Proverbs and Phrases.

A man ceases to be the whole thing after taking unto himself a better-half.

He who considers only the letter of an instrument goes but skin deep into the meaning.

People who don't know what they want are nevertheless quite apt to know what they don't want.

No matter how crowded time may be with events, there is always room for the nimble rumor.

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Bobby: "And what was her name, auntie?"

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A SOCIETY WOMAN RUNS A BINDERY.

Her Object Is Art and Not Cash.

Mrs. Hobart Chatfield-Taylor is one of the most interesting women in Chicago, says The Delineator for January. It is conceded on all sides that she might take up the reins when Mrs. Palmer lets them fall. She is one of the beauties among Chicago society women, with a beauty which lies more in poise and bearing than in mere facial feature. She is tall and finely modeled, with tastes which are athletic and artistic. Several years ago she startled Chicago by establishing "The Rose Bindery"—she was Rose Farwell before her marriage—which is housed in the Fine Arts Building now, and from that shop come forth many really good examples of the hand-bound book. Hobart Chatfield-Taylor is himself a writer, the author of some society novels, and of one serious work, only recently issued, concerning Moliere. The Chatfield-Taylors live in Lake Forest, "the Newport of the West," and entertain whom they please. Artists, writers, prima donnas and actors are numbered among their good friends, who are always delighted to be their guests.

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"Grape-Nuts did wonders for me and I learned to like it. I did not mind my housework or mother's cares, for I felt strong and full of life. I grew plump, nerves strong, and when I wrote my brain was active and clear; indeed, the dull head pain never returned."

"There's a Reason."

Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich. Read "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs.

Late News In Brief

MINOR MATTERS OF INTEREST

Big Fire at Lancaster.

Lancaster, S. C., Special.—Fire which broke out in the livery stable of the Gregory-Hood Live Stock Company at 8 o'clock Saturday night wiped out a large portion of the town and threatened to burn the whole place, there being no water supply here with which to check the conflagration. The Rock Hill fire department was wired for and held itself in readiness to come but there was no use, without a water supply.

The following are the losses:

Gregory-Hood Company, $15,000 with $7,000 insurance.

Methodist church, $5,000 with $1,500 insurance.

Dr. J. F. Mackey's residence, $4,000 with $2,000 insurance.

The J. F. Mackey Company's furniture warehouse, $4,000 with $2,000 insurance.

Old Ledger office, $500, no insurance.

James Farmer Shot Down.

Columbia, S. C., Special.—Another dispensary tragedy occurred in Columbia Saturday morning when Wade Hampton Sellers, known locally as "the booze king of Gervais street," the "king of blind tigers," etc., shot and killed Dispensary Constable Jas. Farmer, a former policeman. The shooting occurred at Sellers' place, when Mr. Farmer, accompanied by Detective W. S. Ogg, applied for entrance armed with a search warrant. Being denied entrance they forced the door. Sellers shot once with a sawed-off 41-calibre Winchester rifle, which it has been his custom to carry about with him in his buggy and jumped behind his door.

By Wire and Cable.

The race question bobbed up in the national house Saturday.

Six people were killed at a grade crossing Sunday at Spring Valley, New York.

Crosby S. Noyes, editr-in-chief of the Washington Evening Star, died in California on Saturday.

Mrs. Dora McDonald was acquitted in Chicago of the charge of murdering Walter Cuerin.

The indictments against the Bridge Trust were declared defective by the Supreme Court of Ohio.

The woman who accused Caruson of annoying her was fined for being drunk and disorderly.

The four cruisers in advance of Admiral Evans' fleet arrived at San Francisco.

In a riot of unemployed foreigners in Phaladelphia 20 persons were injured, some by shots.

Midshipman Victor N. Metcalf, son of the Secretary of the Navy, has resigned from the naval service.

Major Chittenden, U. S. A., and his brother, C. C. Chittenden, are accused in a land frand suit at Seattle.

Turkey has withdrawn troops from Persia territory and adopted a more conciliatory attitude toward Russia.

Western railroad managers repeated their declaration that wages will be cut and blame the president for his letter.

Germany has effected a strategic move in Persia in securing an appropriation for a German school in Teheran.

The Republican primaries in Ohio for delegates to the State convention resulted in an overwhelming victory for Taft.

A special from Starke, Fla., says Mann Robinson shot and killed his father-in-law, J. L. Wynn, at Simpson City Sunday during a difficulty between them. A coroner's jury under Judge D. K. Lee found the shooting to have been in self-defense.

While on his way to church at Baxter, Fla., Dan Crews, accompanied by his nephew and two ladies, was shot by James Petty with a rifle and instantly killed Sunday morning.

The campaign for the nomination for governor of North Carolina was formally opened at Wadesboro, Anson county, Saturday, Locke Craig and W. W. Kitchin speaking on the issues. A letter was read from Ashley Horne also a candidate, declaring his candidacy, but stating that he was not a public speaker, but a business man.

Rev. L. W. Crawford, D. D., a prominent member of the Western North Carolina conference of the Methodist Episcopal church, South, and a very able minister, died at Asheville Saturday.

A man wanted in Germany on a charge of arson was arrested in Philadelphia after a chase of 10 years, which led three times around the earth.

Dean Rogers, of the Yale Law School, warned against Federalism in an address before the students of Kentucky University.

The case of Raymond Hitchcock, the comedian, who is accused by several young girls, has been set for February 24.

Chester Gillette will be executed for murdering his sweetheart, Grace Brown, in the week of March 30.

The Interstate Commerce Commission refuses to suspend the law providing a nine-hour day for railroad telegraph operators and other employes.

Judge Ball in Chicago decided against Stuyvesant Fish on every point in his suit against Harriman to prevent the voting of 236,321 shares of stock at the annual meeting of the Illinois Central Railroad.

Torpedo Boats Return.

Norfolk, Va., Special.—After two days' of battling with the heavy seas off the Virginia coast, the five torpedo boats which passed out Tuesday night, bound for points on the Gulf of Mexico, returned to Hampton Roads. The prevailing adverse winds with a velocity of 32 miles an hour and high seas prevented the boats from making any headway and the commanding officer decided to return.

FOR INDUSTRIAL PEACE

President's Letter to Inter-State Commerce Commission Made Public—Serious Industrial Disputes in Prospect.

Washington, Special.—Serious industrial disputes in prospect were in the mind of President Roosevelt when he wrote a letter to the inter-State commerce commission which was made public. He says that information has reached him, that on account of the enactment of drastic laws by Congress and by various State Legislatures, it is regarded as necessary by railroad companies to reduce the pay of their employes. He points out that, under the law, either party may demand the services of the chairman of the inter-State commerce committee, and of the Commissioner of Labor, as a board of conciliation. He suggests, therefore, that the inter-State commerce commission wage conditions on various railroads as may relate, directly o indirectly to the possible impending controversy.

The President's Letter.

The full text of the President's letter is as follows:

"The White House,
Washington, Feb. 18, 1908.

To the inter-State commerce commission: I am informed that a number of railroad companies have served notice of a proposed reduction of wages on their employes. One of them, the Louisville & Nashville, in announcing the reduction, states that "the drastic laws inimical to the interests of the railroads that have in the past year or two been enacted by Congress and the State Legislatures," are largely or chiefly responsible for the conditions requiring reduction.

Under such circumstances it is possible that the public may soon be confronted by serious industrial disputes, and the law provides that in such cases either party may demand the services of your chairman and of the Commissioner of Labor as a board of mediation and conciliation.

These reductions in wages may be warranted, or they may not. As to this the public, which is a vitally interested party, can form no judgment without a more complete knowledge of the essential facts and real merits of the case than it now has or than it can possibly obtain from the special pleadings certain to be put forth by each side in case their dispute should bring about serious interruption to traffic. If the reduction in wages is due to natural causes, the loss of business being such that the burden should be and is equitably distributed between capitalist and wage workers, the public should know it. If it is caused by legislation, the public and Congress should know it, and if it is caused by misconduct in the past financial or other operations of any railroad, then everybody should know it, especially if the excuse of unfriendly legislation is advanced as a method of covering up past business misconduct by the railroad managers, or as justification for failure to treat fairly the wage earning employes of the company.

Moreover, an industrial conflict between a railroad corporation and its employes offers peculiar opportunities to any small number of evil disposed persons to destroy life and property and foment public disorder. Of course, if life, property and public order are endangered, prompt and drastic measures for their protection become the first plain duty. All other issues then become subordinate to the preservation of the public peace, and the real merits of the original controversy are ncessarily lost from view. This vital consideration should be ever kept in mind by all law-abiding and far-sighted members of labor organizations.

It is sincerely to be hoped, therefore, that any wage controversy that may arise between the railroads and their employes may find a peaceful solution through the methods of conciliation and arbitration already provided by Congress, which have proven so effective during the past year. To this end the commission should be in a position to have available for any board of conciliation or arbitration relevant data pertaining to such carriers as may become involved in industrial disputes. Should conciliation fail to effect a settlement and arbitration be rejected, accurate information should be available in order to develop a properly informed public opinion.

I therefore ask you to make such investigation, both of your records and by any other means at your command as will enable you to furnish data concerning such conditions obtaining on tht Louisville & Nashville and any other roads, as may relate directly or indirectly to the real merits of the possibly impending controversy.

THEODORE ROOSEVELT.

Seaboard Cuts Salaries.

Norfolk, Va., Special.—W. A. Garrett, chief executive officer for the receivers of the Seaboard Air Line Railway, issued the following: "Effective February 1st, all officials are working under a 10 per cent. cut Those getting between $3,000 and $5,000 per annum, inclusive, are working under an 8 per cent cut."

General Stoessel Convicted.

St. Petrsburg, By Cable.—Lieutenant-General Stoessel was condemned to death by a military court for the surrender of Port Arthur to the Japanese. General Fock, who commanded the fourth east Siberian division of Port Arthur, was ordered reprimanded for a disciplinary offense, which was not connected with the surrender, and General Smirnoff, acting commandant of the fortress, and Major-General Reiss, chief of staff to General Stoessel, were acquitted of the charges against them

Capt. W. A. Marshall to Command the North Carolina.

Washington, Special. — Selections for two important naval commands were announced at the Navy Department. Captain Henry Morrel will command the Wisconsin about April 1st. He is now ordinance officer at the New York Navy yard. Captain W. A. Marshall will command the new cruiser North Carolina. He is now a captain at the osten navy yard.

SEN. LATIMER DEAD

South Carolina's Junior Senator Passes Away

THE END WAS NOT UNEXPECTED

Junior Senator From the Palmetto State Dies From Effects of an Operation For Intestinal Trouble.

Washington, Special.—Senator A. C. Latimer, of South Carolina, died here Thursday morning at 9:30 o'clock following an operation for intestinal trouble several days ago. The members of his family were at his bedside when the end came. Arrangements for the funeral have not been made.

Senator Latimer was taken desperately ill Sunday night and was placed in Providence Hospital, where an operation was performed. He showed signs of improvement Monday and Tuesday, but complications set in early and his death soon followed.

Senator Latimer's Career.

Senator Asbury Churchwell Latimer was 57 years of age. He was a native of South Carolina, having been born in Abbeville county, near the small town of Lowndesville. His boyhood and early manhood were spent on the farm. His first activt political office was that of county chairman of the Democratic party of his county in 1890. When the Tillman movement in South Carolina began to take shape in the early 90's Senator Latimer allied himself prominently with the reformers and was nominated for Coogress, to which he was elected over Col. George Johnstone, of Newberry. He served in the Fifty-third, Fifth-fourth, Fifty-sixth and Fifty-seventh Congresses.

He was a candidate to succeed Senator John L. McLaurin in the warm campaign of 1902 and was elected by a majority of 17,700 over former Governor John Gary Evans, ex-Congressman George Johnstone and William Elliott, ex-Senator John J. Hemphill and State Senator D. S. Henderson. His term as Senator would expire March 3, 1909.

The News in Columbia.

Columbia, S. C., Special.—The news of the death of Senator Latimer is received in Columbia, where the Legislature is in session, with evidence of sorrow and regret on all sides. Those opposed to him politically join with his political friends in speaking of him.

Governor Ansel has not as yet been officially informed of the death. As soon as he is, he will send a message to the Legislature, which will adjourn for the day or night, as the case may be, and appoint a committee to attend the funeral.

In view of section 17, of the revised statues, which says a senatorial vacancy occurring during a sitting of a Legislature must be filled by the Legislature "on the second Tuesday after the Legislature has organized and has notice of such vacancy," it is likely that the Legislature will have to remain in session 10 days after Sunday, the day fixed for adjournment, in order to choose a successor to Mr. Latimer. If the Legislature were not in session Governor Ansel would have the appointment to make.

The death of Senator Latimer is of great political importance. It is certain that had he lived he would have had half a dozen opponents in his campaign for re-election next summer.

Avowed Candidates.

Those already in the race against him were, ex-Governor John Gary Evans, of Spartanburg; ex-Congressman George Johnstone, of Newberry; ex-State Senator D. S. Henderson, of Aiken; Col. John J. Dargan, of Sumter, and State Superintendent of Education O. B. Martin, of Greenville. Governor Ansel was spoken of, but some time ago declared his desire to offer for another term for Governor. It is also thought that E. D. Smith, general organizer for the Southern Cotton Association and possibly ex-Governor Heyward would have been in the race. Senator Latimer's death it is thought, will decide ex-Governor Heyward to run.

Prospective Candidates.

Among the prospective candidates who have develope for the unexpired term to be filled by the Legislature are Representative E. Marion Rucker, of Anderson; ex-Speaker of the House Frank B. Gary, of Abbeville; Senator LeGrand Walker, of Georgetown. Speaker Whaley has been urged for the place, but has very positively declined to enter the list.

Bishop Duncan's Condition Somewhat Improved.

Spartanburg, S. C., Special.—Bishop W. W. Duncan's condition is somewhat improved. He seems stronger and his mind is clearer. He recognized the members of his family and talked with them. His physicians say that while he is a very ill man there is no immediate danger of the end.

Turkish Troops Cross Boundary.

St. Petersburg, By Cable.—News that Ali Khan's Kurdish forces have crossed the Turko-Persian boundary into the Persian province of Zerbaijan is considered here as re-opening the boundary dispute between the Sultan on one side and the Czar and Shah on the other under graver circumstances than ever. The Russian government is giving the situation serious consideration and a prompt movement of the Czar's troops against Turkey is not an impossibility.

Much Suffering in Chicago.

Chicago, Special.—With nine to ten inches of snow on the level and drifts in many places as high as six feet, more snow falling and a stiff gale blowing, Chicago is facing the worst winter in many years. Reports of great suffering are received from all police precincts, where the destitute are seeking refuge from the storm. All trains are being delayed from half an hour to several hours.

THE DOINGS OF CONGRESS

Doings of Our National Law-Makers Day by Day.

Fowler Financial Bill.

The principles of the Fowler financial bill were defended by former Secretary of the Treasury Lyman J. Gage, Charles A. Conant, of New York, and Prof. Joseph French Johnson, of the New York University, before the House committee on banking and currency.

Secretary Gage said that we had reached the most important period in the financial history of the country for the past 40 or 50 years and that the solution of the problem depended largely upon the men making up the banking and currency committee.

It was early impressed upon him, said Mr. Gage, that a credit currency issued on proper assets, received and exchanged, containing only the amounts of credit, was an effective, useful and economic agency in the industrial progress of the people and was the best system of banking.

Mr. Gage said he thought the financial system ought to be revised from the very beginning. He regarded the Fowler bill as a comprehensive measure which in contrast to the one offered in the Senate has reached the fundamentals.

Continuing, Mr. Gage said "I have no sympathy at all with the Aldrich bill. I do not think it is curative of our evils. At best it is a patch or a panacea which may once in 10 years be availed of, when the country is in a condition of intense panic or when many of the evils of a panic are deevloping and it may not be effective then. In the meantime, if adopted, it will probably put us to sleep. It is a gentle narcotic that woocs us in false repose from which we will suffer many a nightmare and from which we will awaken at least in truble and real agony." As a banker, he said, he would ask to come under the provisions of the Fowler bill and would look with dread and apprehension if the Aldrich bill should become a law.

National Bank Failures.

In response to a Senate resolution introduced by Mr. Tillman, Secretary Cortelyou sent to the Senate a report showing that 306 national banks were placed in charge of receivers between January 1st, 1893, and January 31st, 1908. The aggregate capital of these banks was $48,736,520. Exclusive of the banks which have failed since October 31st, 1907, the dividends paid on claims proved amounted to $65,469,012; the offsets allowed and settled amounted to $11,789,982, while theloans paid and other disbursements amounted to $25,171,166, making $102,439,160 which was paid to creditors. There was returned to shareholders in cash and other assets $7,052,329. Assessments made on shareholders amounted to $24,397,240 of which $12,098,328 was collected.

The Cotton Tax May Be Refunded.

Washington, Special. — Southern congressmen have begun a concerted movement to procure legislation to refund the sixty-eight million dollars of cotton tax collected during the civil war, alleged to have been illegally collected. The bill decided on at the conference provides for payment from the national treasury direct to holders of cotton tax certificates without any court of claim adjudication.

Steed on Chaingang.

Anderson, Special.—C. A. Steed, the divorce swindler who was convicted in Magistrate Wilson's court on Friday, went to the county chaingang Wednesday morning to commence his sentence of 90 days. He was unable to raise the $300 to cover the fines.

Allen Parker Pardoned.

Chattanooga, Special.—President Roosevelt has pardoned Allan Parker of this city, who was convicted in the federal court in Nashville two years ago and sentenced to serve five years in the federal prison at Atlanta, charged with misuse of funds of a bank at Tullahoma, Tenn. Parker was prosecuted by a Baltimore bonding company, but every dollar used by him was made up.

The Gold Standard.

Washington, Special. — Chairman Fowler, of the House committee on banking and currency, declared that the establishment of the gold standard should be put into practical effect by making gold coins the basis of all reserves. He says the character of the currecy legislation this season will determine the financial plank to be adopted by the Republican convention at Chicago in June, and his recommendation will make the party's attitude now and in 1900 consistent.

Oklahoma Swept by Blizzard.

St. Louis, Special—The worst storm of the winter is raging in Missouri and adjoining States. Snow fell in several places to a depth of fourteen inches, accompanied by a fierce wind. Oklahoma is being swept by a blizzard. Railroad traffic is much delayed. Snow has fallen in Arkansas for eighteen hours. The temperature is rapidly falling. Many trains are stalled.

Bound Over in Four Cases.

Fayetteville, Special.—John Downing, a Fayetteville butcher, who has been arraigned in the Circuit Court a number of times charged with the illicit sale of liquor, has been indicted in four cases by the present grand jury. Downing has been indicted in three cases with ordering liquor for minors, and in one case for selling liquor. He was bound over to the June term of the court under a $1,000 bond.

Tennesee Democrats.

Nasbville, Tenn., Special.—In response to the call of Chairman Henry B. Morrow, the Tennesee Democratic executive committee will meet in the Maxwell House. At this meeting the date of the State convention for the selection of delegates to the Denver convention will be decided. The question of a gubernatorial primary will also be determined. Owing to the fight over the governorship, the meeting of the committee promises to be exceedingly lively.

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Black ambition stains a public cause.—Danish.

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Blue are the hills that are far from us.—Irish.

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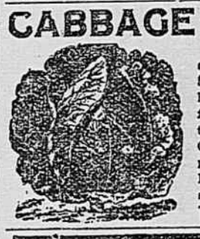

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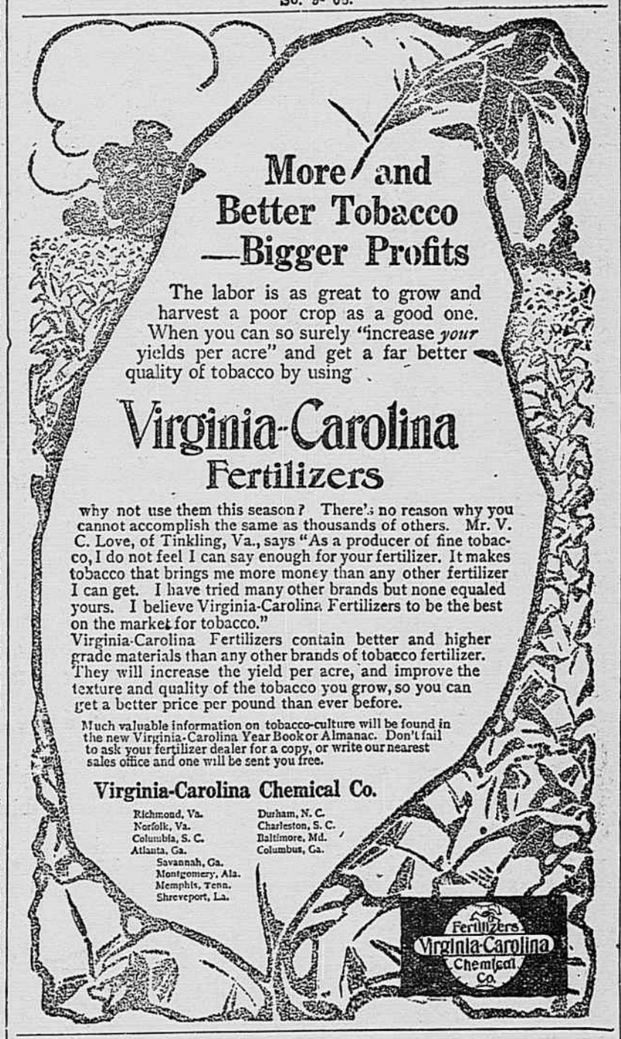

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