-six cts., per hundred pounds of lumber in the carload, for a distance of nine hundred and eleven miles though from the more distant point of Atlanta, Ga., twelve hundred and forty miles, a lower rate of thirty four cents is charged which is alleged to be in violation of the fourth section of the Act to regulate Commerce. From Macon Ga., to Boston the freight charge is the same as from Johnson City, four hundred and seventeen miles, the shorter distance,

over the same line.

The commission holds that combined rail and water competition at a longer distance point does not justify a greater charge for the shorter distance, while the shorter distance rate is maintained by the carrier at points where the competition is of greater force, and more controlling than at the longer distance point. Such greater charge is not justified by the fact that local rates have been first paid on lumber to the longer distance points, nor by the fact that the freight is shipped in cars from the longer distance point, which brought ma-chinery to those points, and for which profitable return-loads were not always to be had; por by a difference in the bulk and value of the lumber when the published rate sheets put the lumber in the same class, and at the same rate.

While distance is not always a controlling element in determining what is a reasonable rate, there is ordinarily no better measure of railroad service in carrying goods than the distance they are carried, and when the rate of freight charges over one line in sending freight carried from a neighboring territory to the same market, is considerably greater than over other lines for distances as long or longer, such greater rate is held to be excessive, and should be reduced. The rate on lumber from Johnson City to Boston should not exceed 33 cents per 100 pounds.

### GOV. HILL IN CHARLOTTE.

#### He Will Reach Here Teday About 11 O'clock on a Special Train.

[The special train carrying Gov. D. B. Hill and company from New York to Atlanta, over the Air Line, will reach Charlotte about 11 o'clock this morning. A short stop will be made here.]

Washington, Oct 14 .- Gov. Hill, of New York, and party, consisting of General Josiah Porter, General J. S. McEwan, Col. E. L. Judson, and A. Biecker Banks, of Albany, Hon. Roswell P. Flower, E. L. Ridgeway, and Austin Lathrop, arrived here this morning, shortly after 9 o'clock, and were driven to the Arlington. where appartments had been secured for them. Gov. Hill remained in his rooms at

the hotel most of the day, and received quite a number of prominent callers. This afternoon he drove over to the Executive Mansion, and called on the Pres ident, remaining there ten or fifteen

Gov. Hill and party will leave this evening on a special over the Piedmont Airline for Atlanta, Ga., where a grand reception will be given the governor. He will speak at Piedmont Exposition on Wednesday, and a grand Military review and sham battle has been arranged for that day. A feature of the battle will be the review of it from an adjacent hill by Genl. John B. Gordon now Governor of Ga., with his old staff; the Veterans who served with him in the late war: Gen. Jas. Longstreet with his old staff and Gen. Joseph Johnston with his old staff. It is proposed for them to appear in the old gray Uniforms which they were in the last campaign. A regiment of Confederate veterans in their old ragged gray uniforms will charge in the

### HEDGING ON TANNER'S WASTEFUL-NESS.

#### Money Paid Out on Rerating Pensions to Be Refunded.

Washington, Oct. 14.-There are 21 cases among pension office employees and a number among officials in other Executive Departments, that are almost identical with the Manderson case. Senator Manderson was re-rated for a pension without any knowledge on his part, and a certificate for the money issued to him. Manderson doubted the validity of the action of the pension office, and Secretary Noble held that Commissioner Tanner's action was with-out warrant in law. Some of the officers in the pension bureau who were re-rated like Senator Manderson, made ap-plications therefor while others did; but all of the 21 cases with deputy com-missioner of pensions Smith at their head, accepted re ratitg, and the money which came with it.

It is authorizatively stated that gov-

ernment employes whose pension have been illegally re-rated, and whose cases are covered in a general way by the Manderson decision, will be required to refund the money received as a result of re-rating in case of refusal to refund the money, their regular pension money and salary will be withheld until the money is recovered. Of those who on being re-rated, left the government service, steps will be at once taken to recover the "re-rated money."

A Nobleman Becomes a Citizen. Washington, Oct. 14.—Francis Fava, the son of the present Italian minister to this country, qualified as a citizen of the U. S., at the State Department this morning. Mr. Fava is Italian nobleman the son of a Baron, and has been a civil engineer in this city for several years.

## MONTANA CLOSE.

The Republicans Claim the Legislature by a Small Majority.

CHICAGO, Oct. 14 .- A special despatch from Helena, Montana, to a morning papersays: Col. Seligman, chairman of the Repbulican central committee, anannounces that the Republicans certainly have the legislature, either by one or three majority. The official returns, from Beaver Head county elect Jas. P. Bennett Republican to the lower house, and Henry Blair, Republican, is awarded the seat from Deer Lodge by

majority of 4. Both these seats have heretofore been counted for the Democrats. The court in Silver Bow county, of which Butte is the county seat, has been completed, but Republican counsel have protested against counting the returns, from the eighth and thirty-fourth precincts. Arguments have been made before the board by counsel for both sides. If these precincts are thrown out, it will elect nearly all the county officials, and seat the Republican State senator and

two representatives from this county.

The Republican arguments were suplemented by affidavits alleging fraud in the 84th precinct, objections to the returns from the 8th precinct are purely technical. Both precincts give Democratic majorities, membership of the Legislature is 71, and by the above calculations the Republicans have 86 and probably 37. The canvass in Lewis and Clarke county (Helena) is still incom plete. The Legislature vote is not yet counted. The Democrats are alarmed at the outlook, and Marcus Daly has been summoned here from Anaconda, to consult with Colonel Broadwater, ex-Governor Hauser, and other leading Democrats.

The Independent, the Democratic Or gan charges the Republicans with an at-tempt to steal the Legislature and two United States Senators.

## EMERSON'S GRAVE DESECRATED.

### It is Thought that Some One Stole Emerson's Skull.

Concord, Mass.,—Yesterday after-noon while attending a burial at Sleepy Hollow Cemetery, two gentlemen of Concord discovered that the grave of Ralph Waldo Emerson has been disturb-The authorities were notified, and they found that the grave had been opened during Saturday night, exposing the casket. Whether the the re-mains have been taken or not, is not known at present, as the authorities are waiting the return of Dr. Edwin Emerson, the philosopher's son who has been telegraphed for. A watchman was at once placed at the grave but the general opinion here is that the mescreants accomplished their object, and secured. at least the skull, which was probably what they were after. There is great indignation here.

### THE PAN-AMERICAN DELEGATES.

#### Our Foreign Guests Were in Buffalo, New York, Yesterday.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Oct. 14 .- The Pan-American delegates arrived here from Niagara Falls at 9:30 this morning. They were met by the entertainment committee, and conducted to the City Hall, where they paid their respects to Mayor Becker. After a hasty hand-shaking in the Mayor's office, the visit-ors inspected the building, after which they entered carriages in waiting, and

were driven about the city.
This afternoon part of the delegates risited the Aurora stock farms while others were taken by steamer for a trip about the harbor, during which the elevators will be visited. This evening the delegates will attend a banquet given in their honor at the Hotel Iroquois

## TWO MURDERS IN KENTUCKY.

### Both of Them Assassinations, One From Ambash.

LOUISVILLE, KY., Oct. 14 .- A couple of murders were reported this morning from the mountains of Bell county. John Cawood, a prominent citizen of Harlan county, was killed at Martin Creek, near the Harlan Court house, by an unknown assassin, being shot from

ambush. The other killing occurred on Greash Creek. Milt Jones had a difficulty with his cousin, Jim Jones, over the pay-ment of a debt. Milt called his cousin into his yard, telling him he wanted to settle the debt, where he killed him with a Winchester rifle. The murderer then made his escape.

## \$105,000 FOR EXTELL.

## That was the Price Paid for the Great

Stallien by Col. Conley Last Night. TERRE HAUTE, Oct. 11.—Col. Conley, of Chicago, at 11:30 tonight completed the purchase of the great trotter Extell for \$105,000. It is supposed he represents a syndicate. Andy Walsh, of Hartford, and John Madden, of Lexington, offered Williams \$101,000 for the colt, and had a certified check for forfast to offer him.

fest to offer him. This he refused, and afterward accepted Col. Conley's offer with much reluctance. "It is like selling a child," said Williams.

## FATHER DEAD, SON DYING. Desperate and Fatal Affray Between

Father and Son. San Artonia, Tex., Oct. 14.—D. Mencia and his son Alphonse, who conduct a ranche nine miles west of here, became involved in a desperate fight Friday, during which the son killed the father, and received in return what are believed to be fatal wounds. Alphonse was discovered by some school chil-dren, bleeding and almost dead. The body of the father was found a short listance away cut in a score of places and dead. Alphouse is under arrest.

### Epidemic of Diptheria.

GALLITZEN, PA., Oct. 14.—Diptheria in its worst form is playing havor with the lives of our little ones in this place. During the past two weeks the average number of deaths was three or four per day, and the doctors report at least 50 cases down with the disease in town. Four families with also or seven little. cases down with the disease in town. Four families with six or seven little ones each one month ago, now are childless from the sweeping fangs that fastened its death-dealing substance upon their offspring.

C. Quickel was appointed postmaster at Crouse yesterday.

# THE EPISCOPALIANS.

### MUCH BUSINESS DISPATCHED BY THE CONVENTION YESTERDAY.

# BOARD OF MISSIOS IN SESSION.

#### Liberal Donations for Schools and Hospitals Asked for.

NEW YORK, Oct. 14.-Bishop Knight, of Milwaukee, presided at this morning's session of the Episcopal Conven-Business on the calendar was tion.

taken up. The first matter considered was Dr. Huntington's motion for a joint committee to prepare a standard prayer book before 1892. The motion was lost. book before 1892. The motion was lost.

A resolution was then offered by S.
Corning Judd, of Chicago, declaring
as the title Protestant Episcopal was
misleading as applied to the Holy Catholic Church, and incomprehensive to
the uninformed, the words be omitted,
and the "American Church" be substituted.

On Mr. Judd's own motion it was referred to the committee on the prayer

Dr. Philips Brooks, of Massachusetts, then took the floor, and called attention to the fact that the 69th Psalm had been substituted for the 64th in the Paster, and asked that as the matter had been doubtless overlooked that the change would be reconsidered immediately.

A motion to postpone was carried. The house then resolved itself into a Board of Missions and sent a message to the House of Bishops, stating that they were prepared to meet in joint session. Dr. Dix then yielded as President to Bishop of Rhode Island, and business of

the Beard proceded.
Right Rev. Abriel Leonard, Missionary Bishop of Nevada reported on progress of the church within the limits of his diocese. He told the board that in spite of the deterioration of Nevada as a State, her stertility and poverty, the cause was actually advancing. He desired that liberal donation be given for the purposes of schools and hospitals in

his diocese. Rev. John Mills Kendrick followed on the labors and needs of New Mexico

and Arizons. After recess the Rev. Wm. B. Gordon made a lengthy report on missionary

work in Mexico.

The committee to whom was referred the report to the board of managers of foreign and domestic missions regarding the proposed million dollar enrollment fund which failed in its purpose, suggested that the money be returned to the subscribers. Laid on the table

The committee on colored evangelization presented its report, and moved that \$20,000 be aggregated for the pur-poses of the committee for the ensuing two years. Carried.

The return of the money subscribed to the enrollment fund, was further discussed: but without action, the convention adjourned until tomorrow.

## The Lutheran Church in Council.

PITTSBURGH, Oct. 11.—The General Council of the Evangelical Lutheran Church of North America reconvened at the first Church in this city, at 10 o'clock this morning, the Rev. Dr. Har-key of North Lima, Ohio, conducting the devotional exercises. The special order was a discussion of the report of the committee on "Pulpit and Fellow-ship." The question was as to the pro-priety of a Lutherau minister accepting an invitation to preach in the pulpits of other denominations. The discussion occupied almost the entire morning session, and the feeling seemed to be that a Lutheran minister could hardly with consistency occupy another pulpit

a Lutheran minister could hardly with consistency occupy another pulpit, when his views differed from those of the inviting pastor.

The Kropp Theological School in Germany, which has been the subject of contention in the German Lutheran Church in this country since 1886, came up this afternoon. There was a lively fight. Those opposed to the Kropp school were victorious. At the General Council in Minneapolis, in 1888, resolutions were passed severing all conections. tions were passed severing all conection with the Kropp school. This afternoon the New York Ministerium insisted upon reconsidering those resolutions, claiming that the churches of the United States were in need of German minis-ters educated at Kropp. Opponents ar-gued that ministers educated in this country were better qualified to work among the people here.

#### JOHNSTOWN WOES. Complaint That Wasts are Not Supplied, And Money on Hand.

New YORK, Oct. 14.-The Herald's Johnstown correspondent reports great dissatisfaction in the Connemaugh Val-ley over the failure to distribute fully half the relieif fund of \$80,000.000 intended for the flood sufferers. There are many cases of great destitution, and the correspondent gives details of some very pitiful instances. Gross mismanagement of the fund is charged. It is pointed to the fund is charged. It is pointed to the fund is charged. ted out that clerks and expert acco ants are drawing extravagant salaries from the fund. Winter is near and the need of a fair distribution of the money grows more and more urgent.

#### U. S. SUPREME COURT. The Fall Term Opened With a Heavier

Docket Than Usual. Washington, Oct. 14.—The October term of the Supreme Court of the U. S. opened today at noon. All the Justices were present. The proceedings today were very brief. The Chief Justice merely announced the opening of the Fall term of the court, and stated that the court tomorrow would proceed with the docket. The court then adjourned and the Justices made their customary annual visit to the executive mansion to al visit to the executive mansion to pay their respects to the President.

The term opens with a crowded docket of about 1875 cases, fully 100 more than were on its docket last year. Baseball.

Columbus 1, Brooklyn 6. Athletics 18, Baltimore 3. Cincinnati 1, St Louis 5. Louisville 5, Kansas City 7. Philadelphia, Game called, darkness