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## THREE SENATORS DECLARE THEY ARE FOR PRESIDENT TAFT

### Penrose, Crane And Smoot Out to Support Re-election

### HILLES TO BE AT HEADQUARTERS

Declaration of Three Senators Aimed to Put an End to Rumors to the Effect That Taft is Not Wanted for Re-election—Hitchcock to be Chairman of Committee For Re-nomination of President.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 25.—With a view to putting the campaign for the re-nomination and re-election of President Taft to a substantial basis, Senators Penrose of Pennsylvania; Crane of Massachusetts, and Smoot, of Utah, yesterday made arrangements for opening headquarters in this city within the next ten days.

Showing the falsity of rumors connecting Postmaster General Hitchcock with the Roosevelt campaign, it was said last night that efforts were being made to induce Mr. Hitchcock to resign from Mr. Taft's cabinet and to take up the active management of the Taft campaign for re-nomination and re-election. Confirmation of the resignation rumor was lacking, but there is no doubt that Mr. Hitchcock is heartily in favor of the president's re-nomination.

Another report is that Secretary Hilles may resign at the white house to take charge of the Taft headquarters.

While certain big interests are opposed to Mr. Taft's re-nomination because of his consistent enforcement of the Sherman anti-trust law, Senator Penrose stated last night, in discussing the plans for pushing the Taft campaign, that the "real business interests of the country, the men who have no axe to grind, are in favor of Mr. Taft's re-nomination and re-election.

## WIFE HELPS HUSBAND SLAYER

### First Wife Comes To The Rescue Of Man Murderer Of Second Wife

### CASE MAY REACH JURY TODAY

Wife of Accused Man, Whom He Had Deserted in New York Comes to His Rescue to Defend Name of Was Victim of Epileptic Fits—Prit Their Daughter—Testifies Husband soner Hurst His Own Cause.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 25.—To save the young daughter of George A. Gillette, alias Edwards J. MacDonald, the alleged wife murderer, who is on trial in criminal court No. 2, from the stigma of her father dying on the gallows, Mrs. Agnes Gillette, of New York, the deserted first wife of the accused, and mother of his child, and her relatives as well, are contributing largely to the defense.

Gillette married his first wife in 1899, and deserted her about a year later. Since then he has contributed nothing toward the support of her or the daughter, but this and all other considerations have been put aside for the sake of the child.

Mrs. Gillette has a father and brother engaged in business in New York city, but both are said to possess only limited means. They are apparently resolved, however, to spare nothing. It is believed that the stubborn legal fight being made to save the prisoner's life has barely begun. If convicted, an appeal will undoubtedly be taken to the district court of appeals, and if there is the slightest ground for prolonging the legal battle it may be carried up to the Supreme court of the United States.

The father and brother of the prisoner are also helping him. A brother of the accused, Henry J. Gillette, went on the stand yesterday, and told of the prisoner's state of health and mind from boyhood up. Mrs. Agnes Gillette also testified that he had been subject to epileptic.

## NATIONAL CAPITAL WELCOMES GOV., UNCLE OF KING

### President Taft Meets The Duke Of Connaught

### GALA DINNER AT THE WHITE HOUSE

Everything Was in Readiness For the Arrival of the Royal Traveller—Simplicity Was Key Note of Reception—British Ambassador Only Attendant of the Canadian Governor—Personal Aid, Col. Lowther Also With Him.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 25.—Arrangements for the reception today of the Duke of Connaught were completed by the white house and the state department last night. The uncle of one king and brother of another will be received as simply as possible, consistent with etiquette. The dutchess and the Princess Patricia will not visit Washington at all, according to official advice last night and the duke will go through the program arranged for his reception unsupported, except for the British Ambassador, James Bryce; the staff of the British embassy, and his personal aid, Col. Lowther.

Although his stay in Washington will be brief, and during most of his six or seven hours here he will be on home territory, the ground owned by the British government on which the embassy stands.

According to the official announcement given out at the white house, the duke will arrive in Washington at 4:20 this afternoon.

Maj. A. W. Butt, personal aid of President Taft, will meet the duke at the union station, and with British Ambassador Bryce and the embassy staff will form his escort to the embassy. White house automobiles will convey the duke from the station to the embassy.

## WHIPPING POST URGED IN VIRGINIA

### Bill Prescribes Whip For Wife And Mother Beaters

### MARTIN AND SWANSON ARE ELECTED

State Wide Prohibition Introduced By Senator West. Virginia Legislature Formally Selects U. S. Senators. Women In Norfolk Pray While "Whipping Post Bill" Is Considered. Divorce Laws To Be Amended.

RICHMOND, Va., Jan. 25.—In joint session the Virginia legislature today unanimously elected Senator Thomas S. Martin and Senator Claude A. Swanson to represent the Commonwealth in the Senate of the United States Congress. Two committees of three from the senate and five from the house were appointed to notify the senators.

A bill was introduced in the house to reestablish the whipping post in Virginia for the punishment of convicted wife or mother beaters.

An amendment to the divorce law providing that all proceedings shall be in open court; that drunkenness shall be a statutory offense; that the guilty party in adultery and the party with whom he or she has offended shall not be married again in this state was also introduced today.

The measure providing for the establishment of a boundary line on the Potomac, between Maryland and Virginia to Jamestown, in felony cases will be finally considered in the senate tomorrow.

The senate adopted 48 pounds of wheat to constitute a bushel by a vote of 23 to 14.

The senate passed the bill to protect squirrels and robins. Senator West of Nansmond, introduced the first petition in the senate for state-wide prohibition.

## NEWS THROUGHOUT THE NORTH STATE

### North Carolina News : : : In Brief

Presbytery of Orange in Session. GREENSBORO, Jan. 25.—At the conference of elders and deacons of Orange Presbytery, in session here at the First Presbyterian church, about one hundred delegates were present. Adjournment was had at one o'clock, the session having been fruitful of interest and benefit.

One of the most acute questions, aside from the regular program, was the reported acceptance by Dr. Louis Henry Smith, president of Davidson College, of the presidency of Washington and Lee University of Virginia. Members universally disapproved the acceptance, and with unanimity adopted the following resolution, which was wired Dr. Smith:

"We have heard with alarm that you are thinking of leaving Davidson to go to Virginia. The elders and deacons' convention of Orange Presbytery look upon your leaving as a calamity and affectionately urge you to remain."

### Nine Divorces in Only Three Days.

DURHAM, Jan. 25.—The court this morning granted five more divorces, this making nine in all since last Monday morning. There are still some on the docket, the most interesting case on the docket being a divorce case of J. W. Burroughs against

Mrs. Kate Burroughs. The prominence of the people, and the fact that the case will be hotly contested causes attention to center around it. It has been rumored on the streets that the case would not be contested, but a telegram from the defendant announced that she would be in the city the latter part of this week. The correspondent named in the complaint is a prominent traveling man, and will have counsel.

### Will Effect Compromise.

RALEIGH, Jan. 25.—It is learned that there is a strong probability that the famous suit of Ware-Kramer Company vs. American Tobacco Company will be settled out of court and without the termination of the appeal that the American Tobacco Company took from the verdict rendered against the company in the United States district court here before Connor. The verdict was for \$60,000 and counsel fees for the plaintiff. The damage sustained was in injury to the cigarette business of the plaintiffs in Wilson and later in Norfolk, Va. It is a noticeable fact that in the item of cost in the case the bill for printing amounts to \$2,000 and court fees will amount to upwards of \$1,800.

## CONDENSED NEWS ITEMS FROM EVERYWHERE

### What the World is Doing—Told by Wire

### Wolverines to Dine.

CHICAGO, Jan. 26.—Members of the Michigan Society of Chicago have completed elaborate arrangements for their banquet to be given tomorrow night in the gold room of the Congress Hotel. This annual festival is held on this date in honor of the admission of the state of Michigan to the union. This year the society is to have Chase S. Osborn, governor of Michigan, as the guest of honor and principal speaker. The other speakers of the evening will include Professor J. R. Angell, of the University of Chicago, formerly of Michigan, and Mayor Carter H. Harrison of this city.

### Missouri Republicans.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Jan. 26.—Republican politics formed the staple of discussion about the corridors and assembly rooms of the Coates house today. The state central committee went into session shortly before noon to decide upon arrangements for the state convention, while later in the day the members of the Republican state editorial association got together for their annual convention. The joint gathering, which will continue over tomorrow, attracted nearly every Republican leader of prom-

inence in Missouri, including nearly all of the candidates for places on the state ticket. Before final adjournment is taken it is expected that the plans of organization will be laid and a pretty clear idea formed in regards to the issue upon which the fight for the state and national tickets will be waged next fall.

### Texas Swine Breeders Meet.

ATHENS, Tex., Jan. 26.—The annual meeting of the Texas Swine Breeders' Association which opened here today for a session extending over today and tomorrow, has attracted a large number of large farmers and swine breeders from all sections of this state. At the opening of the convention the members were welcomed by Judge A. B. Watkins of this city and H. E. Singleton, of McKinney, Tex., delivered the response. Dr. A. E. Flowers, of Dallas, Tex., the president of the organization, delivered his annual address and was followed by R. J. Nelson, of Dallas, who read a paper which was afterwards thoroughly discussed. Among the speakers who will address the gathering during the two days of the convention are many noted authorities on hog breeding.

## N. C. NEW INDUSTRIES

### Many New Interprises In Old North State

### INDUSTRIES GROWING DAILY

For the week ending January 20th The Chattanooga Tradesman reports the following new industries for North Carolina:

- Atkinson—\$25,000 bank.
- Asheville—\$10,000 drug company.
- Bladenboro—\$150,000 cotton mill.
- Charlotte—Cotton mill.
- Cummock—\$30,000 development company.
- Fulp—Telephone company.
- Greensboro—\$5,000 tobacco factory.
- Lexington—Lumber company.
- Mocksville—Milling company.
- Murfreesboro—\$25,000 telephone company.
- Rutherfordton—\$10,000 drug company.
- Thomasville—\$25,000 printing company.

## FARMERS INSTITUTE

### Prizes Offered For Corn And Bread Exhibits

### GREAT INTEREST MANIFESTED

Farmers' institutes will soon be held in Pitt county, the places and dates being as follows:

- Grimesland, Wednesday, Jan. 31.
  - Bethel, Saturday, Feb. 3.
  - Ayden, Monday, Feb. 12.
  - Farmville, Tuesday, Feb. 13.
- Women's meetings will be held in connection with the institutes, so that besides the discussions for men of crops and their cultivation, there will be such topics for the women as health of the family, food, cooking, sanitation, etc.
- At each of these institutes there will be a prize of \$1 for the best exhibit of five ears of corn, provided they are meritorious and show points of excellence. There will also be a premium of \$1 for the best loaf of bread exhibited by a woman or girl

## GOVERNMENT WILL BE FAIR TO DIST. OF COLUMBIA

### President Taft Comes To The Aid Of District

### EXPERTS FURNISH HIM WITH DATA

Nation's Executive to Ask Congress to do What is Fair Towards District of Columbia—Capt. Oyster and Mr. Noyes Give President Data to be Used by Him—President in Favor of Pensions for Teachers and Firemen.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 25.—That the country at large will not stand for anything but the fairest possible treatment for the District of Columbia on the part of the federal government was the opinion expressed by President Taft to President Thomas C. Noyes, of the board of trade, and President James F. Oyster, of the chamber of commerce, during an hour's discussion of Washington affairs at the white house last evening. The heads of the two commercial bodies called to give the President data for use in his district message, which he will send to congress within the next three weeks.

President Taft favors pensions for public school teachers, firemen, and policemen in the District, according to the interpretation placed on the conversation with him by Mr. Noyes and Mr. Oyster. Mr. Taft displayed particular interest in these questions, and indicated that he probably would embody his views in his message.

The financial relations between the federal government and the District, including the half-and-half principal, were thoroughly discussed, and President Taft indicated that these also would be made subjects of his message.

Mr. Noyes left with the president an exhaustive paper on the question, prepared by Col. Truesdell, for the board of trade, in which numerous reasons are given why the half-and-half principal should be continued.

## ITALIANS CLAIM RIGHT TO SEIZE

### Vessels Carrying Contraband Are Liable to Seizure

### PRISONERS NOT YET RELEASED

Italian Government Ready And Willing To Pay Indemnity In The Case Of Liners, But Refuses To Set Prisoners Free. Uneasiness In English Shipping Circles On Account Of War Talk Between Two Nations.

ROME, Jan. 25.—The subject of the detention of 29 Turks, said to be members of the Red Cross Society, by the Italian authorities who captured them on the French steamer Manouba, was fully discussed at conferences today between Premier Giolitti, Foreign Minister Marquis di San Giuliano and the French Ambassador to Italy, Camille Barrere. The conferences are said to have been very cordial, but the Turks are still held under arrest at Cagliari, Island of Sardinia.

Italy maintains her right to capture and search ships of neutral nations suspected of carrying contraband of war. This has been the course followed, not only in the case of French steamers, but also with British, German and Austrian vessels. It is pointed out that other nations have acted similarly in recent years and that Italy is ready to submit the cases to The Hague tribunal and pay indemnity if an error has been committed.

living on the farm. Bought or home made yeast may be used in making the bread, but the "soft rising" process will not be eligible.

All of these institutes should be largely attended by farmers and their wives and daughters.

## HAMBURG AMERICAN LINER RAMS U. S. CRUISER AT SEA

### Pilot of Steamer Dies At His Post Before Collision

### CLEVELAND ON ROUND WORLD TOUR

Captain of Steamer Rushes on Deck to Find That Pilot Had Died on the Bridge—Gun Towar of "Colorado" Wrenched and Small Guns Cut Loose—Many Wealthy Tourists Aboard the Cleveland.

HONOLULU, H. I., Jan. 25.—With her pilot lying dead on the bridge, a victim of apoplexy, the Hamburg-American steamship Cleveland, swung into the harbor here this afternoon, bore down at half speed on the United States cruiser Colorado, and crashed into her stern, damaging the war vessel's guns and steering apparatus seriously.

Hundreds of passengers aboard the big steamship were on the decks, watching the sights of the harbor, and were terrified when they realized a collision was imminent.

Capt. C. Dent Wolf, master of the Cleveland on his trip around the world was below when the cries of scores of wealthy tourists went up. He dashed toward the bridge only to find the lifeless body of Milton P. Saunders, for fifteen years a trusted pilot of the Hamburg-American line.

He was stretched full length on the bridge floor, one hand extended as if he had tried desperately to signal to the engine room when he felt the fatal attack coming on. But the men below did not realize that the second signal, which would turn the steamship in toward the line of piers, was long overdue, and they allowed the engines to push the giant vessel on, toward the cruiser, which was anchored well outside the beaten path of entry for steamships.

## RAILROAD WRECK RESULT OF NEGLIGENCE

### Blame Placed On Three Men For Deaths Of Railroad Chiefs

### BOARD FINDS THREE MEN GUILTY

The Board Inquiring into the Cause of the Wreck in Which President of Line Met His Death Place Blame on Flagman and Conductor—Engineer Was Also to Blame for Catastrophe.

CHICAGO, Jan. 25.—Negligence on the part of three trainmen contributed to the Illinois Central wreck at Kinmundy, Ill., Sunday night in which T. J. Harahan, former president of that line, and three other railroad officials were killed, an investigating committee declared here today:

The trainmen and Engineer R. J. Stuart, of train No. 3, which crushed into train No. 25; John H. Brainard, conductor of train No. 25, and Harry J. Boecker, flagman on train No. 25. "Just what steps will be taken in the trainmen's cases has not been determined," said W. L. Partk, vice-president of the Illinois Central, and a member of the investigating committee.

Reading the alleged negligence of the trainmen, the committee said: "The board of inquiry finds that the conductor and flagman of train No. 25, knowing that train No. 3 was following closely, were negligent in not using the means they had in protecting their train.

"The board also finds that the engineer of train No. 3 was negligent in not discovering earlier his proximity to train No. 25."

### The Weather.

Cloudy with local rains tonight or Saturday morning; warmer tonight; light variable winds.



# Social and Personal

## Be A Booster.

If you see some feller trin' For to make some project go, You can boost it up a trifle; That's your cue to let him know That you're not a-goin' to knock it. Just because it ain't your "shout," But you're going to boost a little, 'Cause he's got "the best thing out."

If you know some feller's fallin', Just forget 'em 'cause you know That same feller's got some good points, Them's the ones you want to show; 'Cast your loaves out on the waters, They'll come back," is a saying true; Mebby they will come back "buttered."

When some feller boosts for you. —From The Booster.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Dail, Jr., Miss Vernessa Smith, Messrs. Henry Shephard and son, H. Jr., W. L. Patrick and J. T. Timberlake went to Wilson Thursday evening to attend the play.

Mr. A. K. Hatem went to New Bern Thursday evening.

Mr. R. H. Wright returned Thursday evening from a visit to relatives in Sampson county.

Mr. H. A. White went to Tarboro today.

Superintendent J. J. Laughinghouse of the state prison, was here this Rev. Frederick T. Nelson, of Brunswick, Me., will preach in the Universalist church morning and evening on Sunday, January 28, 1912, also at Allen's school house at 3:30 p. m. morning.

## Baptist Choir Practice Tonight.

The choir of the Baptist church will meet tonight for practice at the home of Mrs. Lina Baker.

## Donation to Library.

The library committee of the Greenville public library wish to heartily thank the Sans Souci club for a donation of twenty-three dollars to be applied to the needs of the library.

## RESTORE GRAY HAIR TO NATURAL COLOR.

By Common Garden Sage, A Simple Remedy For Dandruff, Falling Faded, Gray Hair.

The old idea of using sage for darkening the hair is again coming in vogue. Our grandmothers used to have dark, glossy hair at the age of seventy-five, while our mothers have white hair before they are fifty. Our grandmothers used to make a "sage tea" and apply it to their hair. The tea made their hair soft and glossy, and gradually restored the natural color.

One objection to using such a preparation was the trouble of making it, especially as it had to be made every two or three days, on account of souring quickly. This objection has been overcome, and by asking almost any first class druggist for Weyth's Sage and Sulphur Hair Remedy the public can get a superior preparation of sage, with the admixture of sulphur, another valuable remedy for hair and scalp troubles. Daily use of this preparation will not only quickly restore the color of the hair, but will also stop the hair from falling out and make it grow.

Get a bottle from your druggist today. Use it and see for yourself how quickly dandruff goes and gray hairs vanish.

This preparation is offered to the public at fifty cents a bottle, and is recommended and sold by all druggists. Special Agent, Moye's Pharmacy.

# STATE AND COUNTY NEWS.

## Happenings Around Standard.

Messrs. W. H. Elks, Sr., J. J. Nobles, Jr., and J. S. Elks went to Greenville Monday.

Mr. Gilbert Bibb of Reedy Branch was in our town Tuesday. We all were glad to see Mr. Bibb with us again.

Mr. George Potter, of Ormondsville was in our town Tuesday. The people and his friends were glad to see him.

Mr. Allen Bowens, of Ormondsville was in our town Wednesday evening and spent a short while.

We are glad to see Mrs. J. J. Nobles, Jr., in her chair out in the open air once more.

Miss Nettie Briley went to see her brother, Mr. Austin Briley, near Ormondsville, last Sunday and will spend a week or two with him and friends.

Mr. Robt. Willoughby, of Smithtown, gave us all a call Wednesday. He was en route for Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Tyson's of near Rountree's.

## Wilmington Prohibitionists Are Feeling More Encouraged.

WILMINGTON, Jan. 25.—Those who are leading the fight in this city for law enforcement with special reference to the prohibition law, felt more encouraged that their efforts in preparing the batch of whiskey cases were not in vain today when Judge Ferguson ordered that the records show that prayer for judgment is continued. This means that judgment in the 60 odd cases thought yesterday to have been settled upon payment of costs may be a road sentence from which there will be no appeal, as they have practically submitted to the charge. The only objection the private prosecution now raises to the disposition of the cases is the small bond required. Several of the defendants have closed their places of business temporarily, at least.

## Judge J. C. Pritchard Leaves Today on a Speaking Trip.

ASHEVILLE, Jan. 25.—Judge J. C. Pritchard, of the United States court, leaves tomorrow for a six weeks' speaking tour, wherein he will address audiences in the states of North Carolina, Maryland, Massachusetts, New York and Ohio. Judge Pritchard's tour is undertaken in the interest of the temperance movement, and in behalf of the training school for negro children at Durham. Judge Pritchard will give his opening address at Raleigh Saturday, and on Monday will discuss the prohibition question at Baltimore Md.

## PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 25.—President Fogel of the Philadelphia National League Baseball club today received the contract of Centrefielder Paakert, who has signed for three years.

**\$1.00 Per Plate.**  
was paid at a banquet to Henry Clay, in New Orleans in 1842, Mighty costly for those with stomach trouble or indigestion. To day people every where use Dr. King's New Life Pills for these troubles as well as liver, kidney and bowel disorders. aEisy, safe, sure. Only 25 cents at all druggists.

## A Hero In A Lighthouse.

For years J. S. Donahus, So. Haven, Mich., a civil war captain, as a lighthousekeeper, averted awful wrecks but a queer fact is, he might have been a wreck, himself, if Electric Bitters had not prevented. "They cured me of kidney trouble and chills," he writes, "after I had taken other so close for years, without benefit and they also improved my sight. Now, at seventy, I am feeling fine." For dyspepsia, indigestion, all stomach, liver and kidney troubles, they're without equal. Try them. Only 50c at all druggists.

## Cabbage Plants

Millions of thoroughbred Frost Proof Cabbage plants for sale. The following varieties:  
Jersey Wakefield, Charleston Wakefield, Succession, Large Late Drum Head.  
This selection should give you continuous heading through the entire season.  
PRICES IN FIELD, \$1.00 PER THOUSAND.  
Prepare for shipments in lots of from 1,000 to 10,000, \$1.25 per thousand; over 10,000 \$1.00 per thousand. F. O. B. Greenville, N. C.  
Can supply order of any size. Count and satisfaction guaranteed.  
**L. C. ARTHUR,**  
GREENVILLE, N. C.

## Central Barber Shop

HERBERT EDMONDS, Proprietor  
Located in main business of town. Four chairs in operation and each one presided over by a skilled barber. Ladies waited on at their home.  
**JUST RECEIVED**  
A new lot of MOULDING AND MAT BOARDS  
I also sell and cut Window Glass, any size, no charge for cutting.  
**YOUR PATRONAGE SOUGHT**  
Gardner's Repair Shop.

# OUR MISSIONARY WRITES

## Interesting Letter Received At Reflector Office

## CHRISTMAS ACROSS THE BORDER

Apartado 150, Guaymas, Mex.  
"The Christmas Holidays for us at Guaymas and other thoughts."

What a noise in the patio! What was the meaning of all that? Ah!

I recollect, that was the last day of school before the holidays and the people were gathering to see and hear what the little folks had to say in their "Christmas Fiesta," as they anxiously waited for Santa Claus to come and give them a stocking stuffed with goodies. Many of the dear little people and grown ones too, had no conception of "St. Nick," so they waited and eagerly watched to see what kind of a piece of humanity would appear. How their eyes sparkled and danced with delight as he appeared on the scene and delivered his speech of welcome ending with "A Merry Christmas to all." A jolly man was he.

(My! how the wind blew whistling a merry tune as it came around the North corner of the building, giving the audience a full blast in the key of "F" as it passed by).

After Santa had given each little girl and boy a little gift they, with their little hearts bubbling over with joy, said goodnight and went to their different homes some of which were very humble, to dream of his coming again. A happy thought that.

Those of us who attend the Sunday School and church service had only a beginning of the pleasures that were to come to us during the holidays for Mr. and Mrs. Marrs, who are as gentle as doves but wise as Solomon, had a feast in store for us in that we had a most delightful evening in their home January 1st, 1912.

As is the custom of the church we had a "watch meeting in the little mission chapel that night. Many good things were said. The native pastor gave us a very interesting talk on "God's Handiwork," after which Mr. Marrs gave a very instructive, as well as impressive one, on "Redeeming the Time." How important. The meeting closed with an invitation to enter the home of Mr. and Mrs. Marrs which they had beautifully decorated with pot-plants, palms, flowers and drapings of Mexican colors with here and there a Mexican flag floating in the breezes.

In the centre of the "Portal" on one side was the picture of President Madero draped with flags and ribbon. After a contest in which the boys were victorious, we were very cordially invited to take seats at the tables which had been made immaculate by the dainty touch of Mrs. Marrs. My! What a feast of hot tamales coffee, chocolate and cakes. (Mr. Marrs says Christmas comes but once a year but some of us would not object if it came twice). After refreshments were a thing of the past Mr. Marrs in his own jolly way introduced the old-fashioned game we used to play when boys and girls, viz: "Being Introduced to the Queen."

This of course, was new to the Mexican boys and girls and such fun we had. The poor boys took such heavy falls not only in body but in pride. My! it was great.

Next came the "breaking of the olla." This, after being filled with candies, nuts, etc., was fastened to a hook in the ceiling in such a way as to be about ten feet from the floor. Each applicant was taken to it and allowed to look at it then blindfolded and turned around like a spinning top three or four times and was then given the pleasure of trying to break it with a cane. Much fun was shown in it all but the zenith was reached when the successful applicant broke it and the contents began falling here and there. What a conglomeration of words were heard as the children began to pick up candy, etc., filling mouths, hands and pockets.

Someone has said that everything but a circle comes to an end, so the hour of departure came all too soon and at eleven Mr. and Mrs. Marrs in their own sweet Christian way began singing the old familiar song: "God be with you till we meet again." The crowd joined them and it seemed to me sang with more melody and sweetness than ever before. At the close of this beautiful hymn we had a prayer by the native pastor after which the voices of our host and hostess rang out joyous and clear. "Feliz ano nuevo." (Happy New Year). We left them not only expressing our appreciation to them for such a delightful evening but a silent prayer of thankfulness was given to our Master for the blessings of the Christmas holidays of 1911.

Now, may I add just a few thoughts for your prayerful consideration during the coming days? Mexico is undergoing a great change in this

# MOVEMENTS OF TRAINS

Atlantic Coast Line.

North-bound	South-bound
5:22 p. m.	6:30 p. m.
8:18 a. m.	1:18 p. m.

Norfolk Southern.

East-bound	West-bound
1:07 a. m.	3:25 a. m.
9:40 a. m.	7:51 a. m.
6:10 p. m.	4:58 p. m.

## LOW FARES VIA NORFOLK SOUTHERN TO NEW ORLEANS, MOBILE, PENSACOLA.

Account Mardi Gras Carnival. Tickets on sale February 13th to 19th, 1912. Final limit, March 2, 1912. Ask nearest Ticket Agent for particulars.  
B. L. BUGG, Traffic Mgr. W. W. CROXTON, Gen. Pass. Agt.

## A Girl's Wild Midnight Ride.

To warn people of a fearful forest fire in the Catskills, a young girl rode horseback at midnight and saved many lives. Her deed was glorious but lives are often saved by Dr. King's New Discovery in curing lung troubles, coughs and colds, which might be ended in consumption or pneumonia. "It cured me of a dreadful cough and lung disease," writes W. R. Atterson, Wellington, Texas, "after I in our family had died with consumption, and I gained 87 pounds." Nothing so sure and safe for all throat and lung troubles. Price 50c and \$1. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by all druggists.

## In Memory of "Chinese Gordon."

KHARTUM, January 26.—A magnificent Anglican cathedral in memory of the famous General "Chinese" Gordon, who met his death twenty-seven years ago while leading the Anglo-Egyptian forces against the Mahdi, was consecrated today in the presence of a most brilliant assemblage, among whom were a number of prominent representatives of the church of England and high officials from Cairo. The Bishop of London, the Rt. Rev. Winnington-Ingram, officiated at the consecration. The service was marked with oriental pomp and splendor and was enriched with wonderful music.

## time of unrest. We can't tell what the future will be.

The child of tomorrow in Mexico is an important individual and should be given careful, yea, very careful consideration. Every child ought to be free to be a child. We must learn to appreciate what childhood is. The mothers of the future are the children of today. How important then that they be taught the things that will be of vital importance for the future. The child of tomorrow must have a mother. Some one has said "all great moral faces are dependent upon great mothers." How many great men do you know who did not have great mothers? Nay, verily, I dare say your answer is "not one." How dear the name of mother.

Let the Mexican child with his average intelligence have a chance and see what Mexico will be 25 years from 1912. God hasten the day when all of our people will say in the truest sense of the word, "Build me a house by the road and let me be a friend of man."

The child of tomorrow in Mexico must have teachers whose lives are consecrated and filled with the spirit of the Master who is the Great Teacher of us all. She must make the moments count for she is moulding human character. This reminds me of a little sentence I wrote on the board this a. m., viz: "A stitch in time saves nine". Before I had finished writing several little hands had gone up and when I asked "why," they said, "What does that mean?" I explained to them and without an exception every one began to examine her dress to see if a button was needed or if darning had to be done.

A teacher must not only be consecrated but she must be strong in character and womanhood for it is every minute of each day that we are examples to these little people.

Now friends, how can we be to the child of tomorrow in Mexico just what Christ would have us to be? Its not possible for us to give him all these things and many more that I have not mentioned unless we have the earnest prayers and a large amount of the contents of the pocket-books of those we left behind to help us in this great and noble work. Therefore may I plead for more consecration to them for such a delightful evening but a silent prayer of thankfulness was given to our Master for the blessings of the Christmas holidays of 1911.

Now, may I add just a few thoughts for your prayerful consideration during the coming days? Mexico is undergoing a great change in this

Yours in Christ,  
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