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LOCAL NEWS ITEMS.

—Mrs. R. G. Lindsay is visiting in Cincinnati.

—Mrs. T. J. Shaw has returned from a visit to Carthage.

—Mrs. James E. Boyd has returned to Washington City.

—Mr. Jno. R. Coble has retired from the whiskey business.

—Col. J. T. Morehead is attending Stokes court this week.

—A firm in Spain has donated \$100 to the Winston tobacco fair.

—Mrs. J. Henry Smith is visiting relatives in Charlottesville, Va.

—Picture frames made to order at McDuffie's Furniture Store. 42-44.

—Mrs. Thomas Settle has returned from an extended visit to Asheville.

—Needles and sewing machines at McDuffie's Furniture Store. 42-44.

—D. Schenck, Jr., went to Yanceyville Monday to attend Caswell court.

—Miss Etta Pritchett is visiting relatives in the western part of the State.

—Judge W. H. Eller attended a Baptist Association at Mt. Gilead last week.

—It is said that Greensboro is soon to have an incandescent electric light system.

—A new steam-heating apparatus is being placed in position at the Normal College.

—Superintendent N. J. O'Brien, of the Southern railroad, is sick at the Benbow.

—Dr. J. W. Griffith, dentist and ophthalmist, has a new advertisement in this issue.

—L. W. Crawford, Jr., is now traveling in the interest of the Christian Advocate.

—The Bee Hive has a new advertisement in this issue which will interest our lady readers.

—Monday night some one stole a cow from Mr. J. R. Hardin, who lives in South Greensboro.

—Hot ashes dumped against a wood house caused a small fire on South Elm street Monday morning.

—Rev. J. E. Gay, of Centenary Methodist church, assisted in a revival meeting at Lexington last week.

—Let all of our people turn out to hear Congressman Kitchen when he speaks in Guilford next week.

—Rev. P. E. Parker is conducting a revival meeting in the Methodist church at Summerfield this week.

—A meeting is in progress at the Friend's church, being conducted by Franklin and Mary Moon-Meredith.

—W. B. Stewart left Monday morning for Charlottesville and other points in Virginia to deliver nursery stock.

—A carpenter employed on Hagans new flats was badly hurt by a pile of lumber falling on him last Thursday.

—The foundation is being laid for Mrs. Weill's handsome new building, mention of which was made last week.

—Mrs. F. E. Gorrell advertises in the PATRIOT a most desirable farm near Guilford College which she offers for sale.

—C. M. Vanstony has returned from the North, where he purchased a large stock of goods for his fall and winter trade.

—The Carolina Shoe Company have a new advertisement in this issue, calling attention to their stock of fall and winter shoes.

—A dog showing signs of hydrophobia was killed by policeman Jeffreys in the store of S. G. Hodgins & Co. Monday afternoon.

—D. Bendheim & Sons talk to you this week about the great bargain sale they have inaugurated. Read their advertisement.

—Prof. Clarence R. Brown, of the Normal College, has opened a studio for voice culture at the Brockmann School of Music.

—A clock has been placed in the postoffice to register the going and coming of the clerks and carriers. It is a clever device.

—Rev. Dr. P. L. Groome left yesterday for Baltimore, where he will pursue a special course in history at Johns Hopkins University.

—Mr. S. L. Trogdon has been elected a trustee of the Five Cents Savings Bank to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Judge Dick.

—The Epworth League of West Market Street Methodist church has arranged to establish a reading room and circulating library.

—Don't forget that Hon. C. B. Aycock will speak here next Friday afternoon. Come and bring your weak-kneed brother with you.

—The High Point Democratic club, accompanied by the High Point band, will attend the big rally and barbecue at Thomasville Saturday.

—The Democrats of Guilford are aroused as they have not been for years, but there is much work to be done between now and election.

—Rev. J. W. Goodman, a young Presbyterian minister of ability, has been installed as pastor of the High Point Presbyterian church.

—D. Schenck, Jr., met and vanquished Zeb. Vanne Walsler and J. R. McRary, two young Republican giants, at Oak Ridge one day last week.

—Mr. Charles T. Wagoner and sister, Miss Annie, of McLeansville, will visit relatives and friends in Burlington during the Alamance county fair.

—The Odell Hardware Co. has an interesting advertisement in this week's paper. They advertise the best plows, barrows, etc., at the lowest prices.

—C. M. Vanstony & Co. advertise a full line of underwear this week. They are expecting to receive a large stock of suits, hats and overcoats this week.

—The Simpson-Shields Shoe Company, of this city, North Carolina's only exclusive wholesale shoe house, will have an elaborate exhibit at the State fair.

—The Lexington furniture factory has been purchased by Messrs. W. H. Ragan, W. P. Pickett and J. L. Lindsay, of High Point. The price paid was \$13,800.

—Rev. Mr. Hammer conducted a successful meeting at Hickory Grove last week. He was assisted by Rev. Mr. Raper and Editor McCulloch, of Our Church Record.

—Mr. A. L. Rankin, who has been conducting a dry goods business on South Elm street, south of the railroad, has sold his stock to Mr. J. M. Scott, of Bedford City, Va.

—Major Charles M. Stedman has received a very flattering invitation from Wilmington, his old home, to go down and make a political speech before the end of the campaign.

—We direct your attention to the advertisement of Clary & Stack. They quote some low prices on their goods, and will be glad to serve you. Their store is on West Market street.

—The football team from Bingham School, Orange county, came up Monday to meet the Greensboro team on the gridiron. The game resulted in a score of 23 to 0 in favor of Greensboro.

—Read M. G. Newell's new advertisement in this issue. He is just back from a trip to the factories, and has a large and up-to-date stock of buggies which he is selling at reduced prices.

—J. T. Williams, of Madison, who has heretofore been a leading Populist of Rockingham county, has come out in a card renouncing fusion and allying himself with the white man's party.

—It is announced that Hannibal N. Simpson, of Rockingham county, has announced himself an independent candidate for the State Senate in opposition to Mr. Lasley, the fusion candidate.

—Prof. T. E. Whitaker, of Oak Ridge Institute, went to Kinston last week to visit relatives. We learn that Prof. Whitaker's father will move his family from Kinston to Oak Ridge in a few days.

—The sale of the Vanbokelin property, advertised in last week's PATRIOT, was held Monday afternoon. A good crowd attended the sale, and quite a number of lots were sold at reasonable prices.

—Mrs. C. N. Evans, wife of C. N. Evans, cashier of the Bank of Raleigh, died Saturday evening. She was the oldest daughter of Mr. F. R. Penn and had been married since last December.

—The London Gaiety Girls played to a full house at Bogart's Opera House Monday night, despite the uncompromising notices they received at the hands of the Raleigh and Durham papers.

—Durham Sun: A comedy company is playing the "Prince of Liars" at Greensboro. In the comments upon it we see no mention made of Marion Butler or Cy. Thompson taking the leading parts.

—A friend from the country left at our office one day last week a curiosity in the shape of a hen egg with a double shell. The outside shell is much larger than an egg and contains a perfectly shaped egg of average size.

—At a meeting of the trustees of the Five Cents Savings Bank, held last week, a semi-annual dividend of 2 per cent. was declared on all amounts on deposit for the past six months. The bank is in splendid condition.

—Seed Wheat for sale. Apply to R. R. King.

—A letter has been received here from Col. James E. Boyd, in Washington City, stating that, in the event another army camp is established in the South, Greensboro might secure it by putting forth the proper effort.

—We learn that two escaped negro convicts have been hiding in the Thom's Mills vicinity for several days. They have been seen on one or more occasions, and the people of that neighborhood are anxious to have them arrested.

—C. C. Shoffner filed an application with the board of aldermen at their meeting last Friday night for license to conduct a whiskey business in the new building just erected on South Elm by Jno. W. Jones and Fred N. Taylor.

—Mr. James Turner, father of Dr. Charles A. Turner, who formerly lived in Greensboro died at his home in Statesville Friday night. He was buried at Guilford College Sunday, the funeral services being conducted by Rev. Albert Peele.

—There will be a barbecue and white men's rally at Thomasville next Saturday, at which time Hon. R. B. Glenn, A. Leazer and other distinguished orators will speak on the issues of the day. All white men, without regard to party, are cordially invited to be present.

—We are glad to learn that Mr. J. W. Stewart, of Shaw's Mills, who has been sick for about two weeks, is improving. Two years ago he had a severe attack of pneumonia from which he has never fully recovered. We hope Mr. Stewart will soon be entirely well.

—Hekiah Gudger, who has the distinction of having belonged to every political party in North Carolina, and who is now being taken care of by the Republican administration, spoke in the court house last Wednesday night. His speech created but little enthusiasm.

—Next Friday the High Point graded school will observe, with an appropriate program, LaFayette Day, in commemoration of the events connected with the struggle for American independence. Prof. P. P. Claxton, of the Normal College, will deliver an address.

—A few of our subscribers have been in the habit of furnishing us wood in payment of their subscriptions. The time has come when we can use the wood, and we hope our friends who expect to pay their subscriptions in that way will bring it in at their earliest convenience.

—Correspondence High Point Enterprise: The funniest thing I ever heard said in a canvass was Capt. Snow's introduction of Mr. Adams the other night. He said the Democrats had no issue except the "nigger," and he would introduce a man who would discuss the issues.

—Who said the negro would receive no recognition at the hands of the Republican party in Guilford county? Go to North Morehead, Centre Grove, South Rock Creek, Brown's Summit, and other townships and ask the negroes who are candidates for magistrate, constable, etc.

—Bogart's Opera House, on West Market street, changed hands yesterday, and it will hereafter be known as the Bijou Theater. The hall will be remodeled, the stage enlarged and other improvements made to make it a family theater. The new manager informs us that he will have nothing but first-class attractions.

—A young man who reaches the age of twenty-one after the close of registration, and on or before the 8th of November, can register and vote on the day of election. Or, if any elector has been a resident of the State twelve months and of his county ninety days immediately preceding the day of election, he can register and vote on that day.

—Lincoln Journal: The dicky birds tell us that our good friend, Mr. W. T. Carpenter, or as his friends love to call him, "Billie," will be married on the 26th, instant, to one of Guilford county's fairest and most estimable young ladies. And we want to say to that young lady that when she gets Billie she will have the best luck she ever had in her life.

—Rev. Charles F. Rankin, of Concord, was married in Richmond, Va., last night to Miss Nettie Moore Strickland. Mr. G. A. and Miss Margaret Rankin, brother and sister of the groom, attended the marriage from Greensboro. After a bridal tour of a week or more the happy couple will return to their home in Concord, spending a few days with relatives here on their return.

Bedford's Chill and Fever Tonic.

Guaranteed to cure or your money back. Sold by Fariss, druggist, opp. Benbow House.

The County Canvass.

The county canvass opened most auspiciously at Hodgins' Store, in Sumner township, Monday. Yesterday the candidates were at Pleasant Garden, and today they went to Woody's Mill. The fact that good crowds are meeting them shows that the people are interested. We are glad to say that the canvass promises to be conducted in a clean, manly manner, free of mudslinging and reckless statements. Of course there are political records and unfair deals to be exposed, but this duty will be performed in a decent, straightforward manner by the high-toned gentlemen in whose hands the banner of Democracy and white supremacy has been placed.

The fusion candidates are having a hard time trying to meet the impregnable arguments of their Democratic opponents. The extremity to which they are reduced is evidenced by the charge made by young Douglas in his first speech to the effect that Democrats have appointed a negro to office here in Guilford county, referring to Mitchell Byers, colored, who is employed as a servant around the courthouse to ring the bell, sweep the floors, clean spittoons, &c.—a job no white man wanted. It is hoped that Douglas and his contemporaries will make this charge in every speech they make, and when the election is over, and they are out of a job, one of them can have this menial position at the courthouse by applying to the Democratic board of county commissioners.

—In addition to being an up-to-date traveling salesman, our good friend J. W. Merritt gives promise of developing into a shrewd politician. While at Lenoir last week he went out to hear the great fusion orator, Dr. Cy. Thompson, speak and in the course of his remarks Thompson made the statement that in every county in the State Democrats had appointed negro road overseers to work over white men. This made Mr. Merritt's blood hot, and he arose and told Thompson he would have to exclude good old Guilford from the number, when the fusion spellbinder replied, "Well, that's only one out of ninety-six." Continuing, Mr. Merritt asked, "Doctor, do you endorse the appointing of negroes over white men?" "No," replied Thompson, with great emphasis. "Well, then, what are you howling about?" replied Mr. Merritt. This bit of repartee caused the crowd to applaud Mr. Merritt vociferously, and it required considerable time for Dr. Thompson to recover his equilibrium. In fact, it cast a damper over the remainder of his speech.

—Mr. B. M. Bridgers, a prominent young Republican, announces that he cannot, as a conscientious and honest Republican, support Sheriff Hoskins and Clerk Ragan for re-election. He has made one or two speeches during the campaign, and will make more, in which he will give good reasons for the stand he has taken. Though a young man, Mr. Bridgers has occupied a prominent place in the Republican ranks, being a member of the Young Men's Republican League and a delegate to the late State Convention. It might also be stated that Mr. Bridgers is not the only dissatisfied Republican. There are many members of the party in Guilford county who are disgusted with their leaders and will, for the first time, vote for Democrats in the coming election. In fact the PATRIOT knows staunch Republicans who will vote the entire county Democratic ticket.

—It may not be generally known, but it is a fact nevertheless that Guilford county has had a negro road overseer. Two years ago the Republican magistrates of Deep River township, in the western part of the county, appointed Dave Garrett, colored, a public road overseer. It is also a fact that white men worked under this negro. We wonder if those magistrates who made the appointment gave as an excuse for their action that there was not a capable white Republican living in the territory to be worked. Such reasons have been given for appointing negroes to office.

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Accordingly he put in a stock of the best pianos and organs from the most reputable manufacturers. This venture marked a new era in his business, and today he stands ready to meet the demand for the finest instruments on the market at the lowest prices. He is able to meet any competition that works the southern trade, and the figures on his sales books show with what success he is doing it. For each of the past three years his sales have doubled those of the preceding year. He is now able to supply instruments from the entirely satisfactory medium to the highest grade of pianos and organs made, keeping constantly in stock from thirty to fifty instruments. One of the best pianos handled by Mr. Wright is the celebrated Knabe, which he has recently added to his line.

Greensboro being a central and a most excellent shipping point gives Mr. Wright a decided advantage over his competitors in other places. He has sold pianos to parties all over North Carolina and a part of South Carolina, and he proudly refers to each and every one of his customers as to the merits of the instruments. While in his salesroom today he showed us a batch of unsolicited testimonials from highly satisfied customers, including heads of educational institutions, professional musicians and others. If you are contemplating buying a musical instrument it will pay you to call on Mr. Wright if you want the best article at the lowest prices.

Public Speaking.

The Democratic candidates for the Legislature will speak at Gibsonville Friday night, October 21st; Oak Ridge, Friday night, October 23rd. Speaking to begin at 7:30 o'clock.

JOHN N. WILSON and JOHN C. KENNEDY will speak at Monet's School House, in Clay township, near G. A. Garrett's, on Wednesday night, October 19th, at 7:30 o'clock.

Z. V. TAYLOR will speak at Ridgefield School House, in Friendship township, Saturday night, October 22nd, at 7:30 o'clock.

HON. C. B. AYCOCK will speak at Greensboro on Friday, October 21st, at 1:30 o'clock p. m.

All persons, including the ladies, are invited to be present.

A. M. SCALES,
Chm. Dem. Ex. Com.

Congressman Kitchen's Appointments.

Hon. W. W. Kitchen, Democratic candidate for Congress, will discuss the issues of the day at the following times and places in Guilford county:

Summerfield, Wednesday, October 26th, at 1 o'clock p. m.

Greensboro, Wednesday night, October 26th, at 7:30 o'clock.

Guilford College Station, Friday, October 28th, at 1 o'clock p. m.

High Point, Friday night, October 28th, at 7:30 o'clock.

Everybody, including the ladies, cordially invited to attend.

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Business Opportunities.

Opportunities for small investors to loan money on mortgages secured by guaranty.

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Bedford's Little Liver Pills.
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DR. TALMAGE TELLS HOW AMERICA
WAS MADE.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 16.—Dr. Talmage, in this discourse, takes us with him on a journey to the Pacific, and finds "the footsteps of the Creator" everywhere, as Hugh Miller found them in the old red sandstone; texts, Isaiah xxxv, 6, "Streams in the desert;" Psalms civ, 32, "He toucheth the hills and they smoke."

smoke." My first text means irrigation. It means the waters of the Himalaya or the Pyrenees or the Sierra Nevada poured through canals and aqueducts for the fertilization of the valleys. It means the process by which the last mile of American barrenness will be made an apple orchard or an orange grove or a wheatfield or a cotton plantation or a vineyard—"streams in the desert." My second text means a volcano like Vesuvius or Cotopaxi, or it means the Geysers of Yellowstone park or of California. You see a hill calm and still and for ages immovable, but the Lord out of the heavens puts his finger on the top of it and from it rise thick and impressive vapors. "He smote the hills and they smoke!"

Although my journey across the continent this summer was for the eighth time, more and more am I impressed with the divine hand in its construction and with its greatness and grandeur and more and more am I thrilled with the fact that it is all to be irrigated, glorified and Edenized. What a change from the time when Daniel Webster of yonder Capitoline hill said to the American senate in regard to the center of this continent and to the regions on the Pacific coast: "What do you want with this vast, worthless area, this region of savages and wild beasts, of deserts and cactus, of shifting sands and prairies? To what use could we ever put these great deserts or these great mountains, impenetrable and covered with eternal snow? What can we ever hope to do with the western coast, rock-bound, cheerless and uninviting and not a harbor on it? I will never vote one cent from the public treasury to place the Pacific coast one inch nearer Boston than it now is." What a mistake that great statesman made when he said that! All who have crossed the continent realize that the states on the Pacific ocean will have quite as grand opportunities as the states on the Atlantic and all this realm from sea to sea to be the Lord's cultivated possession.

Do you know what in some respect is the most remarkable thing between the Atlantic and Pacific? It is the figure of a cross on a mountain in Colorado. It is called the "Mount of the Holy Cross." A horizontal crevice filled with perpetual snow and a perpendicular crevice filled with snow, but both the horizontal line and the perpendicular line so marked, so bold, so significant, so unmistakable, that all who pass in the daytime within many miles are compelled to see it. There are some figures, some contours, some mountain appearances that you gradually make out after your attention is called to them. So a man's face on the rocks in the White mountains. So a maiden form cut in the granite of the Adirondacks. So a city in the moving clouds. Yet you have to look under the pointing of your friend or guide for some time before you can see the similarity. But the first instant you glance at the side of the mountain in Colorado you cry out, "A cross, a cross!" Do you say that this geological inscription just happens so? No. That cross on the Colorado mountain is not a human device or an accident of nature, or the freak of an earthquake. The hand of God cut it there and set it up for the nation to look at. Whether set up in rock before the cross of wood was set upon the blue back of Jerusalem or set up at some time since that assassination I believe the Creator meant it to suggest its most notable event in all the history of this planet, and he hung it there over the heart of this continent to indicate that the only hope for this nation is in the cross on which our Immanuel died. The clouds were vocal at our Saviour's birth, the rocks rent at his martyrdom, why not the walls of Colorado bear the record of the Crucifixion?

First, consider the immensity of the continental possession. If it were only a small tract of land, capable of nothing better than sagebrush, and with ability only to support prairie dogs, it should not have much enthusiasm in wanting Christ to have it added to his dominion. But its immensity and affluence no one can imagine, unless in a migrant wagon or stagecoach or in a train of the Union Pacific, or the Northern Pacific, or the Canadian Pacific, or the Southern Pacific, he has traversed it.

I supposed in my boyhood, from the size on the map, that California was a few yards across, a ridge of land on which one must walk cautiously lest he hit his head against the Sierra Nevada on one side or slip off into the Pacific waters on the other. California, this thin slice of land, as I supposed it to be in boyhood, I have found to be larger than all the states of New England and all New York state and all Pennsylvania added together, and if you add together their square miles fall far short of California. And then all those new-born states of the Union, North and South Dakota, Washington, Montana, Idaho and Wyoming. Each state an empire in size.

"But," says some one, "in calculating the immensity of our continental acreage you must remember that vast reaches of our public domain are uncultivated heaps of dry sand and the B"

Lands of Montana and the great American desert." I am glad you mentioned that. Within 25 years there will not be between the Atlantic and Pacific coasts a hundred miles of land not reclaimed either by farmers' plow or miners' crowbar. By irrigation the waters of the rivers and the showers of heaven, in what are called the rainy season, will be gathered into great reservoirs, and through aqueducts let down where and when the people want them. Utah is an object lesson. Some parts of that territory which were so barren that a spear of grass could not have been raised there in a hundred years are now rich as Lancaster county farms of Pennsylvania, or Westchester farms of New York, or Somerset county farms of New Jersey. Experiments have proved that ten acres of ground irrigated from waters gathered in great hydrological basins will produce as much as 50 acres from the downpour of rain as seen in our regions. We have our freshets and our droughts, but in those lands which are to be scientifically irrigated there will be neither freshets nor droughts. As you take a pitcher and get it full of water and then set it on a table and take a drink out of it when you are thirsty and never think of drinking a pitcherful all at once, so Montana and Wyoming and Idaho will catch the rains of their rainy season and take up all the waters of their rivers in great pitchers of reservoirs and refresh their land whenever they will.

The work has already been grandly begun by the United States government. Over 400 lakes have already been officially taken possession of by the nation for the great enterprise of irrigation. Rivers that have been rolling idly through these regions, doing nothing on their way to the sea, will be lassoed and corralled and penned up until such time as the farmers need them. Under the same processes the Ohio, the Mississippi, and all the other rivers will be taught to behave themselves better, and great basins will be made to catch the surplus of waters in times of freshet and keep them for times of drought. The irrigating process by which all the arid lands between the Atlantic and Pacific oceans are to be fertilized is no new experiment.

It has been going on successfully hundreds of years in Spain, in China, in India, in Russia, in Egypt. About 800,000,000 of people of the earth today are kept alive by food raised on irrigated land. And here we have allowed to lie waste, given up to rattlesnake and bat and prairie dog, lands enough to support whole nations of industrious population. The work begun will be consummated. Here and there exceptional lands may be stubborn and refuse to yield any wheat or corn from their hard fists, but if the hoe fail to make an impression the miner's pickax will discover the reason for it and bring up from beneath those unproductive surfaces coal and iron and lead and copper and silver and gold. God speed the geologists and the surveyors, the engineers and the senatorial commissions and the capitalists and the new settlers and the husbandmen, who put their brain and hand and heart to this transfiguration of the American continent—"Streams in the desert!"

But while I speak of the immensity of the continent, I must remark it is not an immensity of monotone or tameness. The larger some countries are, the worse for the world. This continent is not more remarkable for its magnitude than for its wonders of construction Yosemite and the adjoining Californic regions! Who that has seen them can think of them without having his blood tingle? Trees now standing there that were old when Christ lived! These monarchs of foliage reigned before Cæsar or Alexander, and the next thousand years will not shatter their scepter. They are the masts of the continent their canvas spread on the winds, while the old ship bears on its way through the ages!

That valley of the Yosemite is eight miles long and a half mile wide and 3,000 feet deep. It seems as if it had been the meaning of omnipotence to crowd into as small a place as possible some of the most stupendous scenery of the world. Some of the cliffs you do not stop to measure by feet, for they are literally a mile high. Steep so that neither foot of man or beast ever scale them, they stand in everlasting defiance. If Jehovah has a throne on earth, these are its white pillars. Standing down in this great chasm of the valley you look up, and yonder is Cathedral Rock, vast, gloomy minster built for the silent worship of the mountains! Yonder is Sentinel rock, 3,270 feet high, bold, solitary, standing guard among the ages, its top seldom touched, until a bride, one Fourth of July, mounted it and planted the national standard, and the people down in the valley looked up and saw the head of the mountain tuned with stars and stripes. Yonder are the Three Brothers, 4,000 feet high, Cloud's Rest, North and South Dome and the heights never captured save by the fiercest winds.

No pause for the eye, no stopping place for the mind. Mountains hurle on mountains. Mountains in the wake of mountains. Mountains flanked by mountains. Mountains split. Mountains ground. Mountains fallen. Mountains triumphant. As though Mont Blanc and the Adirondacks and Mount Washington were here uttering themselves in one magnificent chorus of rock and precipice and waterfall. Sifting and dashing through the rocks, the water comes down. The Bridal Veil falls so thin you can see the face of the mountain behind it. Yonder is Yosemite! falls, dropping 2,634 feet, 16 times greater descent than that of Niagara. These waters dashed to death on the rocks, so that the white spirit of the slain waters ascending in robe of mist seeks the heavens. Yonder is Nevada falls, plunging 700 feet, the water is arrows, the water in rockets, the water in pearls, the water in amethysts.

water in diamonds. That cascade flings down the rocks enough jewels to array all the earth in beauty and rushes on until it drops into a very hell of waters, the smoke of their torment ascending forever and ever.

But the most wonderful part of this American continent is the Yellowstone park. My two visits there made upon me an impression that will last forever. Go in by the Moneida route, as we did this summer, and save 250 miles of rail-roading, your stagecoach taking you through a day of scenery as captivating and sublime as the Yellowstone park itself. After all poetry has exhausted itself concerning Yellowstone park and all the Morans and Bierstadts and the other enchanting artists have completed their canvas there will be other revelations to make and other stories of its beauty and wrath, splendor and agony to be recited. The Yellowstone park is the geologist's paradise. By cheapening of travel may it become the nation's playground! In some portions of it there seems to be the anarchy of the elements. Fire and water and the vapor born of that marriage terrific. Geyser cones or hills of crystal that have been over 5,000 years growing! In places the earth, throbbing, sobbing, groaning, quaking with aqueous paroxysm. At the expiration of every 65 minutes one of the geysers tossing its boiling water 155 feet in the air and then descending into swinging rainbows. "He toucheth the hills, and they smoke." Caverns of pictured walls large enough for the sepulcher of the human race. Formations of stone in shape and color of callily, of heliotrope, of rose, of cowslip, of sunflower and of gladioli. Sulphur and arsenic and oxide of iron, with their delicate pencils, turning the hills into a Luxemburg or a Vatican picture gallery. The so called Thanatopsis Geyser, exquisite as the Bryant poem it was named after, and Evangeline Geyser, lovely as the Longfellow heroine it commemorates.

Wide reaches of stone of intermingled colors, blue as the sky, green as the foliage, crimson as the dahlia, white as the snow, spotted as the leopard, tawny as the lion, grizzly as the bear, in circles, in angles, in stars, in coronets, in stalactites, in stalagmites. Here and there are petrified growths or the dead trees and vegetables of other ages, kept through a process of natural embalment. In some places waters as innocent and smiling as a child making its first attempt to walk from its mother's lap, and not far off as foaming and frenzied and ungovernable as a maniac in struggle with his keepers.

But after you have wandered along the geysirite enchantment for days and begin to feel that there can be nothing more of interest to see you suddenly come upon the peroration of all majesty and grandeur, the Grand canyon. It is here that it seems to me—and I speak it with reverence—Jehovah seems to have surpassed himself. It seems a great gulch let down into the eternities. Here, hung up and let down and spread abroad, are all the colors of land and sea and sky. Upholstering of the Lord God Almighty. Best work of the Architect of Worlds. Sculpturing by the Infinite. Masonry by an omnipotent trowel. Yellow! You never saw yellow unless you saw it there. Red! You never saw red unless you saw it there. Violet! You never saw violet unless you saw it there. Triumphant banners of color. In a cathedral of basalt, sunrise and sunset married by the setting of a rainbow ring.

Gothic arches, Corinthian capitals and Egyptian basileas built before human architecture was born. Huge fortifications of granite constructed before war forged its first cannon. Gibraltar and Sevastopol that never can be taken. Alhambra, where kings of strength and queens of beauty reigned long before the first earthly crown was emperored. Thrones on which no one but the King of heaven and earth ever sat. Fount of waters at which the hills are baptized, while the giant cliffs stand around as sponsors. For thousands of years before that scene was unveiled to human sight the elements were busy and the geysers were hewing away with their hot chisel, and glaciers were pounding with their cold hammers, and hurricanes were cleaving with their lightning strokes, and hailstones giving the finishing touches, and after all these forces of nature had done their best in our century the curtain dropped and the world had a new and divinely inspired revelation, the Old Testament written on papyrus, the New Testament written on parchment, and this last testament written on the rocks.

Hanging over one of the cliffs, looked off until I could not get my breath, then, retreating to a less exposed place, I looked down again. Down there is a pillar of rock that in certain conditions of the atmosphere looks like a pillar of blood. Yonder are 50 feet of emerald on a base of 500 feet of opaque white. Wall of chalk resting on pedestals of blue. Turrets of light trembling on floors of darkness. The brown brightening into golden. Snow of crystals melting into fire of carbuncle. Flaming red cooling into russet. Cold blue warming into saffron. Dull gray kindling into sofferino. Morning twilight flushing into midnight shadows. Auroras crouching among rocks.

Yonder is an eagle's nest on a shaft of basalt. Through an eyeglass we see among it the young eagles, but the stoutest arm of our group cannot hurl a stone near enough to disturb the feathered domesticity. Yonder are heights that would be chilled with horror but for the warm robe of forest foliage with which they are enwrapped. Altars of worship at which nations might kneel. Domes of chalcedony on temples of porphyry. See all this carnage of color up and down the cliffs. It must have been the battlefield of the war of the elements. Here are all the colors of the wall of heaven, neither the sapphire nor the chrysolite, nor the topaz, nor the jacinth, nor the amethyst, nor the

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jasper, nor the 12 gates of 12 pearls wanting. If spirits bound from earth to heaven could pass up by way of this canyon, the dash of heavenly beauty would not be so overpowering. It would only be from glory to glory. Ascent through such earthly scenery in which the crystal is so bright would be fit preparation for the "sea of glass mingled with fire."

Standing there in the grand canyon of the Yellowstone park for the most part we held our peace, but after awhile it flashed upon me with such power I could not help but say to my comrade "What a hall this would be for the last judgment!" See that mighty cascade with the rainbows at the foot of it! Those waters congealed and transfixed with the agitations of that day, what a place they would make for the shining feet of a Judge of quick and dead! And those rainbows look now like the crowns to be cast at his feet. At the bottom of this great canyon is a floor on which the nations of the earth might stand, and all up and down these galleries of rock the nations of heaven might sit. And what reverberation of archangels' trumpet there would be through all these gorges and from these caverns and over all these heights. Why should not the greatest of all the days the world shall ever see close amid the grandest scenery omnipotence ever build?

Oh, the sweep of the American continent! Sailing up Puget sound, its shores so bold that for 1,500 miles a ship's prow would touch the shore before its keel touched the bottom. On one of my visits I said, "This is the Mediterranean of America." Visiting Portland and Tacoma and Seattle and Victoria and Port Townsend and Vancouver and other cities of the northwest region I thought to myself: "These are the Boston, New York, Charlestone and Savannahs of the Pacific coast." But after all this summer's journeying and my other journeys westward in other summers, I found that I had seen only a part of the American continent, for Alaska is as far west of San Francisco as the coast of Maine is east of it, so that the central city of the American continent is San Francisco.

I have said these things about the magnitude of the continent and given you a few specimens of some of its wonders to let you know the comprehensiveness of Christ's dominion when he takes possession of this continent. Besides that, the salvation of this continent means the salvation of Asia, for we are only 36 miles from Asia at the northwest. Only Bering straits separate us from Asia, and these will be spanned by a great bridge. The 36 miles of water between these two continents are not all deep sea, but have three islands, and there are also shoals which will allow piers for bridges, and for the most of the way the water is only about 20 fathoms deep.

The Americo-Asiatic bridge which will yet span those straits will make America, Asia, Europe and Africa one continent. So, you see, America evangelized, Asia will be evangelized. Europe taking Asia from one side and America taking it from the other side. Your children will cross that bridge. America and Asia and Europe all one, what subtraction from the pangs of seasickness and the prophecies in Revelation will be fulfilled, "There shall be no more sea." But do I mean literally that this American continent is going to be all gospelized? I do. Christopher Columbus, when he went ashore from the Santa Maria, and his second brother, Alonzo, when he went ashore from the Pinta, and his third brother Vincent when he went ashore from the Nina, took possession of this country in the name of the Father and the Son and the

Holy Ghost. Satan has no more right to this country than I have to your pocket-book. To hear him talk on the roof of the temple, where he proposed to give Christ the kingdoms of this world and the glory of them, you might suppose that satan was a great capitalist or that he was loaded up with real estate, when the old miscreant never owned an acre or an inch of ground on this planet. For that reason I protest against something I heard and saw this summer and other summers in Montana and Oregon and Wyoming and Idaho and Colorado and California. They have given devilistic names to many places in the west and northwest.

As soon as you get in Yellowstone park or California you have pointed out to you places cursed with such names as "The Devil's Slide," "The Devil's Kitchen," "The Devil's Thumb," "The Devil's Pulpit," "The Devil's Mush Pot," "The Devil's Teakettle," "The Devil's Sawmill," "The Devil's Machine Shop," "The Devil's Gate," and so on. Now, it is very much needed that geological surveyor or congressional committee or group of distinguished tourists go through Montana and Wyoming and California and Colorado and give other names to these places. All these regions belong to the Lord and to a Christian nation, and away with such Plutonic nomenclature! But how is this continent to be gospelizeed? The pulpit and a Christian printing press harnessed together will be the mightiest team for the first plow. Not by the power of cold, formalistic theology, not by ecclesiastical technicalities. I am sick of them, and the world is sick of them. But it will be done by the warm hearted, sympathetic presentation of the fact that Christ is ready to pardon all our sins, and heal all our wounds, and save us both for this world and the next. Let your religion of glaciers crack off and fall into the gulf stream and get melted. Take all your creeds of all denominations and drop out of them all human phraseology and put in only Scriptural phraseology, and you will see how quick the people will jump after them.

On the Columbia river we saw the salmon jump clear out of the water in different places, I suppose for the purpose of getting the insects. And if when we want to fish for men we could only have the right kind of bait, they will spring out above the flood of their sins and sorrows to reach it. The Young Men's Christian associations of America will also do part of the work. They are going to take the young men of this nation for God. These institutions seem to be in better favor with God and man than ever before. Business men and capitalists are awakening to the fact that they can do nothing better in the way of living beneficence or in last will and testament than to do what Mr. Marquand

did for Brooklyn when he made the Young Men's Christian palace possible. These institutions will get our young men all over the land into a stamped-out for heaven. Thus we will all in some way help on the work, you with your ten talents, I with five, somebody else with three. It is estimated that to irrigate the arid and desert lands of America as they ought to be irrigated, it will cost about \$100,000,000 to gather the waters into reservoirs. As much contribution and effort as that would irrigate with gospel influences all the waste places of this continent. Let us with prayer and contribution and right living all help to fill the reservoirs. You will carry a bucket, and you a cup, and even a thimbleful would help. And after awhile God will send the floods of mercy so gathered pouring down over all the land, and some of us on earth and some of us in heaven will sing with Isaiah, "In the wilderness waters have broken out, and streams in the desert."

and with David, "There is a river in
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DRIVEN AWAY BY NEGROES.

A Baltimore Lawyer Writes a Letter About His Prospecting Tour Through Eastern North Carolina and What He Saw.

The following self-explanatory letter has been received by Mr. J. M. Julian, chairman of the Eastern Democratic executive committee, from Hon. C. Fred Ausland, a lawyer with offices at Baltimore and Cambridge, Md.

Salisbury, N. C., Oct. 13.

Cambridge, Md., Oct. 10, '98.

Dear Sir: Last August a Swedish gentleman and myself made a prospecting tour through eastern North Carolina in the object in view of making a home.

That we were easily proved by the fact that we were met by private parties, agents and railroad companies anxious to our trip; we were offered rates for our household goods.

At one time I contemplated making without making any investigation, as from all reports received by me everything seemed inviting. The gentleman with me represented a large capital which he intended to invest, and it was mainly through his influence that I did not leap to the dark, but came on an investigating tour.

I am thankful for my first experience was one day spent at Weldon, which at once showed our eyes to something rotten under the surface, as the town, to be such a railroad centre, seemed to be at least 30 years behind the times.

I made inquiries and soon found that negroes, in a great measure, were in municipal power. Even the old darkey who served us at the table in the station belonged to the city council.

In this place, for the first time in my life, I had the experience of having a letter at a postoffice managed by a negro postmaster.

That a town cannot advance with a progressive race as a factor in its community is plain enough. Our next stay at Wilson, which seemed a very pretty town, had a gloom over it, which seemed to hang as a dark curtain over the town and its citizens, though we were told that this is quite an educational centre and a large place.

The sights that met our eyes along the route to Wilmington were something so desolate that I can never forget them. Thousands of acres of land lying idle as a great desert, with a few scrubby pines growing over them only waiting for settlers to redeem them, but with no settlers coming as long as they know that negroes hold the position they now occupy.

Those lands could be easily sold to thrifty German and Scandinavian families who would make them flourish as a garden. But my advice to the now is, 'stay away.'

Arrived at Wilmington, we stopped at the Atlantic Cafe, with Messrs. Girschen Bros., and were comfortably located for making observations without being observed. We went around the town again, and found it a most beautiful place and its white population charming. We addressed a colored man and, in general, received very curt replies. One went so far as to tell us that 'we were many days older in Wilmington than we would know some.' I walked away wondering what the negro meant.

After having seen Wilmington and wanted to take a sea bath, and decided to take train to Ocean City. We had a delightful bath in the grand ocean surf, but also experienced that stands very prominently in my memory, viz: a party of negroes nearly choked a policeman to death, fighting with white men and frightening the children. This affray made the impression on me that police power was not powerful enough to provide protection and control human brutes could not be controlled but would do as they pleased.

After we spent a very pleasant day with members of the Hanover Hotel at Carolina Beach. We soon began an investigation that the negroes dominated over the whites in the eastern section of the State.

We suspected that we had come to the State with the intention of making it our home, therefore we freely received information we had gained. We concluded it would be useless to try and induce white people to come to the lands in eastern North Carolina. We saw many negroes in Wilmington. Long ago I made up my mind that I did not want protection from a race of few white men and no white men can trust.

When I returned to my home I received a letter from an acquaintance in South Carolina, who told me that he had been up to his farm in South Carolina, and that he and

his wife would like to go back and live on the farm, but could never do so as long as North Carolina politics are as rotten as they are.

When North Carolina shall have a Legislature with courage to frame such laws as will insure white supremacy I may again think of returning to your beautiful State and try to establish the sea resort town on the Brunswick county coast for our friends in the great Northwest, who do not like to travel way down to the Gulf, on account of distance, yellow fever, etc., when a climate equally desirable, without those disadvantages and dangers, can be found in your State.

Our dream of a Florida at the mouth of the Cape Fear river will have to remain a dream as long as you have what I consider worse than yellow fever—negroes guiding your Legislature and municipal bodies.

Yours very truly,
C. FRED AUSLAND.

—Charlotte Observer.

Negro School Committee Visits White Schools in Alamance.

I, Miss Alma L. McCulloch, of Morton's township, Alamance county, North Carolina, do hereby certify: That in the winter of 1897-8, commencing in October, 1897, and ending in February, 1898, I taught the public school for school district No. — in Pleasant Grove township, Alamance county; that one of the school committee who had supervision of this school was a negro named Solomon Martin; that while I was teaching this school this negro committeeman, the said Solomon Martin, came to the school on two separate occasions. His first visit was during school hours and while I was there in charge. He said he came to see if the desks had come. His other visit was before school had opened in the morning and before I had come to the school house and was reported to me by the students. The students reported to me that Martin said that the white school which I was teaching would be discontinued the next day, though as a fact, it was not scheduled to stop the next day and in truth did not stop for many days after this.

ALMA L. MCCULLOCH.
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 11th day of Oct., 1898.
E. S. PARKER, Jr.,
Notary Public.

Have you stopped to think? If not, stop now. Miss Alma L. McCulloch is a daughter of our countryman, Rufus McCulloch, of Morton's township. Is comment necessary for white men? This negro here in Alamance, at your very doors, is looking after the white schools, white teachers, and white children. No Republican, no fusionist will dare say the above certificate is not the pure and simple truth. If the negro has this assurance in so short a time what will he have if he is endorsed at the election? There is no dodging, there is no excuse, there is no palliation. When you vote in Alamance county your vote will either endorse and approve the supervision of and interference with white schools, even those taught by our young ladies, by negro school committeemen, or it will condemn.—Burlington News.

They are Given to Lying.

Whom the gods would destroy they first make mad. The truth of this is visible in the report of Marion Butler's speech at Raleigh on Friday, wherein he charged Capt. W. M. Page, while sheriff of Wake, of appointing a negro deputy, who arrested a white woman and carried her to Raleigh barefooted. The whole thing was a bareface lie, and after Sheriff Page "sat down" upon Butler, this mighty negro-loving fusionist said he was sorry he had used such a thing; he thought it was so. The fact is that when the thing was sifted it was found that William Williams, the negro whom Butler said Page appointed deputy under his own signature says that Butler's statements are untrue, and that "he never in his life arrested but one white person, and that was the Rev. Mr. Burns, the present keeper of the capitol, for assault and battery, and the warrant for his arrest was issued by a Republican Justice of the Peace, and placed in the hands of affiant as the regular deputy of Ham T. Jones, the present Republican Sheriff of Wake county, and as a regular sworn deputy sheriff of Jones, affiant arrested Mr. Burns."

This is pitiable indeed for a man who is a Senator—lying upon the stump for political effect, when it turns out that the very thing he tries to saddle upon a Democratic sheriff was done by the party he (Butler) is now affiliating with. A servant of the people slandering his own people. Is there no one to arise and enquire: "Is thy servant a dog that he should do such a thing?"—Durham Sun.

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It will be well, in view of thoughts suggested by the discovery of the identity of the real beneficiaries of the war with Spain, for the people not to be swept off their feet by the "magnetic enthusiasm" of the new doctrine of imperialism.

Before bidding farewell forever to the American doctrine of our forefathers it might be wise to learn definitely exactly who are the most eager for those words of farewell to be spoken. If it should be found to be the trusts, the party of the trusts and the advocates of a big standing army, may-be the people would reach the same conclusion that in such a crisis sound common sense is better than "magnetic enthusiasm" and thus even more firmly than ever indorse the principles of the Democratic party, now alone standing for true Americanism.—St. Louis Republic.

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Wilmington's Chamber of Commerce, the president of which is a Republican, and who voted for the resolutions, unanimously adopted resolutions declaring that the white people must rule, and appointing a committee to organize a permanent labor bureau for the purpose of procuring white labor for employers, and thus provide a means for constantly increasing the orderly and industrious element. This is the beginning of the boycott against negroes. There is a great and growing unrest in Wilmington. It is considered that property and life are in danger.

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It is announced that Major Wilder, of the Second Regiment, North Carolina Volunteers, has been recommended by Major General Miles for the colonelcy of the First Immunes, to succeed Colonel Ritchie, who, it is said, has been found lacking in the qualities necessary to entitle him to command a regiment.

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Well Said.

In Texas the Republican and Populist fusionists have nominated a blind man for Congress. Another illustration of the blind leading the blind. In this State they are not nominating any blind men; they are only presuming on the blindness of the people they expect to vote for them.—Wilmington Star.

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Greensboro, N. C.

WEDNESDAY, OCT. 19, 1898.

WE WOULD be glad if every taxpayer in Guilford county could read the article on "Fusion Methods of Assessment and Taxation" published in this issue. It exposes a few of the shams resorted to by the fusionists to wring money from the people to support the present corrupt, incompetent and disgraceful State government. We can add no weight of argument to the article referred to, but one of the methods mentioned has affected the tax-payers of Guilford in a way that will not soon be forgotten. That is the Board of Extortion, misnamed the Board of Equalization, who sat in Raleigh and said, by their action, that every man in Guilford county who listed a horse or a mule for taxation last year had perjured himself, that he undervalued, under oath, every horse and mule he listed. After our capable and efficient register of deeds had properly made out the tax list last year, and the books were ready to go into the hands of the sheriff for collection, he was arbitrarily ordered by this fusion Board of Equalization(?), then in session in the city of Raleigh, to add 10 per cent. to the valuation of every horse and mule listed for taxation in this county. And when you came to pay your taxes the one hundred dollars valuation you put on your horse had been raised, without your knowledge or consent, to one hundred and ten dollars, and you paid the increased tax. Under Democratic rule there was no such oppression and extortion as this. If, perchance, more revenue was needed for the maintenance and support of philanthropic or other institutions, or for the establishment of some great public enterprise by which the people were to be benefited, an increased taxation was ordered, but the tax-payers were never adjudged perjurers in order to fill the treasury.

SPENCER B. ADAMS, who hopes, by the grace of the revenue powers, to occupy Hon. W. W. Kitchen's seat in the next Congress, is still evading the real issue before the people in this campaign, and straddling the financial question. He is endeavoring to be "all things to all men." He would have the Populists believe him to be an ardent supporter of free silver; to his Republican supporters he is a gold-bug of the deepest dye, standing squarely on the national Republican platform. The fact that he received his nomination (dishonestly, it has been charged by Republicans,) at the hands of the Republican machine, manipulated by federal office-holders, should cause no man to hesitate in deciding Mr. Adams' position on the money question. Had he been a free silver man he could never have received the nomination for Congress. In the face of all this the Populist executive committee endorsed this man for Congress against Congressman Kitchen, whose record is clean and whose name has never been mentioned in connection with unfair dealing and shady transactions. The card of M. Oliver, which is published in another column, shows up this time-serving politician in the true light. Mr. Oliver is chairman of the Populist executive committee of Caswell county and knows Judge Adams well, they having lived in the same county for many years. He appeals to Populists to use their ballots and influence against Adams, and the charges he makes are facts which will have weight with the honest members of the Populist party.

AN EFFORT is being made to injure the character of John C. Kennett, and thus lessen his chances of election to a seat in the next legislature, by circulating a report to the effect that two years ago, when Mr. Kennett gave notice of a contest, he was bought off by the Republicans. The facts are these: When Mr. Chilcutt was declared elected by a majority of one vote, Mr. Kennett immediately gave notice of a contest, and employed a lawyer to conduct the case. Enough evidence was easily obtained to have given Mr. Kennett the seat which rightfully belonged to him, but when it was learned that the legislature was overwhelmingly Republican he saw the futility of prosecuting the matter further and abandoned the contest, giving no notice to the other side. A few days later it was reported that Mr. Kennett had been induced to give up the contest by the receipt of a check for \$200, signed by Chairman Holton, of the Republican State executive committee. Credence was given this report by many, and the statement of Col. James E. Boyd at the time was that Chilcutt's attorney came to him, saying the proceedings against his client could be stopped for \$200; that he (Boyd) sent to Holton and got a check for this amount and gave it to Chilcutt's attorney, thinking it was for Kennett. When Col. Boyd was last in Greensboro he was heard to say to Mr. Kennett that he had since learned of the entire transaction and knew that the money was not for him, but went to Chilcutt's attorney. Mr. Chilcutt's attorney confirms Colonel Boyd's statement, and says the money was not for Kennett, and that he knew nothing whatever of the transaction; that the check was for his fees as attorney for Chilcutt, and as such he kept it. Furthermore, Mr. Chilcutt himself has recently made the statement that he knows as a certainty that Mr. Kennett never received a cent of the money, and in fact knew nothing whatever of the transaction. This evidence is conclusive and should stop all such reports and speedily silence those who are resorting to such methods to defeat a good man.

A CONVENTION of the white people of North Carolina will be held in Goldsboro on Friday, the 28th inst., to consider the interest and welfare of the Anglo-Saxon race in the State. Many of the most prominent speakers of the State will be present to address the meeting, and the occasion will be most propitious for learning the true condition of affairs now obtaining in the eastern section of North Carolina. Greatly reduced rates will be secured over all the railroads, and it is hoped that many from this section will attend.

IN W. W. KITCHIN for Congress the people have a clean, conscientious, honorable candidate; a man who has never betrayed any trust committed to his keeping, and upon whose name a suspicion of chicanery or double-dealing has never been cast. He is a man among men—a pure, honest man, which is the highest tribute that can be paid any man before the people for political honors. It is expected that Guilford will do her part in returning him to Congress.

Platt's Bank in Trouble.

OSWEGO, N. Y., Oct. 13.—The Tioga National Bank, of which Thomas C. Platt is president, is in charge of federal authorities, and Eli Stone, its assistant cashier, lies dead in his home, a self-confessed defaulter. It is not believed that he killed himself, but the shock of discovery undoubtedly hastened his death. He had been ill for some days and died a few hours after being informed that his crime had been discovered. He made a statement that the amount of his speculation was \$10,000 and had extended over twenty years. Senator Platt's brother was cashier of the bank, but allowed Stone to do most of the business. The Senator refuses to make any statement. Stone had been his right hand man in county politics and they had been friends from boyhood.

A great snow storm is raging in Kansas.

THE MOHEGAN HORROR.

Ashore Off the Lizard—Passengers Drowning Like Rats.

LONDON, Oct. 14.—The Atlantic Transport Company's steamer Mohegan, formerly the Cleopatra, of the Wilson and Furness-Leyland Line, which left London for New York yesterday with 50 passengers and a crew of 150, is ashore off the Lizard, between the Manacles and the Lowlands.

According to a dispatch just received from Falmouth, out of the two hundred persons constituting the passengers and crew of the Mohegan, only 31 have been saved. A coast guard message reports that the passengers are "drowning like rats."

Another account says: "Bodies are washing ashore, one being a lady, lashed to a plank, with both legs severed."

It appears that when the Mohegan struck, a gale was blowing and the sea was running high.

Life boats put off from the Lizard and from Falmouth, one returning filled with passengers.

Several were drowned, however, it is reported, on the passage of the life boat to the shore. Another life boat saved six persons.

The coast at this point is extremely dangerous, and has been the scene of numerous wrecks. Some years ago, there was a movement set on foot to get a lightship placed there, but it failed.

A dispatch from Falmouth says the Mohegan foundered, and was probably blown ashore by the heavy east wind soon after her machinery was disabled.

All the Falmouth tugs went out, but none were able to approach the vessel.

It is reported that the position of the Mohegan is serious, and that assistance is urgently needed. Only thirty-one have been saved.

This intelligence was forwarded from the coast guards by telephone to Falmouth. The coast guards are watching for bodies and wreckage.

A CRISIS REACHED.

Judge Day Presents Our Demands in Threatening Words.

LONDON, Oct. 18.—Today the conference reached a crisis for the first time. Judge Day presented the demands of the Americans in threatening words. He said that delay was the only possible object attainable by the persistent efforts of the Spanish commissioners to saddle the United States with the Cuban debt, and it would be tolerated no longer, while the United States would neither assume nor guarantee any part of the debt.

The Spaniards replied that this placed Spain in a position of repudiating or of reducing the face value of the Cuban bonds from 60 to 50 per cent., paying only half the stipulated interest on the reduced value. Before they would adopt either alternative they would surrender to the United States the entire Philippines.

Judge Day responded that the surrender of the Philippines would probably be demanded irrespective of the Cuban or any other debt.

Judge Day said that President McKinley had instructed him to demand the entire surrender of Porto Rico tomorrow (Tuesday), and the delivery of every town to the United States officers before midnight, together with the evacuation of Havana, on or before November 1st, when the United States would be at the gates of the city, ready to take possession.

There was no alternative offered in the case of either of these demands, and the session consequently was very brief. The American commissioners have received dispatches from Washington, indicating that the administration is irritated and indignant over the delay of the Spanish commissioners.

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Mortgage Sale of Land.

NORTH CAROLINA, GUILFORD COUNTY.
By virtue of a power of sale in a mortgage executed to the undersigned by J. J. Lambeth and wife, Jane E. Lambeth, on the first day of January, 1892, the land therein set forth and herein described, will be sold at the court house door, in Greensboro, N. C., on

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 14TH, 1898,

at 12:00 o'clock M., to the 1st and highest bidder for cash, known as the home place of J. J. Lambeth, situated in Madison Township, adjoining the lands of H. Budd, H. W. Lambeth and others, and bounded as follows to wit: Beginning at stone Archie Lambeth's corner, in H. Budd's line, thence down the meanderings of the East branch 222 poles and 9 links, South 8 degrees East 14 links, George Greene's corner, this branch is North 10 degrees East 41 poles, North 10 1/2 degrees West 8 poles North 47 degrees West 78 poles 15 links North 20 1/2 degrees West 42 poles 21 links North 23 1/2 degrees West 30 poles North 44 1/2 degrees West 34 poles North 20 poles North 44 1/2 degrees West 17 poles 8 links North 10 1/2 degrees West 14 poles South 11 1/2 degrees West 59 poles and 1/2 links, thence South 68 1/2 degrees East 10 poles to a hickory near a branch, thence North 87 1/2 degrees East 65 poles to a post oak, Budd's corner, thence North 31 degrees East 22 poles to the beginning, containing 162 acres more or less. This Oct. 8th, 1898.
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GREENSBORO MARKET REPORT.

CORRECTED WEEKLY BY JOHN J. PHOENIX.	
Wholesale Receivers and Shippers of Country Produce.	
BUYING PRICES.	
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Chickens—old per lb.....	4
Young, per lb.....	7
Eggs.....	12
Hides—dry.....	10
Green.....	6 1/2
Oats.....	5@20
Sheep Skins.....	3
Tallow.....	3
Wheat.....	50
Wool—washed.....	1 1/4
Unwashed.....	1 1/4
Dried Fruits.....	2-3
Apples lb.....	2 1/2
Berries lb.....	3-5
Peaches, pared, lb.....	8
small spring chickens lb.....	7
large spring chickens lb.....	4
old chickens lb.....	4
Corn, new.....	50
Feathers.....	1/4
Flaxseed.....	1/4
Onions.....	1/4
Potatoes—Irish, new.....	1/4
Sweet.....	1/4
Rags—Cotton.....	1/4
Bones lb.....	1/4

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Any gentleman sending in the first correct list of the candidates who will be elected at the coming election will be given a Riding Saddle. Any lady who sends in the first correct guess as to a neat Ladies' Saddle. All guesses must be sent in a sealed envelope, marked on one corner "Guess," and must contain the name of the candidates you guess will be elected and your own name and address. These letters will be numbered as they come in and opened after the election and premiums awarded to the correct guessers. All guesses must be in by November 1st.

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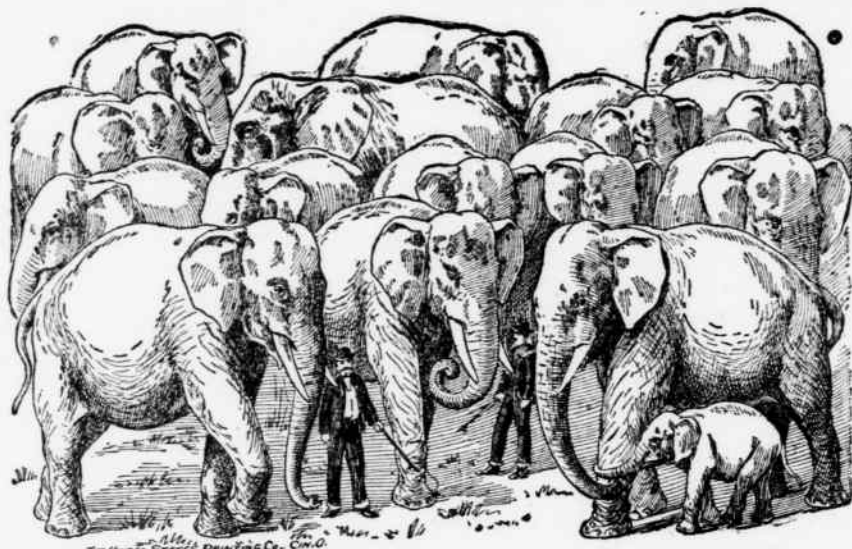
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GREENSBORO, SATURDAY, OCT. 29, 1898.

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WASHINGTON LETTER.

Special Correspondence.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 17, 1898.

Circumstances alter cases in politics as well as in other things. A week ago the Republicans were pointing to the odds offered on "Teddy" Roosevelt by betting men as indicating what a cinch he had in the governorship of New York. Now, when odds are no longer to be had and thousands of dollars offered to bet even remain uncovered, these same Republicans are saying the betting really has nothing to do with the campaign. This complete somersault is one of the most amusing features of the campaign. As a matter of fact, the change in the betting has been brought about by the change in the situation. When Roosevelt was nominated the betting men thought he could be rushed through the campaign on the hurrah, and that the voters of the State would forget everything else but that he was a brave soldier in the Santiago campaign; consequently they backed him for a winner. They have discovered the slump in the hurrah and now they want to hedge. Lots of things have shown up against Roosevelt, not the least of which is the almost solid opposition of the Germans, one of the most prominent of whom—Oswald Ottendorfer, editor of the Staats Zeitung—calls Roosevelt "a big boy" and a "sensation monger." The speeches made by Mr. McKinley on his western trip were not exempt from any means. On the contrary, they were carefully planned before he left Washington. The result of numerous conferences with Boss Hanna and other party leaders, and, while apparently a partisan, were intended to lead the Republicans in the campaign by harping on the popularity of the country's president. The front and standing of the administration until the peace has been signed. It was a shrewd political dodge, which should be concluded before the election, which is not at all probable.

Santiago never would have been landed. The witness, Lieutenant Frank K. Hill, who was detailed from the battleship Iowa to take charge of the debarkation of Shafter's army, continued without waiting to be questioned: "Gen. Shafter himself said that. The army came with but one lighter, which was about the size of this room. There were thirty-six transports with men and provisions, and the plan of landing was for the Cubans to advance on Baiquiri, while the navy shelled the beach to clear the way for the landing. The army did not come prepared to land, and it was necessary to call upon the navy for transportation to the shore." Instead of taking advantage of the lead thus given to ask something about why the army was not properly prepared to land, the commissioners tried to get funny by asking about building a dock for Gen. Shafter to be landed upon, and whether they had to use derricks, etc. If this commission stumbles upon anything that is not complimentary to Alger, it will be done unintentionally or told voluntarily by some witness, like Lieut. Hill, who was temporarily given a chance to talk without being compelled to confine himself to answering questions asked.

The style in which Mr. McKinley's commission started upon its junket of the army camps, beginning with that of Gen. Fitz Lee, at Jacksonville, Fla., indicates that the people will have to pay an enormous bill for this up to this time entirely useless luxury. A special train of five cars, two Pullmans, Gen. Dodge's private car, a dining car and a baggage car was required to carry the commission and its hangers-on. This train will arrive at Jacksonville today. If the program was fully made out when the commission left Washington it was not made public, further than that the commission would remain several days at Jacksonville, and that Tampa, Fernandino, Huntsville, Chicamauga Park, Knoxville and other places will probably be visited before it returns to Washington. The pay of the commissioners has not yet been settled, and report says will not be until after election. An itemized account of the expenses of that special train during the junket would be quite an interesting document, and inasmuch as there is no appropriation either for the commission or its expenses, it would also be interesting to know from

what money its expenses are to be paid.

The latest administration stump speaker is Commissioner Evans, of the Pension Bureau, now in Tennessee and slated to go to Illinois, Indiana and Ohio. The word has been passed along to all federal office holders, big and little, that the more work they do in the congressional campaign, the higher they will stand with the administration, and that those who are not in a position to do any work can square themselves by a cash contribution.

The Omaha Peace Jubilee.

"Peace jubilees" are now the order of the day. The President and other members of the administration are engaged in the ceremonies arranged for such jubilation at the Omaha Exposition, and similar celebrations are to be held in a few days in Philadelphia and Chicago. Nothing could afford better cause for rejoicing than the return of peace, and if these jubilees are genuine expressions of gratification that there has been a suspension of the bloody business of wholesale murder, they will furnish indications of a wholesome condition of the popular mind. But the strongest note of rejoicing in these jubilees, as far as can be gathered from the utterances of speakers at Omaha and the character of the preparations for those to take place at Philadelphia and Chicago, is one of glorification in our military achievements rather than one of happiness that war, with all its misery and suffering and wrong, is past. In point of fact, these jubilees seem a little "two previous," if the programme of imperialism which has evidently been mapped out is to be carried out. That programme contemplates the virtual conversion of the republic of the United States of America into a world-wide empire, with an immense army and navy and the pleasing prospect of wars and rumors of wars for generations to come. Peace jubilees are all right if they mean anything, but if the people want peace the best way for them to assure it to themselves and their descendants is by such earnest protests at the polls as will check the reckless spirit of jingoism and bring its representatives to a halt before it is too late.—Baltimore Sun.

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STILL AT FEVER HEAT.

Presence of State Militia Has No Effect on Striking Miners.

Chicago, Oct. 13.—Two troops of the First Illinois Cavalry started to Virden this morning. At Springfield they will be joined by the remaining two troops of the squadron.

Washington, October 13.—Adjutant General Corbin this morning sent the following telegram to Gov. Tanner, replying to his request for authority to use the Fourth Illinois Volunteers to quell the disturbance at Virden: "The secretary authorizes the use of the regiment set forth in your telegram."

Virden, Ill., Oct. 13.—The excitement is still at fever heat. It has not cooled in the least by the presence of the State militia.

Adjutant General Roosevelt, commanding the soldiers, says that Governor Tanner ordered him to prevent further trouble; to protect lives and property; and to prevent the operators bringing imported labor into the town.

Virden, Oct. 13.—Sybil Wilbur, staff correspondent of a Chicago paper, was here yesterday during the fight and stood only a few feet from Detective Killey, who was killed bravely facing the storm of bullets. She ran to his side when he was hit and remained with him till he died. She was the only woman who witnessed the battle.

A Prophet of Woe.

A Greensboro, (N. C.) astrologer predicts that the next thirty days will be characterized in New York by an exceptional amount of bloodshed, crime and fires. He says further that gilt-edge stocks and bonds will be selling from \$10 to \$20 on the \$100 lower by November 1 than they are at present. Cotton, he declares, has not yet touched bottom, but will go much lower during October. A few more prophecies like this and the fellow will qualify himself to run for Congress on a populist ticket.—Savannah News.

Lee's Camp at Havana.

HAVANA, Oct. 7th.—The site selected for the camp of the American troops of occupation is situated east of Morro Castle, between Cabanas and Cojamar, on a bluff overlooking the sea. The spot is exceedingly cool and healthy.

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DORA RICHARDSON IS MARRIED.

Gen. Cassius M. Clay's Former Child-Wife at Last Wedded to Riley Brock.

In the parsonage of the Baptist church at 4 o'clock this afternoon Dora Richardson, once the "child wife" of Gen. Cassius M. Clay, for nine years United States Minister to Russia, was married to Riley Brock, farm laborer and volunteer soldier. The Rev. W. J. Argabrite, pastor, performed the ceremony. His family were the witnesses.

After they were married the couple left immediately for Dora's little home at Pinkard, the house given to her by General Clay when he decided to get a divorce. The bride wore a gray dress that General Clay had purchased for her last summer, and the groom wore a dark suit of ready-made clothes.

The couple had contemplated marriage for several months, and when Dora was divorced a month ago it was believed that they would marry within a week. The day was actually set for one week after the divorce was granted, but Dora changed her mind and the wedding was postponed.—Keene, Ky., Dispatch, 7th.

Letter from Klondike Country.

Mr. J. R. Paddison has just received a letter from his son, Mr. Howard Paddison, which contains a bit of wholesome advice as follows:

"We have about 250 poor disappointed Klondikers returning from the Copper river country. Not one in the whole crowd made a cent, but lost what money and supplies they had. Some of them are broken down in health, afflicted with rheumatism and all kinds of diseases prevalent in a cold climate. We have one young man aboard that I think will die before we reach Seattle. He has been having spasms and internal hemorrhages for the past few days, so don't think he will last much longer. This gold fever is making homeless, destitute men out of thousands who once had nice comfortable little homes and surroundings. You just tell all of my Mt. Airy friends that want to go that it is simply suicidal. They have 500 chances to lose where they have 1 to gain. It is the most inaccessible country to get into I ever saw; costs lots of money to fit yourself out, and a person wants an iron constitution to stand the exposure and hardship."—Mt. Airy News.

For worms give Dr. Howard's Worm Syrup, 25c. per bottle. Howard Gardner, druggist, cor. opp. postoffice.

CONDEMNED BY POPULISTS

What the Populist Newspapers Said of the Late Legislature.

"Up to this date the Legislature is a damnable disgrace to the State."—Caucasian, Feb. 17th, 1897.

"The good done by the Legislature could be printed in a small pamphlet. The bad done and good omitted would fill several large volumes."—Progressive Farmer.

"There is some talk of an extra session of the Legislature. We can endure famine, pestilence, drought, war; but don't inflict any prolonged agony on the State such as an extra session."—Progressive Farmer, May 2, 1897.

"As to the Legislature of 1897, the one now in session, we have to say as a fact that it has won the contempt of the people generally of all parties, and we have to say as an opinion that we do not believe that it can overcome that contempt in two years' time and hence cannot get the approval of the people."—Caucasian.

"The Legislature only has about ten days now to complete the work, and it hasn't begun the work yet. Let the miserable pie hunters go to work or go home."—Progressive Farmer, Feb. 23, 1897.

"To a man up a tree it appears that the Pops nominated some extremely sorry timber for the Legislature last year."—Progressive Farmer, January 26, 1897.

"About ten more days remains of the Legislative session. Unless there shall be, within this time, an almost miraculous change, the record of the Legislature will be nothing, absolutely nothing. All it will have done when it resigns will be the spending of \$60,000 or \$70,000 of the public funds for which nothing will be returned."—Caucasian Feb. 25, 1897.

"The various committees to whom bills are referred seem to be composed of men who are either generally indifferent or pitifully ignorant. It is almost impossible to get their attention to any bill that does not carry some job with it."—Caucasian, Feb. 27, 1897.

"Let the investigation of the charges of bribery by promises of patronage and money to influence voters for Pritchard proceed. Pritchard's friends say the charge is not true. We believe that some of the charges are true. Investigate or stand convicted."—Progressive Farmer.

"Thus the people's money is being divided out to pay political reward. There is no help for it now. But the tax payers of North Carolina will speak in thunder tones at the polls when there is another election. No party, no man has ever been able to run rough shod over the people of the State, but a short time."—Progressive Farmer, Feb. 23, 1897.

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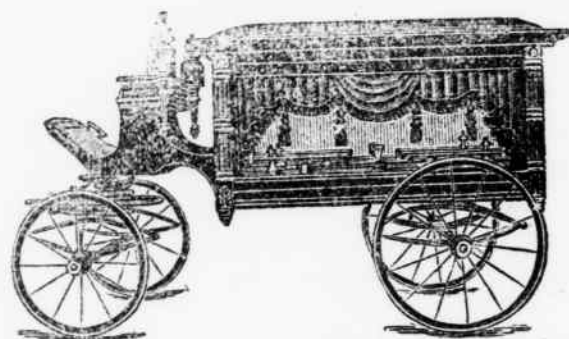
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Fusion Method of Assessment and Taxation.

It is unquestionably true that all property ought to be valued and assessed alike for taxation, and that any system of equalization which will produce this result is to be commended. But it is maintained that the system adopted and put in practice by the fusion legislature, instead of being a system of equalization, is one of oppression. What can Otho Wilson, in 1895, or Chairman Caldwell, in 1897, know about the true value of hogs, horses, sheep, cattle, and the like property in Wayne, Duplin, Sampson, or any other county in which they have never lived? A board of assessors, living in the neighborhood, well acquainted with the property to be assessed, and acting under oath, fixes a value to the property given in under oath; and yet under this fusion law the Railroad Commissioners, sitting as a Board of Equalization, can change these assessments in any county in the State of their own sweet will, and without a particle of testimony before them that the property has not been fairly valued. Hence, we say it is a system of oppression, and not of equalization. The results of such a law is so well told in an article in the Goldsboro Argus that we will give it in full, and commend it to the careful attention of the taxpayers of the State. Here is the article:

"The fusionists of North Carolina have been driven by their own extravagance to devise means for paying their reckless expenditures. A direct increase in taxation would call attention to their profligacy, and was, therefore, as far as possible to be avoided. Indirect methods were preferable. So, by the provisions of Chapter 510, Laws of 1897, the Railroad Commission was constituted a Board of Equalization, with the 'power to increase the total valuation of any class of property in any county,' with a like power to decrease, so as to equalize valuations in any county, and also with the power 'to add to or deduct from the aggregate valuation such a percentage of such aggregate valuation as may be necessary to establish uniformity and equality of valuations among the several counties in the State.' This power of increasing the value of property in the State is graciously limited so that it cannot exceed 6 per cent.

"We have before us, as we write, the order of this Board of Equalization as it affects Wayne county. That order directs the register of deeds of this county to add to the value of each cow on the tax list in the county 15 per cent., to each hog 25 per cent., to each sheep 10 per cent. It will be observed that this arbitrary act and this wonderful order adds alike to the valuation of those hogs, cattle and sheep, which the owners had already valued at their true value, as well as to the valuation of those which had been undervalued. This order finds, in effect, every man who gave in for taxation cattle, sheep and hogs, substantially guilty of perjury—every farmer in this county is found by this august Board to have undervalued, under oath, all of his stock, and the register of deeds is arbitrarily directed to increase the valuation—and this was done, and the farmer paid his tax without even knowing that it had been increased. The particular order now before us has a printed blank for adding to the valuation of bicycles, but the blank is not filled, and bicyclists may be understood to have been acquitted of perjury by the Board of Equalization. These orders changing valuations may be found in the offices of the various registers of deeds, and will be shown any one on application, if the register is a Democrat, but if he is a Russellite he may inform you that you are a ballot thief and refuse you the information.

"Another scheme to increase the revenues, without letting too many people know it, will be found in Chapter 168, Section 41, of the Laws of 1897. Under the provision of this Act, every administrator and every executor is required to pay into the office of the clerk of the Superior court when the annual reports are filed, two-thirds of one per cent. 'upon all legacies or inheritances devised or descended to persons in the direct lines, and one and one-half per cent. upon all such legacies and inheritances devised or descending collaterally (except such as are for charitable uses.)' Some of the States are resorting to an inheritance tax as a means of checking the accumulation of large fortunes; but in a poor State like North Carolina it has no proper place except in cases where the State, being heavily in debt, is compelled to resort to new methods of taxation. Contrast this tax with the tax on billiard tables, and one sees at a glance the unfitness of Republicanism to rule the State. Under the Democratic Revenue Act of 1893,

billiard tables run in connection with bar rooms were taxed \$75, and the little estate which the small farmer left to his children descended to them free of tax; in 1895 the fusion legislature reduced the tax on billiard to \$50, but still left the little estate free; in 1897 the legislature * * * reduced the tax on billiard tables to \$25, and levied a tax on small estates.

"The sheep, cattle and hogs of the farmer must be arbitrarily increased in valuation in the name of 'equality,' while the taxation on the down-trodden industry of running a billiard table in connection with a bar-room is reduced! The fusion orator, when confronted with his promise to reduce taxation, points with pride to his only achievement in that direction and proudly boasts that he reduced taxation on billiard tables."—Democratic Handbook.

When you call for DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve the great pile cure, don't accept anything else. Don't be talked into accepting a substitute, for piles, for sores, for burns. Howard Gardner.

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The Adam Forepaugh and Sells Brothers' Huge United Circus Parades.

Bearing in mind that all tented shows are bound to make the best possible public appearance as their culminating and most effective advertisement, and that, therefore, what is shown for nothing is a pretty reliable indication of the quantity and quality of that which you pay to see, the real magnitude and resources of the great Adam Forepaugh and Sells Brothers' America's Greatest Shows Consolidated may be fairly estimated by the size and elegance of their united parades, at Greensboro, on the morning of October 29th. Hitherto the parade of either show named has been an exceptionally big and brilliant one; wherefore, it may be reasonably anticipated that all combined, and with many rare and costly features added, they will prove what Young America would term "a stunner," easily outclassing anything of the kind ever seen in this vicinity, or, for that matter, anywhere else. The amount of capital, the number of rare wild beasts in open and performing dens; of the finest and most richly camparisoned horses, and the superbness and glorious variety of spectacular effects, is almost fabulous. There is the finest pageant vehicle ever built, the chariot of Euterpe, the largest vehicle of the kind ever moved, drawn by twenty-four horses, twelve coal black and twelve snow-white steeds, hitched alternately, forming a massive equine checker board; chariot of the nations, on the summit sits the goddess of liberty, and a living lion loose at her feet; magnificent chariot of Cuba, with Cuban soldiers armed with the deadly machete; there are two separate biggest herds of the biggest elephants; Cleopatra's barge of state, which is a sumptuous and fascinating Oriental revelation; massive car of Juggernaut, drawn by elephants and carrying aloft a living elephant high in the air; a hundred or more glittering chariots, cages, elfin cars and Mother Goose golden allegories, and great cavalcades of performers and attendants in radiant armor and resplendent dress, which every accessory is on the lavish scale of half a dozen imperial Roman triumphs. Cheap excursion rates will give everyone a chance to see this marvel of holiday sensations, and none should miss it.

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May be worth to you more than \$100 if you have a child who soils bedding from incontinence of water during sleep. Cures old and young alike. It arrests the trouble at once. \$1. Sold by C. E. Holton, druggist, Greensboro, N. C.

For worms give Dr. Howard's Worm Syrup, 25c. per bottle. Howard Gardner, druggist, cor. opp. postoffice.

The War Department has issued an order reorganizing the army. The Third, Fifth and Sixth Corps will be discontinued; the First, Second and Fourth will be reorganized.

CASTORIA.

Bears the Signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher*

Remember that you can get at Gardner's a corn cure that is guaranteed. Ask for Peerless Corn Cure.

The Court of Appeals of Kentucky has declared constitutional a statute requiring railroads to provide separate, or "Jim Crow," cars for colored passengers.

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A mass-meeting of business men in Madrid adopted resolutions urging a reduction of pensions, the closing of the military schools and other reforms.

When you have failed to find what you want elsewhere, remember Howard Gardner, druggist, cor. opp. postoffice.

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But we don't need to do much of it to convince customers these days that we are selling Dry Goods and Shoes cheaper than the same goods can be bought elsewhere.

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Hats from 25c. up.
Caps from 8c. up.
Umbrellas from 35c. up.
Good dark Calico 3 3 4c.
AA Sheetting, 4c.
Good line Pant Goods at all prices.
Pants from 50c. up.
Good Suit Clothes \$3.00.
Big line of Shirts from 20c. up.
Canton Flannel from 5c. yd. up.

Blankets 50c. pair up.
Pins and Needles 1c. paper.
Cheap Writing Paper and Envelopes.
Full line Collars and Cuffs.
The cheapest line of Glassware.
Tinware and Crockery in the city.
200 Matches 1c.
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NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS.
Matters of Interest Reported by Our Corps of Correspondents.

Oak Ridge Items.
Capt. Paquette, of the Southern railway, spent Sunday here, visiting at Mr. Lambeth's.
Z. V. Taylor, "Squire" Wolf, Mr. Lytle and Eek Lyon were welcomed visitors here last week.

The white men of this township are not saying much, but they are certainly "sawing wood."
Can you tell us when the circus will be in Greensboro? We want to know for the benefit of the boys.
Rev. Mr. Stamey preached his last sermon for this conference at the M. E. church Sunday.

Mrs. J. D. Kerner has moved back to Winston to live, much to the regret of her many friends here.
R. R. Smith, of Wayne, who was recently called home on account of the sickness of his brother, has returned.

Miss Moring, a charming young lady of Elon College, is visiting her brother, a student here in the Institute.
Ernest Galloway, of Mt. Airy, happened to the misfortune of having his arm broken in the gymnasium last week.

Rockingham, Greene, Nash, Leitch, Mecklenburg and Cumberland representatives here last week held our numbers.
A prominent family from Kinston will probably soon occupy the mansion recently vacated by Dr. Dicks.

Prof. Whitaker spent Saturday afternoon and Sunday in Raleigh, and Prof. Wright revisited the old shades of his Alma Mater chapel Hill.
Our people were more than taxed at the splendid effort of D. Stuck, Jr., here last week, in opposition to Messrs. Walser and McCarty. They got enough.

The little birds just ready to fly in the tropics whisper that a certain young lawyer of Greensboro, who has been slipping out here after nightfall on his wheel, is to wed one of our belles in the near future.
Uncle Jesse and Aunt Annie show, as they are familiarly known here, celebrated on the 18th inst. (yesterday) their sixtieth wedding anniversary. Uncle Jesse is as "hearty as a buck."

Aunt Annie is not very strong, yet amazingly well. Many are the kind wishes that attend them, that the beautiful and useful lives may be prolonged.
South Buffalo Items.

Neighborhood-making has been the order of the day in this neighborhood.
Mr. Sidney Brown is remodeling a dwelling house, by putting on a new and paint.
Mrs. A. W. Lineberry is tearing down an old chimney to his residence, preparatory to building a new one.

Mr. Deason, living on Mr. Wilcox's farm, lost a barn of tobacco, and also the barn, by fire a few days since.

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Whitsett Items.
Miss Ada Wheeler is visiting at Guilford College.
Mr. J. D. Oldham is back from a trip to High Point.
Mr. M. V. Watkins, of Morton's, entered school last week.
Prof. and Mrs. Blagg visited in Alamance the first of the week.
Miss Ida Lewis visited near Alamahaw the first of the week.
The Y. M. C. A. here is now largely attended, and very interesting.
A large crowd attended service at the Reformed church last Sunday.
Mr. W. M. Clapp and family, of Burlington, visited here last Sunday.
The demand for teachers this year has been large and a number of good positions have been recently filled by students prepared here.
Dr. T. N. Ivey, one of the most eloquent ministers in the state, will preach in the school chapel next Sunday at 3 p. m. The public invited.

Brick Church Items.
Rain is needed in this vicinity. It seems that political speaking is taking the day.
A number of our people will take in the Alamance county fair this week.
Miss Eugenia Clapp, who is in school at Whitsett, came home last Saturday, accompanied by Miss Ida Winstead.

Rev. G. A. Stauffer's sermon last Sunday was heard by a large congregation here. He preached from the topic, "Trust in the Lord and all other things will be added unto you."
Mrs. S. A. Clapp, formerly a resident of this locality, died October 9th near Rock Creek, in the county of Alamance, and was buried at Rock Creek the day following. She suffered untold agony for months with a cancer.

Liberty Store Items.
The health of the neighborhood is good.
Wheat sowing is now the order of the day.
Mr. J. A. Watlington, whose house was burned, is repairing a house in order to move back to his old home.

The people are selling some tobacco, but say the price is down, and they are not paid off in McKinley gold.
The negro has not swallowed all of the Populists; several will be at the polls on election day to vote the Democratic ticket.

Alamance Items.
Corn huskings are the order of the day.
Mr. David Gorrell's little girl Lizzie is quite sick.
Quite a number of city people attended preaching here Sunday.
Mr. Ernest Pritchett got pretty badly hurt by a run-away team recently.

Mr. John McClintock, who joined the U. S. Navy a short time ago, made a flying visit to his mother last week. We were glad to see him and glad to know he is getting along so well.

Resolutions of Denial.
We, the literary societies of Jefferson Academy, in special called meeting met and took the following action in reference to a report, or reports, relative to the school taught here:
We learn that it is being circulated by some that social equality, politics and mixed schools (the races) is being taught and advocated by the principal.

We, as students and members of the literary societies, denounce the report as a flagrant injustice to the school, and the same is a positive falsehood from beginning to end. We further state that the school is non-sectarian, non-political and free from isms, and authorize our officers to publish the above.
[Signed by the officers of Philaethear and Hesperian literary societies.]
McLeansville, Oct. 17th.

If you are thinking of using some hair tonic remember Gardner's Rum and Quinine for the hair, 5 ounce bottle 50 cents.

GENERAL NEWS.
Mrs. Fitzhugh Lee is critically ill at St. Luke's hospital, in Richmond, Va.
The National League baseball games closed Saturday, and Boston again wins the pennant.
There have been five deaths among the American soldiers at Manila since October 10th.

The war investigation commission left Washington Sunday afternoon for Jacksonville, Fla.
The hostile Minnesota Indians say they want no more fighting with the United States soldiers.
Aguinaldo is said to be encountering great rivalry from other insurgent leaders in the Philippines.

Mrs. John Sherman, wife of ex-Secretary of State Sherman, is suffering from a stroke of paralysis.
Admiral Cervera is anxious to go to Cadiz, but has been informed that his presence in Madrid is necessary.
A convention will be held in Memphis, Tenn., during the month of November to deal with the yellow fever question.

Turkey has notified the powers that she assents to their demand for the immediate withdrawal of Turkish troops from Crete.
A Paris dispatch states that the United States peace commission will refuse to accept responsibility for any part of the Cuban debt.
During the past six or seven weeks 50 car-loads of beer and 6 car-loads of cigarettes have been sent from the United States to the Philippines.

A dispatch from Jackson, Miss., says that Yazoo City and Meridian have been added to the list of towns in that State having cases of yellow fever.
Thirty cannon captured at Santiago are to be shipped to the United States for presentation to fifteen of the principal cities as trophies of the war.

Jesse James, Jr., son of the notorious outlaw, Jesse James, Missouri's pioneer train robber, has been arrested in Kansas City as a suspected train robber.
Government aid in the shape of army rations will be given to the sufferers from the recent flood in Georgia, who are in need of the bare necessities of life.

The yellow fever situation in Mississippi is still very grave, new cases being reported daily. With the coming of cool weather, however, it is hoped conditions will improve.
The latest news from the wreck of the Atlantic Transport Company's steamer Mohegan, which sank near the Lizard, off the coast of Cornwall, is that about 100 persons were drowned.

Because of a lack of transportation facilities it is not believed that the Cuban Congress will be able to assemble at Santa Cruz until about ten days after October 20, the date originally fixed.
According to the Railway Age 2,200 miles of new railway have been laid in the United States during the past nine months of this year, with the probabilities that the end of the year will show 3,000 miles.

Chaplain McIntyre, of the battleship Oregon, has been dismissed from service after a trial by court martial on charges based on a lecture delivered in Denver, Col., in which he criticised his superior officers.
President McKinley has declined, with thanks, to allow the Red Cross Society to establish hospitals in Cuba or Porto Rico, giving as his reason that it is the duty of the government to establish these hospitals.

Senator Quay, driven to bay by the recent disclosures against him and the political defeat with which he is threatened, will abandon the policy which he has followed so long and take the stump in his own defense.
The largest tobacco warehouse in the world was burned last week. It was built only recently at Clarksville, Tenn., covered five acres and cost sixty-five thousand dollars. It contained 4,500 hogsheds of tobacco. Total loss \$515,000; insurance \$300,000.

The yellow fever epidemic has had a paralyzing effect on Mississippi's capital. The major portion of the population has fled. The newspapers have suspended, the churches are closed and the business of Jackson is for the time being particularly dead. The plague is of a decidedly less malignant type than ever before known, but the panic has been no less complete than during more fatal epidemics.

More than twenty million free samples of DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve have been distributed by the manufacturers. What better proof of their confidence in it's merits do you want? It cures piles, burns, scalds, sores, in the shortest space of time. Howard Gardner.

Special Announcement!

TO MY FRIENDS IN THE COUNTRY.

I have bought out several of my former partners in the Sample Brown Mercantile Co. and from this time forward will devote my entire attention to the Dry Goods business, at the old stand. We will keep up our reputation for GOOD GOODS and HONEST MEASURE, and at same time sell you at lower prices than ever.

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SAMPLE S. BROWN.

The Spaniards living in the island of Cuba have been notified that on December 1 all port and customs receipts and the management of municipal affairs will pass into the hands of the American military commander in the island. This order was not intended to work hardship to the Spanish troops or government, but it was thought best to fix a definite time to end Spanish rule and to begin operations under the United States. By December 1 it is expected to have United States troops so stationed that there will be no need of Spanish troops to preserve order.

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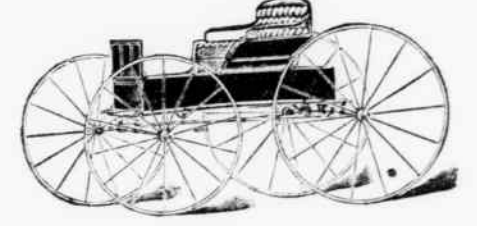
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BATTLE OF MINERS.

A BLOODY RIOT IN ILLINOIS BETWEEN WHITES AND BLACKS.

Union Miners Attack a Train Load of Imported Negroes From Alabama—Number of Dead Difficult to Ascertain—Thrilling Fight of One Man Against the Mob—Governor Tanner Places the Blame on Avaricious Mine Owners.

Virden, Ill., October 12.—The little town of Virden is comparatively quiet to-night, after a day of riot and bloodshed, resulting from the long-expected clash between the union miners and imported negroes.

At 12:40 o'clock this afternoon a Chicago and Alton special train, bearing 200 negro miners from the south, arrived at the stockade around the Chicago-Virden Coal company's mines and immediately the firing began.

The list at 10 o'clock to-night stands seven dead and eighteen wounded.

For the past two weeks miners have reached Virden that a train having negroes from Alabama would reach the city, and the Chicago and Alton depot has been surrounded day and night by miners awaiting their arrival. To-day the Chicago and Alton limited, due to pass here at 10 o'clock, came through en route to Chicago, an hour late, displaying flags on the rear indicating that a special was following.

Immediately the word was spread and a dense crowd of miners lined the station platform, while another crowd collected at the entrance of the stockade, a half mile north of the station. D. B. Kiley, a Chicago and Alton detective, stood guard at a switch, at the south end of the station platform, to see that it was not tampered with.

At 12:40 the special train passed the station and signals were fired from the south end of the train announcing its arrival. Immediately shots were fired from the moving train and outside and the battle was on.

A RUNNING FIRE.

A few moments after the train had passed the switch where Kiley was stationed, and while he was talking with two citizens, he threw up his arms and dropped dead with a bullet through his brain. He was the first man killed.

The train continued to the stockade, the miners firing into it all along the route and the negro passengers returning the fire. The moment the train reached the stockade the miners opened a desperate fire with Winchester, revolver and fire-arms of all descriptions. The negroes on the train answered with a steady fire. The miners and the train were enveloped in a cloud of smoke, and the shooting sounded like a continuous volley.

Engineer Tiger received a bullet in the arm and dropped from his seat. His fireman seized the throttle, pulled it open, and with a jerk, the train was under speed carrying a load of wounded negro passengers to Springfield. How many were wounded is not yet known.

The train stopped at the stockade but two minutes. Its departure did not cause the firing to cease. The tower of the stockade was filled with sharpshooters.

Armed with Winchester they kept up a steady fire into the crowd of union miners. Eye witnesses say the dead miners were killed after the train had departed.

It is not known how many men are stationed behind the walls of the stockade, but an estimate places them between twenty-five and forty. It is claimed that six within the stockade were wounded, but these inside refuse to hold any communication with the outside, and nothing can be learned. Word was, however, sent from the stockade to physicians in town that their service was needed.

The supply and provision store of the Chicago-Virden Coal company is known as the Climax Trading company, with Superintendent J. F. Eyster in charge. At 2 o'clock, after the firing at the stockade had subsided, an attack without a parallel in the history of the trouble was made on Eyster in his store in Main street, one block from the depot, which will probably cost him his life.

A THRILLING FIGHT.

He was sitting in his store when his telephone rang and he was instructed from the stockade to secure physicians and hurry them to the place. Eyster jumped into his delivery wagon and securing two doctors rushed with them to the mines. He returned to his store, climbed out of his wagon, and was just entering the door when the cry was raised that Manager Fred Lukers, of the miners, was with him.

With a rush a throng of infuriated miners pressed toward the store. Eyster ran behind a counter with a revolver in each hand. The miners pressed hard after, and as Eyster sprang upstairs, he and the miners began shooting simultaneously. He ran to the top of his building and jumped behind a chimney, while the miners ran into the street and opened fire on him again.

Chips flew from the brick chimney, and Eyster ran from cover across the roof of another store, firing into the street below as he ran. From there he crossed to the roof of the Bank of Virden, where he reloaded his revolver.

Blood was flowing from a wound in his side, but with dogged determination, against terrible odds, he continued his fight. Jumping to the roof of the Rae & Gisch drug store, he halted behind a projection from the roof of the building he had just left, and

emptied both of his six-chambered revolvers. Then springing from cover, Eyster dashed ahead, amid the rain of bullets, to the roof of the Steed building, the upper story of which is known as Miners' Hall. He either fell or jumped through the skylight, and landed in the arms of a crowd of miners, who seized him and carried him down stairs to the street. Other hands seized the almost unconscious man and he was dragged into the middle of the street.

ATTACKED AGAIN.

Local policemen drove back the crowd and carried Eyster to the city square, across the street. Eyster was motionless and supposedly dead. The police left him lying and attempted to disperse the crowd. In a few minutes Eyster was seen to raise his hand and wipe the blood from his face. Two men sprang at him with the velocity of tigers began jumping on his body and striking him on the head with stones. With a yell the angry crowd charged into the square to kill Eyster. The police charged in a body and found their way to the centre of the mob, where they took a stand over the prostrate man. A carrier was produced and Eyster was taken to the Buckles Hotel. He had been shot through the groin and is terribly battered about the head. The physician states that he has barely a chance of recovery.

The dead miners were removed from the vicinity of the stockade to hotels and livery stables and the wounded miners were taken on litters to the station and taken to Springfield to-night.

An Associated Press representative secured admittance to the stockade late to-night. The list of dead and wounded inside the stockade included one dead and ten wounded.

There are about thirty-five strong men stationed inside the stockade to-night, each keeping watch through a loop-hole. The four towers have been deserted.

Manager Lukers remained at his desk in the office all night issuing orders to his men.

Manager Lukers said to-night: "The blood of every man shed here is on the governor's head. He is absolutely outside of the law and has no justification in refusing to send troops."

TROOPS ON THE WAY.

Chicago, Oct. 12.—Col. Young, of the First Illinois Volunteer Cavalry, received orders to-night to report at Springfield immediately with troops A, B, C and D of his command. These troops will leave at 11 o'clock to-morrow morning, and from Springfield will be hurried to Virden.

ASKS FOR FEDERAL TROOPS.

Washington, Oct. 12.—Late to-night a telegram was received by the War Department from Governor Tanner, of Illinois, requesting that the Fifth Illinois, now on furlough, be placed at his disposal to quell the riotous demonstrations at Virden, Ill. The situation at Virden is represented as critical and Governor Tanner is embarrassed because all of the Illinois State troops, practically, are in the service of the United States.

GOV. TANNER ON THE RIOT.

Springfield, Ill., Oct. 12.—Governor Tanner this evening regarding the Virden riot, said:

"Mr. T. C. Loucke, president, and Mr. Lutkin, superintendent of the Virden Coal Company, at 12:30 to-day, made good their threats to land a train load of imported laborers from the south and attempted to put them to work in their mines, at the point of the bayonet and the muzzle of the Winchester (such laborers being drawn largely, if not entirely, from the criminal class, ex-convicts, who learned their trade while doing terms in the penitentiary of Alabama) after having been fully advised and having full knowledge that the landing of such imported laborers would precipitate a riot. I had wired them that if they brought these imported laborers they did so at their own peril, and under the circumstances would be morally responsible and criminally liable for anything that might happen."

"The killed and wounded are largely idle miners who were on the outside. The others were the hired guards who were brought along by the coal company. Most, if not all of them, were non-residents of Illinois. There is no means of learning their names or whereabouts, for the season that they declined to give them out, knowing, perhaps, that they are criminally liable for murder, as they had no permission from any officer in Illinois authorizing or deputizing them to act as deputy marshals or deputy sheriffs."

"These avaricious mine-owners have so far forgotten their duty to society as to bring about this blot upon the fair name of our State; have gone far enough, yes, too far, as they had fair warning from me, by wire and telephone, that the importation of labor which brings to our State an undesirable class of citizens had to stop, and I say now to such and all others, that this is a thing of the past, that it shall not be tolerated in Illinois while I am Governor. These men, the president and officers of the company, precipitated this riot by bringing in of this imported labor—guilty of murder, and should be—and I believe will be—indicted by the grand jury of Maroupin county and tried and convicted for this heinous offense."

ORIGIN OF THE TROUBLE.

Chicago, Oct. 12.—The difficulty at the Virden mine originated April 1st, 1898, when the miners of the Fourth district of Illinois went out on a strike instituted by the United Mine workers. Trouble followed at once at Pana, but the Virden miners remained quiet through the summer. The strikers had asked for 40 cents a ton and were offered 28 cents. Actual disturbances at Virden began September 25th, when

the Chicago-Virden Company, the principal mine owners at the point, imported one hundred negroes from Birmingham. When the train arrived with them on board in was met by a large body of armed union miners, who threatened to shoot the first negro that stepped from the cars. The negroes were finally prevailed upon to return to the South and the mines were not operated.

President T. C. Loucke, of the Chicago-Virden Company, then proceeded to make preparations to get other miners. October 9th Sheriff Davenport notified Governor Tanner there would certainly be trouble and that State troops were needed to preserve the peace. Governor Tanner advised the mine officials against importing miners—that he was opposed to the system—that while there was no law to keep them out of Illinois, he did not feel it to be his duty as Governor to use the arm of the State to give protection to mine owners in operating their mines with this class of employees.

The Cause of Indian Wars.

The present Indian troubles are, as nearly all the Indian troubles in this country have been, the result of our reservation system.

The late distinguished pioneer, Henry H. Sibley, who understood from personal experience the Indian question in all its bearings, when representing Minnesota Territory in Congress in 1850, most earnestly sought to secure a change of the Indian policy. In his speech of August 2, 1850, he drew a vivid picture of the injustice of the Government which had engendered retaliation by the Indians and he charged that every Indian war since the country had an existence, was chargeable to the injustice of the Government. He strongly advocated as a remedy the immediate abandonment of the reservation system; the extension of the United States laws over the aboriginal tribes and the gift of separate property, personal and individual possession of the land, placed beyond the power of alienation, so as to break up tribal relations; the endowment of the Indians with civil rights; the establishment of manual labor schools among them.

These are the chief points of Sibley's plan, some of which the Government has tardily adopted. Sibley was no visionary or dreamer. He was a thoroughly practical man, and few men had as full knowledge as he of the Indian question. There would not have been any Indian troubles in Minnesota had Congress adopted the policy Sibley outlined 48 years ago. The Indians would have been merged in the population and the reservation Indian would have been a tradition. The sooner the country adopts the Sibley policy for all the Indian reservation population, the better will it be for the public peace and security.

How to Prevent Croup.

We have two children who are subject to attacks of croup. Whenever an attack is coming on my wife gives them Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and it always prevents the attack. It is a household necessity in this country and no matter what else we run out of, it would not do to be without Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. More of it is sold here than of all other cough medicines combined.—J. M. NICKLE, of Nickle Bros., merchants, Nickleville, Pa. For sale by C. E. Holton.

The Pillager Indians.

The Pillager Indians are the meanest lot of the several branches of the Chippewas. They are disliked by their own red-skin brethren. In the past they have been ever first to incite trouble, and the hardest to discipline. Besides, they are very ignorant, and utterly disinclined to progressive ways. The present outbreak among them may be squelched speedily or it may assume very serious proportions, for the result of an Indian uprising is one of the hardest things on earth to guess, except of course, in the long run, the bad Indians are going to be wiped out. But it seems that our government keeps on treating Indian troubles in the same old defective way. It assumes that there are but a few bucks to deal with, and therefore a small force of troops is needed to quiet them. If it proceeded on the theory that there were numerous disturbers and that a large number of blue coats were needed, the results would be widely different and infinitely more satisfactory.

The Indians are good fighters, but they are certain to be overawed by a show of great military strength. If ten times as many of our soldiers were sent to quell them as they had braves there would be no danger of loss or death among the whites.—Washington Post.

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SPENCER B. ADAMS.

"Would Fool His Maker if it Were Possible," So Writes the Chairman of the Populist Executive Committee of Caswell County.

Yanceyville, N. C., Oct. 11.—The following card has been issued:

To the Populists of the Fifth Congressional District of North Carolina:

I understand that the Populists in most of the counties of this district have formed what is termed a "Fusion with the Republicans," and endorsed Spencer B. Adams for Congress. I thought the Populist party was a party of principle, and for reform, but not when we go off after such men as S. B. Adams, a man who fooled the party when he was nominated for Judge. I was in the convention two years ago in Durham and was called on to know how S. B. Adams stood on the free coinage of silver. I told them I had heard Adams say he would vote for the free coinage of silver no matter who was nominated, and he was nominated with that understanding. But what did he do at the election? He voted the whole Republican ticket—negroes and all. I suppose he is telling now that he is for free silver! I tell you he is one of the shrewdest politicians in this county, and would fool his Maker if it were possible. I have always been opposed to fusion, and I have never voted a fusion ticket yet. Populists of the Fifth Congressional District. Let me urge you as a friend to Populism, drop S. B. Adams at once. You don't know the man. Very respectfully,

M. OLIVER, Ch'm Pop. Party Ex. Com. Caswell County. Yanceyville, N. C., Oct. 8, '98.

Cubans will protest to President McKinley against the proposed decrease in the duty on tobacco imported into the island.

RICHMOND, Va., June 16, 1898. GOOSE GREASE LINIMENT CO., GREENSBORO, N. C. DEAR SIR—Some time ago you sent me one dozen bottles of Goose Grease Liniment to be used in our stable amongst our horses, and I beg to state that we have used this exclusively since receiving it, and would state frankly that we have never had anything that gave us as good satisfaction. We have used it on cuts, bruises, sore necks, scratches and nearly every disease a horse can have and it has worked charms. We need more at once. Please let me know if you have it put up in any larger bottles or any larger packages than the ones sent us and also prices. Yours truly, STANDARD OIL COMPANY, BY I. C. West.

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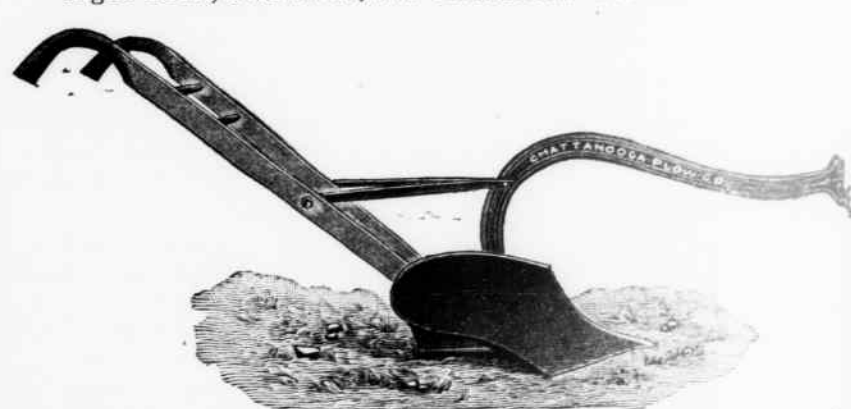
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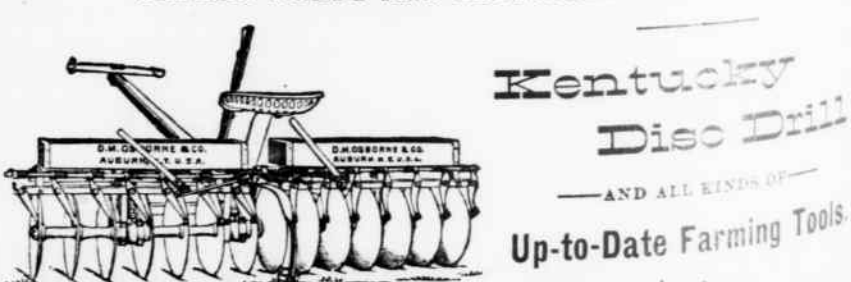
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WEDNESDAY, OCT. 19, 1898.

LOCAL NEWS ITEMS.

—A policeman arrested a negro in High Point Monday afternoon and was taking him to the lock-up when Bob Morton, a bad negro, knocked the officer down with a pair of knucks. Another policeman came to the rescue, when both negroes were placed in the guard house. After a preliminary hearing officer Bennett brought Morton to Greensboro and placed him in jail.

—Hon. C. B. Aycock, the Democratic giant from the east, will speak in Greensboro next Friday at 1:30 o'clock. Mr. Aycock can be in Guilford county only one day, and the speaking will be held during the day in order to give the people from the country an opportunity to be present. If you want to hear a masterful discussion of the issues of the day, you should not fail to hear him.

—Mr. O. S. Newlin, a graduate of Trinity College and of the law department of the University of North Carolina, has located in Greensboro for the practice of law. Mr. Newlin is a young man of scholarly attainments and bright prospects, and we hope he will build up a remunerative practice. He is associated with Hon. Jacob A. Long, of Graham, and their card will be found in the PATRIOT.

—Mr. George Cooper, an aged and highly respected citizen of Friendship, dropped dead while at work in the field Saturday afternoon. He was not sick at the time of his death, which was a great shock to the community. He was buried at Friendship Sunday, the funeral being conducted by Rev. A. G. Kirkman. The bereaved family have the sympathy of the entire community in their sad affliction.

—Hon. A. L. Brooks, our candidate for solicitor, spent Sunday at home with his family. Reports from the joint canvass say that he has been showing up his opponent, Mr. Merritt, in the proper light. The young man has steadily refused to answer questions propounded to him by Mr. Brooks, and Saturday he retired from the joint discussion. It is hoped that he can be persuaded to finish the canvass with Mr. Brooks.

—A petition in bankruptcy was last week filed with Mr. S. L. Trogdow, clerk of the United States court, by Dr. W. A. Lash, of Walnut Cove. We are informed that Dr. Lash owed only one small debt on his own account, he being forced to file the petition on account of debts owned by the North State Improvement Company and the C. F. & Y. V. Railway Company, upon which he was endorser. The Doctor has many friends who sympathize with him in his misfortune.

—J. A. McClintock, of the Alamance church neighborhood, who enlisted in the navy several months ago, called to see us one day last week. When he enlisted Mr. McClintock was assigned to the gunboat Vicksburg, which formed a part of Sampson's fleet. He saw the fighting at Cardenas, where Ensign Worth Bagley, of Raleigh, was killed, and heard the firing around Santiago when Cervera's fleet was destroyed. The Vicksburg was on blockade duty around Havana during the greater part of the war.

—At the meeting of the board of aldermen Friday night John J. Nelson, candidate for clerk of the Superior court, handed in his resignation as mayor of the city of Greensboro. Mr. Nelson has made a most acceptable mayor, as he will make a most efficient clerk of the court. Zeb V. Taylor was elected, without opposition, to serve out Mr. Nelson's unexpired term. Mr. Taylor is a young man full of enthusiasm and energy, and will doubtless perform the responsible duties of his office with credit to himself and satisfaction to the people of this bustling city.

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STATE NEWS.

A broom factory is to be built in Hickory.

Two new textile mills are to be erected at Weldon.

Col. G. B. Alford, Republican, is an independent candidate for Congress in the Fourth district.

Senator Tillman will speak in Charlotte November 4. Senator Daniels also may be present and speak.

Capt. C. E. Clark, of the battleship Oregon, visited in Lincoln last week, going from there to Asheville.

The buildings of the new cotton mills at Norwood, Stanley county, are completed, and the machinery is being put in.

Mrs. J. V. Wilson, of Raleigh, shot her husband Monday night for his action in persisting to secure a divorce.

Lieutenant Colonel A. D. Cowles is making an effort to have the Second North Carolina regiment retained in service.

Charles M. Johnson, a highly respected young white man of Davidson College, was shot by a negro Saturday night.

So firm is its faith in the white people of the State, the Wilmington Star offers to wager one thousand dollars that the next legislature will be Democratic.

Sixty hands are now daily employed in the mill of the Coleman Manufacturing Co. at Concord, placing the machinery and getting the mill ready to begin work.

J. D. Thagard, of Moore county, has just returned from a two years' stay in the Klondike gold fields, bringing with him evidences of the richness of this new Eldorado.

The Great Eastern Railway Company has been chartered. The length of the road is to be 130 miles, and is to run from Douglas Bay, Hyde county, by Goldsboro to Selma, in Johnston county.

The Republicans of Granville county have nominated two negroes for the Legislature and the Republicans of Pasquotank county nominated a negro for the Legislature and a negro for county commissioner.

The Lincoln Journal tells of an elaborate church wedding in Lincoln county that was postponed last week on account of the groom being two drunk to stand up during the ceremony. Next day the groom repented and the silly girl married him.

E. A. Thorne, of Halifax county, who, in 1894, was the Populist candidate for Congress in the Second district, has written an open letter renouncing his allegiance to the fusionists. He says the Democratic party is the only place for true Populists, and advises all his Populist friends to join in restoring good government in North Carolina.

W. H. Chadbourn, the Republican postmaster of Wilmington, who, some weeks ago, wrote a letter to Senator Pritchard denying the serious condition of affairs in his city, has written the Senator another letter, in which he admits that the situation in Wilmington is as serious as it has been pictured by the press and speakers.

In Cabarrus county when the Democrats were in power, the county treasurer lent out the money on hand and put the interest in the county fund. Now, with a Fusion board of commissioners the county is in debt and has to pay interest. As the facts are coming out, it is seen that Fusion government even in white counties is rotten.

It came to our ears weeks ago that one house in Wilmington was selling cartridges largely to the negroes. It now turns out that Sambo is seeking to furnish an armory here with sixteen repeating rifles to kill whites and promote a race war of extermination. Other rumors are afloat that should be promptly looked into. Last week, in this county, negroes summoned to work the public road, told the white roadmaster that they hoped the time was not far off when they could use their axes and hoes to kill white people. Those are bloody-minded devils incarnate and should be looked after speedily.—Wilmington Messenger.

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Concerning the Louisville companies it is stated that they would not enter the combination, and it is intimated that a part of the hitch which caused the failure of the combination was due to companies in this city who wanted more for their plants than the combine would give.

Colonel Roosevelt was to have made his first speech in the New York gubernatorial campaign at Troy Friday, but instead of the immense crowd that was expected, only five hundred people were present, and the Republican nominee for governor refused to speak. Chances of Democratic success in New York are now considered good.

Joseph McKinley, of Philadelphia, met death strangely on Tuesday night. He had just related a humorous story to his wife while they were seated upon the front porch of their home, when, with a laugh still upon his lips, he suddenly fell forward and died before medical aid could be brought.

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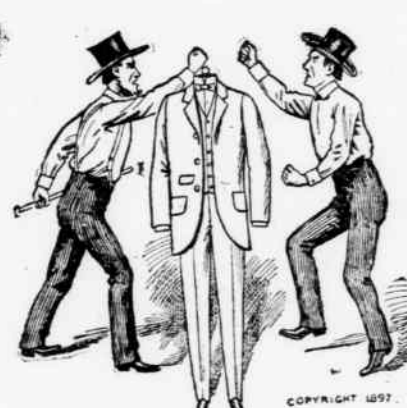
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