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ONE WIFE ENOUGH.

POLYGAMY ENDED BY THE MORMONS.

President Woodruff, of The Church of Latter Day Saints, Forbids Plural Marriages.

SALT LAKE CITY, Utah, Oct. 8, 1890.—The Sixty-first Conference of the Church of Jesus Christ, of Latter Day Saints to-day decided to abolish polygamy, in accordance with the proclamation made by President Woodruff, of the Church, on September 24th.

After the preliminary work of the morning Mr. George Q. Cannon arose and paused some time before he spoke. An important document was in his right hand. This filled the audience with anticipation of the foretold sensation in the shape of a manifesto by the President forbidding plural marriages.

The document was handed to Bishop Whitney to read and is as follows:

[Official Declaration.]

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

Press dispatches having been sent for political purposes from Salt Lake City, which have been widely published, to the effect that the Utah Commission in their recent report to the Secretary of the Interior, allege that plural marriages are still being solemnized; that forty or more such marriages have been contracted in Utah since last June or during the past year; also that in public discourses the leaders of the church have taught, encouraged and urged the continuance of the practice of polygamy, I therefore, as president of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints do hereby in the most solemn manner declare that these charges are false.

We are not teaching polygamy, nor plural marriages, nor permitting any person to enter its practice.

And I deny that either forty or any number of plural marriages have during that period been solemnized in our temples or in any other place in the Territory. One case has been reported in which the parties alleged that the marriage was performed in the Endowment House, in Salt Lake, in the spring of 1889, but I have not been able to learn who performed the ceremony. Whatever was done in this matter, it was without my knowledge.

In consequence of this alleged occurrence, the Endowment House was by my instructions taken down without delay.

Inasmuch as laws have been enacted by Congress forbidding plural marriages, which laws have been pronounced constitutional by the court of last resort, I hereby declare my intention to submit to those laws and to use my influence with the members of the church over which I preside to have them to do likewise.

There is nothing in my teachings to the Church or in those of my associates during the time specified, which can be reasonably construed to inculcate or encourage polygamy, and when any elder of the Church has used language which appeared to convey any such teachings he has been promptly reproved.

And I now publicly declare that my advice to the Latter Day Saints is to refrain from contracting any marriage forbidden by the law of the land.

WILFORD WOODRUFF,
President of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints.

Adopted by the Conference.

President Snow, chief of the Twelve Apostles, then rose and offered the following:

"I move that, recognizing Wilford Woodruff as the president of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints, and the only man on the earth at the present time who holds the keys of the sealing ordinaries, we consider him fully authorized by virtue of his position to issue the manifesto which has been read in our hearing and which is dated September 24, 1890, and that as a Church in general conference assembled we accept his declaration concerning plural marriages as authorative and binding."

Not a man or woman in the thousand assembled voted against the proposition, which was declared carried.

The result was then announced.

A FEARFUL CRIME

Two Young Girls on Their Way Home From School Brutally Murdered.

[By United Press.]

CUMBERLAND, Ont., Oct. 9.—The dead bodies of Mary and Eliza McConigle, aged fourteen and twelve years, were found last night by a searching party who had been looking for them since Tuesday evening. The girls had been outraged and strangled to death. Narcisse Larocque, who was seen following the girls on their way home from school Tuesday afternoon is under arrest on suspicion. The girls lived a mile and a half from the village where they attended school.

Attempted Double Murder and Suicide.

[By United Press.]

OLYMPIA, Wash., Oct. 9.—There was an attempted double murder and suicide at South Union, eight miles from this city, Tuesday night. Frank F. Smith fired four shots with a Winchester at his father-in-law, John P. Crins, an old pioneer, and his (Smith's) wife, Crins' stepdaughter, and then blew out his own brains. Mrs. Smith refused to live with him any longer on account of his drinking habits. She started in an open wagon with her step-father to go to his home, and Smith met them a few miles outside of the city on horse-back where the shooting took place.

Death in a Train Wreck.

[By United Press.]

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 9.—A freight train was wrecked early this morning at St. Paul Brook, a station on the New York Division of the Reading railroad, eleven miles from here. Two brakemen were killed and an engineer and fireman injured.

LEAZAR AT THE UNIVERSITY.

He Discusses in an Able Manner the Contraction of the Currency.

(Special Cor. to STATE CHRONICLE.)

CHAPEL HILL, N. C., Oct. 8.—This evening, Hon. A. Leazar, of Iredell, addressed the citizens of Chapel Hill and adjoining townships on the issues of the campaign.

The greater part of his speech was devoted to the contraction of the currency. On this question he seems to be well informed, and handles it as easily as many of our speakers do the Force bill, the race question &c, which can be obtained by reading the ordinary newspapers of the day.

He called the attention of his hearers to the fact, that as the currency of Rome was more and more removed from the people, that dark pall, that hideous gloom of despair, which we usually term the "Dark Ages," spread over Europe—never to be fully removed until the genius of Columbus, followed by his daring countrymen had revealed and opened the wonderful mines of gold and silver in the then "New World."

In the United States, under the leadership of that great financier (but corrupt man) John Sherman, of Ohio, the silver dollar had been demonetized, in 1873, and since he, "with his folks" had been against its free coinage while the Democratic party had as earnestly favored it. Mr. Leazar heaped no abuse upon the Republican party, in general terms, but criticised their wicked usurpations and attempts to enact the Force bill.

He closed by complimenting the work done so far, by the Alliance, and appealed to his hearers to support Bunn and Vance.

After his speech closed, Col. E. S. Parker, who was in the audience, was called for, and he cheerfully responded, announcing himself a candidate against Mr. Strayhorn for Solicitor.

Many of the citizens of Chapel Hill, will join the excursion to Burlington fair, in order to hear Senator Vance, tomorrow.

There is no college news. Every department of the University is moving along quietly with its work.

V. S. B.

THE COMTE DE PARIS.

A Big Effort to Make Something Out of Nothing.

[By United Press.]

WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 9.—Considerable discussion in regard to the official status of Comte De Paris is going on in the press. Investigation at the State department establishes the fact that it is not customary for the President to deputize any one, except an officer of that department, to receive in an official manner a distinguished visitor in this country. If Collector Erhardt did welcome the Count in the name of the President, as alleged, the State department officials contend that he did so without authorization. But the weak point, in a diplomatic sense was the message from the President in reply to the Count's telegram, to the effect that he would be out of town when the Comte reached Washington, but would be happy to see him on his return. This message was probably sent without sufficient consideration, but diplomats insist that it does not compromise this nation in the least because it can have no official significance unless it emanates from or passes through the State department, and it will be noticed that the State department has been perfectly mum in regard to the affair from the outset until the present time.

A Fearful and Fatal Mine Explosion.

[By United Press.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 9.—A special to the Chronicle from San Diego says: News has been received from Rosario gold mine, seventy miles inland from Mazatlan, of a terrible explosion, which occurred there the latter part of September. An American named McGee, who came from Nashau, Cal., was working with 9 Mexicans in a sixty foot level near the magazine, which contained hundred pound kegs of dynamite. This in some way exploded and the ten men were blown to atoms.

A Jealous Man's Terrible Act.

(By United Press.)

TOLEDO Oct. 9th.—At 8 o'clock last evening Captain Mike Enright, a prominent vessel captain met his wife walking with Patrick Murphy, and shot Murphy through the mouth. Murphy ran and Enright sent three bullets into his wife's body. The wife walked home but will probably die, while Murphy will live but is badly hurt. Enright coolly rode home on a street car, but was arrested and is lodged in jail.

No Call for a Special Session of Congress.

[By United Press.]

MT. OTTUMWA, Iowa, Oct. 9th.—The Washington Dispatch saying that the President had determined to call a special session of Congress was shown to Private Secretary Halford this afternoon by the United Press correspondent. Mr. Halford, after reading it, said: "That is not true. No such decision has been reached.

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SISTON, Cal., Oct. 9.—A light snow fell at intervals here yesterday. There has been a heavey fall of snow on Mt. Shasta.

A RADICAL TRICK.

IT IS THE HAND OF THE ALLIANCE BUT THE VOICE OF RADICALISM.

The Wilkes County Radicals Get Control of the Alliance and Seek to Make it Injure the Democratic Party.

(Wilkesboro Chronicle.)

The Alliance of Wilkes county is two-thirds Republican. It held a meeting here last Friday. After performing its many legitimate and laudable duties, the Republicans took charge of the meeting and without any foreknowledge on the part of the Democratic members, railroaded a resolution endorsing Graham for Congress through. It was simply a Republican scheme gotten up by the town Radicals, and introduced and engineered through by one Mr. Henderson, the postmaster and "Reliable" Eaves Republican, and passed by a strict party vote of 30 Republicans for and 23 Democrats against. Not a single Democrat knew the matter would be brought up till it was sprung upon them and they fought it as ably as possible. But Henderson had the crowd and was particular to see that fact before he introduced the resolution. This Radical trick goes to prove nothing more than what we all know, that is they are for anybody, and will use any means to defeat Cowles even to prostituting the excellent order of the Farmers' Alliance to Radical purposes against the constitution of the order which they all swore to support. It will not affect a single true Democratic vote.

Any man versed in the politics of the day and knowing the source of the resolution, will give it much credit for sincerity. It is to pull the wool over Maj. Graham's eyes, which we do not believe can be done. The Repulicans will vote solidly for York. The only use they have for Graham is to try to divide the Democratic vote, so that York may slip in. Let every Democrat stand square for his party and for the good and freedom of his county and this new Republican trick will pass away as harmless as the mists. The Rads alone are responsible for the matter and not the Alliance.

SHABBY BUSINESS.

The CHRONICLE publishes the above to show to what base use the Radicals seek to put the Alliance wherever they are in the majority. In no instance have the Democrats gone into the Alliance and sought to pervert it to partizan ends.

But the basest act of the above is the use the Radical Alliancemen make of Maj. GRAHAM's name. He is a life-long Democrat and was a candidate for the Democratic nomination. Every honorable reason will impel him to give Colonel COWLES an earnest support, and never yet in North Carolina has a GRAHAM been guilty of dishonor, and never will Major WM A. GRAHAM, of Lincoln, be guilty of allowing Radicals to use his name to defeat the regular Democratic nominee. We know that as soon Major GRAHAM sees this action he will promptly repudiate it, and call upon his friends to support the Democratic nominee.

BUNN AND McIVER.

Their Meeting at Youngsville--How Mr. Bunn Walloped the Professor.

[Special Cor. STATE CHRONICLE.]

WAKE FOREST, N. C, Oct. 9.—When the 12 o'clock train reached Youngsville yesterday, it had on board the two candidates for Congress and about one hundred students and citizens of Wake Forest. There was already a good audience at Youngsville impatiently waiting for the fray. The "Professor" spoke first—consuming an hour. He commenced with the nullification of South Carolina, and wandered and rambled and scattered in the past for half an hour. The "young men" grew impatient, and wanted to hear something about the living, burning issues of the day, and when asked some questions, he replied that "Mr. Bunn will tell you about that better than I can."

The only point that he made was the CLAIM that he was the "Alliance candidate" and that too, after announcing himself as the Republican candidate. He finally wore out his hour and Mr. Bunn took the stand. It has been my pleasure in the years that are gone, to have heard Roger A. Pryer, Stephen A. Douglass, Alexander Stephens, and to mention no others, our own Zeb. Vance. These were all giants in debate; but never have I heard such a castigation as this poor old man received at the hands of Mr. Bunn. The SPIRIT in which it was done was admirable—no animosity, no reviling. It brought down on his whitened head only contempt and PITY for the position he occupies.

Mr. Bunn's speech was impassioned, eloquent, convincing and unanswerable. Not a WHITE man on that ground will vote against him.

He is stronger in the affections of the people to-day—especially the Alliancemen, than ever before, and his majority at the polls will be overwhelming.

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STATE FAIR.

Programme for Monday, October 13.--Opening Day for Exhibitors Only.

All persons having exhibits on the Fair Grounds, or those desiring to make exhibits, will be admitted to the grounds without charge on this day. No other persons will be allowed on the grounds, as the finishing touches will this day be given to the exhibits.

A Decision Worth $25,000,000.

[By United Press.

CHICAGO, Oct. 9.—George M. Pullman is quoted here as saying that the decision in the Vestibule case, in favor of the Pullman Company, is worth $25,000,000 to that company.

POLITICS IN THE WEST.

[Special to STATE CHRONICLE.]

MORROW, N. C., Oct. 8.—The political pot has been "sizzin" up here for weeks, and yesterday it began to boil. The first man to chunk the fire was Mr. E. Spencer Blackburn, Radical candidate for Solicitor in this district. Mr. Blackburn is very young and showed that he knew very little about the political issues of the day. He denied that the Force bill was an is issue between the parties. He made a great fuss about the new election law in this State, and urged that it debarred the poor people from voting. His speech amounted to nothing, except bluster.

Mr. W. C. Newland took charge of Mr Blackburn, and in a short but forcible speech laid out the young champion of Radicalism. Mr. Newland charged Blackburn with incompetency, he having practiced law only six months. Newland asked a question or two.

Newland—"Do you favor the Force bill?"

Blackburn—"No."

Newland—Will Mott says you ought to leave the Republican party and join the Democrats. Will you do it?"

He drew the record of his party upon him with telling effect.

It would be a calamity for this inexperienced, blustering, whipper-snapper to defeat the efficient and competent Newland. He cannot do it.

Tom Johnston Speaks.

Col. Tom Johnston discussed the tariff in a very clear, forcible, and practical manner. He spoke in eloquent terms of what nature had done for this country, and then denounced the Radical party for legislating against God's laws and man's welfare. He paid his respects to Tom Reed in vigorous terms. Col. Johnston made a fine speech, and it had a good effect.

Flap-doodle Linney on the Stump.

Flap-doodle Linney next took the rostrum. He undertook to give a good reason for joing the Republican party, but failed to do it. He said the Farmers' Alliance was organized in Texas and South Carolina to protest against Democratic misrule. He said that the Allianceman who cannot see that the Republican party is nearer in accord with his principles than the Democratic party, is not fit to be a man and ought to be torn down and built into a 'possum dog.

His speech was vulgar, profane, deceptive, evasive and full of falsehoods. It was certainly the filthiest speech I ever heard. A negro was heard to remark that he did not know a white man could talk that way.

The Senatorial Candidates.

To day the senatorial candidates spoke. Dr. Reed and Mr. Avery will be elected if the signs here to day mean anything.

The Eloquent Ransom.

Senator Ransom closed the speaking to-day. I could not hear him finish, but he was putting in sledge hammer blows, and he carried the people with him. He is a magnificent orator and the people up here love and believe in him.

I learn that Vance had a tremendous crowd at Asheboro to-day.

T. M. R.

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL.

Rev. Dr. W. S. Hilliard, of Asheville, is very ill with partial paralysis.

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The Stanly County Teachers' Institute passed very handsome resolutions expressive of their appreciation of the ability and successful efforts of Prof. Chas. D. McIver.

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John H. Arrington, of Charlotte, and Miss Nettie Ward, daughter of Capt. E. W. Ward, of Lincolnton, will be married at Morganton today at noon—Charlotte Chronicle of yesterday.

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Mr. J. C. Angier, of Durham, N. C., representing W. Duke & Sons, the largest cigarette manufacturers in the world, after spending several days in the city, left for home Wednesday night. He was looking for a suitable site for the erection of a branch manufactory of the Duke people. A certain piece of real estate not far from the Read house had been selected as the site.—Chattanooga Times.

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We are pleased to know that our esteemed brother T. B. Eldridge, late of the Globe, will not be lost to the fraternity of this State. He has made his arrangements and will probably leave this afternoon to take charge of the Leader, of Madison, N. C. We regret his departure from Durham. While here he made many warm friends and he will long be remembered by our people who he endeavored so faithfully to serve.—Durham Sun.

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Governor D. G. Fowle and Engineer W. G. Lewis went down to Newport last night, bent both on pleasure and business, and determined to get all of each that they can out of the trip. They will meet a party of gentlemen, by invitation, and may attend the Democratic speaking at Newport. They also expect to go over to Hewitt's pond, hunting. The Governor jovially says he wants to get a deer, but does not want it to be a dear trip. One important piece of business they will attend to is to inspect the work done on the New Berne and Beaufort canal.—New Berne Journal.

Winston-Salem's Population.

[Special to STATE CHRONICLE.]

WINSTON, N. C., Oct., 9.—The census returns gives Winston alone 7,988; Salem 4,210. Therefore the twin-city, Winston-Salem has a population of 12,198, and goes from eighth to second city in North Carolina.

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NO BOODLE, NO WORK.

HOW THE RADICAL "BOSSES" FAILED TO CARRY OUT SOME CAMPAIGN SCHEMES.

They are Radicals for Office or Boodle Only--and if They Don't Get One--They Won't Work.

Several of the Radical "bosses" and their retainers have been noticed in the city this week--among them "Reliable" Eaves, Dr. J. J. Mott, "Professor" McIver, A. E. Holton, chairman of the "crazy quilt" convention and others.

It has transpired that their business here was to take steps of some kind for running something like a systematic State campaign, but from all that can be learned they failed to accomplish that business.

The fact is the "Radical" bosses have been completely at sea since they failed to re-elect Logan Harris secretary of the State Republican executive committee last September.

It will be remembered that Eaves and Harris had a personal difficulty here over the matter of calling the State convention of Radicals. They professed to "make up" and forget everything, but Eaves resolved that, if he could prevent it, Harris shouldn't be secretary any more.

The convention met, and the revenuers held the balance of power as to delegates. Eaves was the "Boss" revenuer, and things went pretty much as he said they must go, and he was re-elected chairman, but Harris wasn't re-elected secretary. Somebody said that "Harris had been shelved," but it transpires that Harris did his own shelving. He didn't ask to be re-elected secretary. In fact he kept out of the way and let the "Revenue bosses" do their work as they pleased.

This week the bosses found they could'nt do anything at all without Harris. They made overtures to him, and actually went so far as to ask him if he would'nt assume the responsibility and work of getting up and sending out the Radical tickets for the coming election. This request was made by Eaves.

Harris simply told him that if he (Eaves) would furnish the funds to pay for the tickets and also the funds to pay for the work of sending them out, that he (Harris) was ready to do the work.

Previous to this Eaves had written to Harris asking him for certain information which was absolutely necessary to carry out certain projects. Harris replied that since his connection with the executive committee had ceased, he had not given any attention to collecting that kind of information.

Other requests were made of Harris, but he remained obdurate, and the result is a collapse of such schemes as Eaves hoped to carry out.

Harris has been appealed to help thwart some plans which are reported to have been made in some of the eastern counties. For instance Halifax is a county which the Radicals claim by a considerable majority. It has been reported here that something like a combination has been made down there by which the Radicals are to have the office of the clerk of the superior court, and the office of register of deeds, and the Democrats are to have all the other county offices and the whole legislative ticket. Something similar is reported from Northampton.

There is a negro here named Pope in the Revenue service from Northampton, and he wanted to go down there to investigate these rumors. He applied to Chairman Eaves for a little roll of the "campaign fund" to pay his expenses on this Radical mission. Eaves told him he didn't have any money and sent the negro to Collector White. Mr. White wouldn't "pony up" because, he said, the "crazy quilt" convention had cost him about three hundred dollars, and that was about as much as he could stand; but Mr. White advised the negro to apply to Mr. Harris. Harris told him that if he wanted to go, he could either walk there or pay his own way. If he didn't do one or the other he would have to stay here and let the whole business go to thunder.

So it seems that the old "boodle" party is not boodling much this year.

The National Republican committee doesn't care a snap for this State except in Presidential campaigns, and no money is coming from that source; and since there is no money, there can be no "boodle" work, and the "boss" Radicals in this State are Radicals for office and "boodle" only. If they don't get one or the other they wont work. Many of them will now probably stand around and try to hatch up some scheme by which they can get a grab at the big "boodle" which will come down here in the next Presidential campaign.

SHE COULDN'T STAND IT,

And Resigned Her Position as a Teacher.

(Henderson Tomahawk.)

A Henderson girl's principle and pluck was exhibited last week in no unmistakable a manner. Miss Annie H. Young left here two weeks ago for Trenton, N. J., for the purpose of teaching. After passing a most creditable examination before the State Normal School she was assigned a position. Upon entering her class room, she was shocked to find her pupils were a mixture of whites and blacks. Her exit and resignation were made instanter. She left at once for Stuarts, Va., where she has a pleasant and honorable position. We are proud of her independence and pluck, and hope her example will be followed by other Southern girls. Her conduct will be honored by every Southerner.

You are no Sardine.

Of course not, but all the same a fine sardine is a good thing. Rich in flavor, not too salty, in fine oil, no bones to speak of. If you know what a good sardine is, we can supply you. Also olive oil, olives, salad dressings, fine pickles, sauces, Kippered herrings, crabs, shrimps. mushrooms and all that sort of thing.

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FROM SIRE TO TO SON

Milton Nobles' Play To-morrow Night.

Milton Nobles will play here to-morrow night. Speaking of the play in which he will appear, the Chicago Evening Journal says: "From Sire to Son," Milton Nobles' newest and best play, was put on the boards at the Columbia Theatre last night, and met with a sympathetic and generous reception. The play was written by Nobles himself, and will rank among the first of American productions. One striking original feature in introduced and is deserving of special comment, and that is the sudden loss of speech which descended as a curse "From Sire te Son." The character of Alfred Armitage, or John Oakley, the assumed name under which he appeared in the first act, is one especially adapted to one of Nobles' physical and mental temperament, and as Mabel Armitage, the wife in the first act, and Mabel Armitage the daughter, in the later acts of the play, Dollie Nobles seemed bound up in the characters she assumed, that of the trusting, faithful wife, and the yearning, longing daughter, believing that Jonas Hardy was her father, and yet not finding in him any of those peculiar and magnetic attractions which should draw a child to a parent. There are several really strong points in the play, and Mr. Nobles is to be congratulated on his success.

Weather Report.

Raleigh yesterday: Maximum temperature 73; minimum temperature 52; rainfall, 0.00 inches.

Local forecast for Raleigh and vicinity to-day: Fair weather, slightly warmer; winds shifting to South-easterly.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 8.--Forecast for Virginia: Warmer, fair weather; southerly winds.

For North Carolina: Fair weather; winds generally easterly; slightly warmer.

The International Iron and Steel Convention.

[By United Press.]

PITTSBURG, Pa., Oct. 9.—The International Iron and Steel Convention, the first one ever held in America, assembled here to-day in Carnegie Hall. Sir James Kitson was made chairman of the meeting. John H. Ricketson, chairman of the general reception committee, delivered an address of welcome. The following papers were read: "The Probable Future of the Mannfacture of Iron," Sir Lowthian Bell Bart, Middlesborough; "The Protection of Iron and Steel Ships Against Foundering From Injury to Thier Shells, Including Armor," by Sir Nathaniel Barnaby, K. C. P. late Chief of Construction of H. M. Navy (London); "The Development of the Marine Engine and the Progress in Marine Engineering During the Past Fifteen Years," by Mr. A. E. Seaton.

At 1:30 the delegates left for Wildwood, where the petroleum and natural gas fields were inspected.

THAT INFAMOUS TARIFF

Preventing Foreign Exhibits at The World's Fair.

[By United Press.]

ROME, Oct. 9.—The Italian committee on the Chicago World's Fair exhibits has been dissolved. The reason given is that few Italian houses care to send displays to America in the face of the high duties imposed by the McKinley tariff.

A Fearful Powder Explosion.

[By United Press.]

BOULDER, Col., Oct. 9.—While miners at Humboldt mine, near Jamestown, were eating lunch in the blacksmith shop at noon yesterday, several sticks of giant powder exploded, instantly killing Mike Miles, Hugh Morgan and Harry Atkinson, and seriously injuring Tom Richardson.

TELEGRAPHIC FLASHES.

(By United Press.)

NEW YORK, Oct. 9.—Isaac Murphy, the great jockey, is seriously ill with pneumonia.

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., Oct. 9.—Richard N. Allen, of Cleveland, Ohio, the inventor of paper car wheels, is dead.

ST. PETERSBURG, Oct. 9.—The Novo Vremya says that in consequence of the failure of Germany to persuade Russia to recognize the pretensions of Prince Ferdinand to the rulership of Bulgaria, the government of the former country has advised Austria to abandon, for the present, her attempt to induce the European powers to recognize Prince Ferdinand in that capacity.

Cheap Rates to the Fair.

The Atlantic and North Carolina Railroad will make cheap excursion rates to the State Fair. Tickets on sale October 13th, 14th, 15th, 16th and 17th. Good to return including Oct. 18th by any scheduled train.

Schedule and fare for round trip including admission to Fair:

Lve. Morehead Depot	3:45	a. m.	$3,40
" Newport	4:23	"	3.20
" New Berne	5:35	"	2 70
" Kinston	6:58	"	2.30
" Falling Creek	7:11	"	2.10
" LaGrange	7:31	"	1.90
" Best's	7:45	"	1.75
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