

HOMEWARD JOURNEY.

LIBERTY BELL RETURNS THROUGH NORTH CAROLINA AND VIRGINIA.

Enthusiastic Reception Along the Route. Demonstrations at Salisbury, Danville and Charlottesville.

SALISBURY, N. C., Jan. 31.—Special.—The "Liberty Bell" en route from Atlanta to its home in Philadelphia, arrived here at 8:30 this morning. Its arrival was greeted by the glad greetings of our people, and the ringing of every bell in the city, and the shouts of more than a thousand people that met it at the depot.

Danville's Demonstration.

DANVILLE, VA., Jan. 31.—An immense concourse of people met the Liberty Bell at the Southern Railway depot this afternoon. It is safe to say that all the people in Danville, and much of the surrounding country, were on hand to do honor to "Old Liberty."

The stop here was two hours, and during that time ten thousand hands were clapping and many voices were shouting. Speeches were made by Mayor Harry Wooding, of Danville; Hon. A. M. Bettner, of Philadelphia; Hon. Porter King, Mayor of Atlanta; and Hon. Henry Clay, members of the Select Council of Philadelphia.

All the schools of Danville, including the two female colleges, the Danville Military Institute, and the public schools of Danville and Newport, gave a grand display of their flags, and all the children of the city were on hand to see the bell and learn more of its history.

At Lynchburg.

LYNCHBURG, VA., Jan. 31.—The Liberty Bell special, bearing the famous relic, and its escort, arrived here over the Southern Railway at 5:30 o'clock this afternoon. Although the skies were lowering, and rain threatened at any moment, about a thousand people had assembled in the Union Station, and the platform car bearing the bell, came into sight, broke into enthusiastic cheers.

At Charlottesville.

CHARLOTTESVILLE, VA., Jan. 31.—Special.—The Liberty Bell special, bearing the celebrated Liberty Bell, on its return to Philadelphia from the Atlanta Exposition, arrived at the Union Station this evening, and its arrival was greeted by a large number of people from Charlottesville and the University of Virginia.

UPSET BIDS AT GLASGOW.

Judge Wellford holds Court in Lexington, Va., Jan. 31.—Special.—Judge Paul, of the Glasgow District Court, in the case of the Glasgow, Va., sale, and the parties interested having put in upset bids, the property is ordered to be offered to public sale again.

THE LYNCHBURG POST-OFFICE.

"The King is Dead! Long Live the King!"

FIRE IN PRINCE GEORGE.

A Lunatic So Violent That He Must Be Chained or He Will Kill Himself.

MISS LAURA CLAY HERE.

She Will Speak This Afternoon on Woman's Rights.

DEBATES WAS MISTAKEN.

The Investigating Committee Report That His Charges Were Completely Disproved.

DR. WRIGHT IN PETERSBURG.

To Buy Baited in Fee Six to Rockstock Virginia.

PETERSBURG, VA., Jan. 31.—Special.—The meetings being conducted at the Second Baptist church by Rev. Dr. W. L.

Wright will be continued next week. There have been several professions of faith.

The sheriff is summoning jurors and witnesses in the case of R. H. Harris, indicted for murder, whose trial is set for next Monday in the Circuit Court.

A NIGHT OF FREN.

A Ship Attached for \$25,000—A Liquor Dealer Assizes.

NOFOLK, VA., Jan. 31.—Special.—Last night and to-day were noted for their severe weather.

NAME ON A TOMBSTONE.

Among the letters found in Eckert's desk was one from a woman, dated 1855, in which he had good-bye to his friends and says: "Do not be surprised, if you do not find me in the morning."

HIS RELATIVES HERE.

Eckert was formerly a member of the firm of Saunders & Eckert, druggists, at 520 West Leigh street, this city.

THE REPORT ADOPTED.

The Consolidation of Richmond and Manchester to be Referred to the Councils.

More New Laws.

Governor O'Ferrall has signed the following additional bills, that have been passed by the two houses of the Legislature.

Fire at the Cedar Works.

An alarm of fire, caused by a small blaze in the boiler-room of the Richmond Cedar Works, was turned in at 12:05 o'clock in the morning.

REPORT ON THE TEXAS.

After Strengthening the Bottom She Will be One of Most Magnificent Vessels Afloat.

THE RALEIGH BUDGET.

A Stay in the Governor's Order—Giant Oaks Dying.

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HE POISONED HIMSELF.

MIX ECKERT, A RICHMOND MAN, DIES FROM CHLORFORM.

A Sketch of a Tombstone on Which He Had Written His Own Name—Mr. Eckert Well Known in This City.

According to the New York Sun of yesterday, Max Eckert, a druggist at 45 Avenue A, New York City, killed himself Thursday morning with chloroform. According to the story told by some of his acquaintances, Eckert was addicted to the use of chloroform, and it was absolutely certain whether he died of an accidental overdose, or whether it was his intention to commit suicide.

TAKING THE DRUG.

According to the story told by Frederick Schwelzer, who was Eckert's clerk, the druggist had been taking unusually large quantities of his favorite drug during the past few days.

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He's All Right!

Who's All Right?

Why, the man who knows the true value of sound health; who always keeps his blood moving and his system toned up to the highest pitch. He can safely defy the colds, coughs, grip, chills, pneumonias, and other dangers of winter-time.

He Is

the man who succeeds, because he is always at his best. Are you feeling as well as this, or are you feeling "under the weather," low-spirited, and worn out? If so, why not follow the example of the thousands who keep their systems in splendid condition by using Duffy's Pure Malt Whisky?

Everybody who tries it finds it has a wonderful effect on the circulation; that it gives tone to every part of the body, and adds a zest to life that nothing else can produce. This is because it is not an ordinary whisky, but a pure, healthful stimulant, which quickens the blood, increases the energy, and makes all who take it feel strong, healthy, and well.

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SIGNS OF IMPROVEMENT.

Business Waiting, But There Are Favorable Indications.

The Iron Outh More Inspiring—Cotton Mills Discussing Curtailment of the Production.

NEW YORK, Jan. 31.—R. G. Dun & Co. will say to-morrow in their Weekly Review of Trade:

Failures in three weeks of January show liabilities of \$17,387,111, against \$18,565,000 last year; in manufacturing, \$48,122 this year, against \$49,125 last year; in trade, \$18,313,390, against \$18,267,287 last year.

Failures this week have been 404 in the United States, against 354 last year, and 70 in Canada, against 51 last year.

Though business is not waiting, there are some signs of ultimate improvement. It is now believed that the first payment for bonds will cause no further pressure, and that the market will be easier as respects loans on collateral, though the difficulty of making commercial loans still checks the advance.

Domestic trade recorded through clearing houses is 6.5 per cent. more than a year ago.

Signs in the improvement in the iron business are more inspiring, even though they spring from combinations that have raised the price of pig-iron. A contract for \$5,000 tons rails, Pacific district, taken by an easy eastern concern in competition with foreign markets.

Pig iron is rather weak, southern is competing sharply, and speculative buyers are not so active, but the average for all products is practically unchanged and 11.4 per cent. below the highest last year.

Coke production is material, but cut down to 100,000 tons in a single week.

The cotton mills are discussing curtailment of production, as a result of the curtailment of the iron business.

Cotton is a shade lower than a week ago, notwithstanding strong arguments for a rise.

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BUFFALO LITHIA WATER. THE GOUT SPRINGS.

PHYSICIANS AT HOT SPRINGS.

Use Buffalo Lithia Water Personally and Prescribe It for Others.

IN GOUT, RHEUMATIC GOUT, RHEUMATISM, NEPHRITIC COLIC, CALCULI, Etc., Etc.

It's Value in Bright's Disease Especially in Gouty or Rheumatic Subjects.

"A NATURAL TABLE WATER AND THE BEST OF ALL."

The late Dr. W. M. F. CARRINGTON, Resident Physician, HOT SPRINGS, ARK., Surgeon (retired) U. S. Navy, Surgeon Confederate States Navy, Medical Director Army of Northwestern Virginia.

Dr. JOHN ATFIELD, the celebrated London chemist, 1835: BUFFALO LITHIA WATER is strongly recommended by its remarkable purity.

Dr. ROBERTS BARTHOLOMEW, M. A., D. D., Professor of materia medica and general therapeutics in the Jefferson Medical College, Philadelphia, Pa.

Buffalo Lithia Water, of Virginia, contains the purest traces of lithia, and is alkaline in its action, and of great advantage in Gouty, Rheumatic and Renal Affections.

It is the best table water known to us, and I have a personal experience of them all. Dr. ALGERNON S. GARNETT, Surgeon (retired) U. S. Navy, Resident Physician, HOT SPRINGS, ARK.

My experience in the use of BUFFALO LITHIA WATER is limited to the treatment of Gout, Rheumatism and its hybrid disease, Rheumatoid (so-called), which is in continuation to the Rheumatoid Arthritis of Garrod.

I have had excellent results from this Water in these affections, both in my own person and in the treatment of others. I have prescribed it, of course, the remedial and solvent properties.

Hence it is a prophylactic as well as a remedy in Nephritic Colic and forming Calculi, when due to a redundancy of Lithic Acid.

Dr. ALFRED L. LOUMIS, Professor of Pathology and Practical Medicine in the Medical Department of the University of New York, wrote: "For the past four years I have used Buffalo Lithia Water in the treatment of chronic Bright's Disease of the Kidneys occurring in Gouty and Rheumatic subjects with marked benefit."

Buffalo Lithia Water is for sale by Druggists and Grocers generally, or in cases of one dozen half-gallon bottles, \$5.00, f. o. b., at the Springs. Descriptive pamphlets, sent free on application. Springs open for Guests from June 15th to October 1st.

Proprietor, Buffalo Lithia Springs, Va.

THE SALE OF LANDS. CHANGES IN THE LAW REGARDING DELINQUENT PROPERTY.

Provision Made for Deeds for Such Property—How Delinquent Lands May be Redeemed.

The following bill, which makes radical changes in the law relating to the sale of delinquent lands, has been approved by the Governor:

To amend and re-enact section 56 of the Code of Virginia, as amended and re-enacted by the Acts of eighteen hundred and ninety-three and eighteen hundred and ninety-four, approved March fifth, eighteen hundred and ninety-four, and re-enacted so as to read:

1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Virginia, that section six hundred and sixty-one of the Code of Virginia, and sections six hundred and sixty-two, six hundred and sixty-three and six hundred and sixty-four, approved March fifth, eighteen hundred and ninety-four, and re-enacted so as to read:

Section 661. When and how lands purchased in the name of the state or of any county or corporation shall be sold, and the proceeds thereof distributed, shall be as follows:—When real estate is sold under authority of this section, the clerk of the county or corporation shall file an affidavit with the clerk of the county or corporation, stating the name of the purchaser, the amount paid therefor, and the date of the sale.

2. This act shall be in force from its passage.

CONCEALED WEAPONS BILL KILLED.

Secretary and Partisan Text-Books Prohibited in South Carolina.

COLUMBIA, S. C., Jan. 31.—In the House of Representatives Mr. Bacon's concealed weapons bill was killed by Mr. Rags's amendment to disfranchise persons convicted of violating the law.

Many railroad men attended the funeral of St. Paul Bill Izard.

NEW YORK, Jan. 31.—Four tags of the Southern Railway Company were at work this morning in another way endeavor to pull the American at Washington, Pa. out of the road of Long Branch, despite the efforts of the tug boats.

St. Paul Bill Izard.

ATLANTA, GA., Jan. 31.—The funeral of W. C. Watson, formerly general manager of the Southern Railway, which occurred here to-day, was a grand affair.

Embezzled \$25,000.

COLUMBUS, O., Jan. 31.—George Kellogg, of the Troy (Ohio) survey works, has misappropriated \$25,000 of the company's money. An attempt of non-prosecution, he admitted his guilt, and stated how he had used the money. He had deposited \$25,000 in Columbus, and the money was being raised for the American Exchange Bank, of which he was to be the cashier.

Sullivan's Condition.

SPRINGFIELD, ILL., Jan. 31.—The condition of John L. Sullivan is not as satisfactory this evening. The wounds on his head are suppurating and much better, and the patient is irritable, restless, and feverish.