

The Earl of Aberdeen, Viceroy and Governor-General of Canada, says London Tid-Bits, is liable at any moment to be ousted from his seat in the House of Lords...

Lord Roseberry's attack upon landscape advertising in his academy speech the other day has given an impetus to the agitation on the subject...

Observant physicians begin to believe that appendicitis and grip have a relation of effect and cause.

The strong facial resemblance which married couples often acquire after living together a long period of years...

The Atlanta Constitution is convinced that no money-making scheme is so rascally for some men...

Some interesting facts present themselves as to the social condition of the people of the United States in a study of the statistics of the Census Bureau...

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ZEB VANCE'S REMAINS

RETURNED TO THEIR FIRST GRAVE IN THE ASHEVILLE CEMETERY.

Chas. M. Vance Has Them Removed from the Lot to Which Mrs. Vance Had Them Transferred Last Week.

ASHEVILLE, N. C.—All that is mortal of Zeb Vance, the body that on the 18th of April was buried in Riverside Cemetery...

But the body was not destined to remain in its new grave long. Chas. M. Vance learned of the removal and came here Saturday evening.

This was the first time that the permanent resting place of the beloved dead is depicted by the people here, and it is feared that it will have an unfavorable effect upon the movement of organizing monument associations throughout the State.

A TRAGEDY IN BIRMINGHAM.

Kolb's Leading Supporter Kills the Son of an Ex-Mayor.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala.—P. G. Bowman, a lawyer and leading advocate of Reuben Kolb for Governor, shot and almost instantly killed Eugene Jeffers...

THE STATUS OF THE STRIKE.

The Miners are Not Satisfied With the Strike Settlement.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala.—The strikers here burned another railroad bridge, at Carroll on the Georgia Pacific...

MARSHALL, OHIO.—The miners here in a meeting denounced Gov. McKinley for sending State troops.

Virginia's New Election Law.

A new ballot law will go into effect in Virginia on the 1st of July, and it will be the means, it is expected, of reviving to some extent the Republican party in the Old Dominion.

Baptist College Commencement.

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SOLDIERS FOUND GUILTY.

The Court of Inquiry Convicts Officers and Privates.

COLUMBIA, S. C.—The court of inquiry appointed by Governor Tillman to inquire into the conduct of the military companies which refused to go to Darlington during the dispensary troubles...

As to the Zouaves, Captain Capers was guilty of disobeying orders and of conducting himself in an unbecomingly discouraging manner...

TRINITY COMMENCEMENT.

The Methodist University Closes a Successful Year.

DURHAM, N. C.—Dr. Crowell made his farewell talk. He stated that he had been connected with the college for seven years and had become so greatly attached to the institution...

Texas Republicans Will Put Out a Ticket.

PORT WORTH, TEX.—The State Republican League Club convention convened here in the auditorium of the city hall with delegates from all over the State.

Miners Going to Work.

COLUMBUS, O.—Telegrams from mining towns in Ohio indicate that the miners are coming to think better of the settlement agreement.

Miners Want Pay in Cash.

PITTSBURGH, Pa.—Two important suits are entered against "company stores" for the recovery of money withheld to pay store bills.

Democrats Repudiate Cleveland.

ARKADELPHIA, ARK.—The Clark County Democratic Convention put itself on record as opposing the Cleveland Administration.

Norfolk Lynching in Atlantic City.

NORFOLK, Va.—A white man attempted to commit a criminal assault upon the eleven-year-old daughter of Capt. W. E. Face, of Atlantic City.

WASHINGTON NEWS.

The U. S. Senate has confirmed W. M. Dunfee to be postmaster at Christiansburg, Va.

Secretary Carlisle has awarded the contract for the erection of the life-saving station at Sullivan's Island, S. C., to Henry L. Cade, of Charleston, at \$1,400.

A Richmond, Va., special to the Atlanta Constitution is as follows: A prominent Richmond gentleman who returned from Washington brings the news that Senator Hill remarked in his presence that he would not be a candidate for the presidential nomination in 1896...

Three Hundred Miles in a Row Boat.

The Norfolk Virginian of Wednesday contained the following: The eccentric passenger who came up with Captain Jones on the steamer Lucy, from Plymouth, N. C., yesterday, was evidently determined to get to Norfolk without paying railroad fare.

\$1,250,000 a Year for Fruit and Early Vegetables.

Along the route of the Louisville & Nashville Railroad, between Paris and Memphis, Tenn., a distance of 131 miles, a rapidly enlarging traffic is being developed by the increase of the fruit-growing industry.

Cotton Crop Report.

The condition of the crop is reported as nearly up to the average and more advanced as a whole than that of last year.

Some Railroads Gaining.

The South Carolina roads showing gains in net earnings for March are the Asheville & Spartanburg, 23.97 per cent; Carolina, Cumberland Gap & Chicago, 21.57 per cent; Central Railroad of South Carolina, 4.14 per cent.

Cape Fear & Yadkin Valley Reorganization.

The formulation of a plan of reorganization for the Cape Fear & Yadkin Valley Railroad will be proceeded with, more than a majority of the bonds being now in control of the committee.

Female Farmers in Alabama.

MONTGOMERY, Ala.—At the commencement exercises of the Agricultural and Mechanical College at Auburn three young women were graduated with high honors.

ANOTHER BIG COTTON MILL.

The Pelzer Company to Build Again and Increase its Investment by Half a Million Dollars.

The Pelzer (S. C.) Mfg. Co., has decided to again increase its capital stock and add to the capacity of its mills on the Saluda River, 16 mills below Greenville.

The Pelzer Company now employs 1,400 people and use 25,000 bales of cotton. With the addition it will employ an additional force of 1,100 hands and will use 20,000 more bales of cotton, giving it a total of 2,500 hands and total capacity of 45,000 bales of cotton a year.

The Newberry Cotton Mill Annex.

Work on the large annex to the Newberry (S. C.) Cotton Mills is moving right along, and the walls will soon be ready for the second floor.

Gov. Tillman's Speech.

Gov. Tillman, of South Carolina, who was convicted of rape in Lancaster in March, 1891, and sentenced to a life imprisonment in the penitentiary...

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PITHY NEWS ITEMS.

The plan of reorganization for the Cape Fear & Yadkin Valley Railroad will provide for a 23-mile extension to Southport, N. C.

The British steamship British King cleared from Beaufort, S. C., on the 9th inst, with 1000 tons phosphate rock for Garston Dock, England.

A leather belting factory has been established at Charlotte, N. C. A belting factory is also in operation.

The entire plant and franchise of the New Bern (N. C.) Water Co., was purchased on June 5 at public sale by James Redmond for \$35,025.

Spartanburg, S. C., parties have incorporated a hedge fence company with \$15,000 capital.

At a special election Calpeper, Va., voted \$20,000 for a waterworks system.

The Charleston (S. C.) Hotel Co., has obtained a commission to incorporate. Capital stock \$25,000; contract has been let, work to commence at once.

Erasmus Winn, the noted New York financier, was convicted of forgery last Friday.

The N. C. Press Association had a pleasant meeting last week at Morganton, N. C.

The Catawba Spinning Mills, Chester, S. C., started up again this week their 11,000 spindles.

The proposed Melrose Cotton Mills, Raleigh, N. C., will shortly begin building. The intention is to produce very fine hosiery yarns.

The Dixon Mfg. Co., at Snow Camp, N. C., has doubled its capacity and is running on full time.

The new Maxton (N. C.) Cotton Mills is to be put into operation soon on 48 to 208 spindles.

An addition is being made to the T. M. Holt & Co's cotton mills at Haw River, N. C. A large addition is also being made to the Aurora Cotton Mills at Burlington, N. C.

The North Carolina Teachers' Association met at Beaufort, June 20th.

The Kolb ticket in Alabama was endorsed by the Kolb, Populist and Republican State committees.

A colony of Bohemians who settled in Waller county, Texas, have met with considerable success in farming, and their numbers have grown each year.

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THE RICHMOND & DANVILLE SOLD.

Sought in by the Drexel Company, and Afterwards to Be Called the Southern Railway Company.

RICHMOND, Va.—The Richmond & Danville Railroad was sold here under a decree of the United States Circuit Court to Messrs. C. H. Coster and A. J. Thomas, a purchasing committee of the Drexel, Morgan & Company reorganization committee.

3 NEW SOUTHERN BANKS.

A new banking company has been incorporated at Winston-Salem, S. C., called the Savings, Loan and Investment Association of Fairfeld County with B. J. Emerson, president.

The National Bank of Wilmington, N. C., has been organized with J. S. Armstrong, president, and L. L. Jenkins, of Gastonia, N. C., cashier.

At Richmond, Va., the State Building & Loan Co. has been chartered with M. M. Gilliam, president.

The Carolina Insurance Co., of Wilmington, N. C., has declared a semi-annual dividend of 3 per cent.

L. W. White has succeeded W. C. McGowan as vice-president of the National Bank of Abbeville, S. C.

SILK EXPERIMENT STATIONS.

The Government to Form Them Under the Direction of Secretary of Agriculture.

WASHINGTON, D. C.—The Senate Thursday passed a bill authorizing the Secretary of Agriculture to establish five silk experiment stations, each in different sections of the country with the view of developing silk culture throughout the United States.

A Freak of Lightning.

During a thunder storm last Wednesday afternoon the lightning struck the signal pole of the weather observer's office at Wilmington, N. C., which was raised on the top of the Government building.

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