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LOCAL NEWS ITEMS.

—Townsend has the best corn planters.

—See our \$1.00 bridge; it will surprise you.

—Buy Barbour's best buggies from C. C. Townsend.

—Efforts are being made to organize a savings bank at High Point.

—Seed Oats and seed Irish Potatoes for sale by S. S. Mitchell & Co.

—Mr. S. B. Norris is suffering from carbuncles and is confined to his bed.

—Messrs. J. H. Millis and McD. Gordy, of High Point, were here Monday.

—Don't fail to read C. C. Townsend's attractive new advertisement in this issue.

—The very highest market price always guaranteed at the Banner warehouse.

—Dr. R. K. Gregory, who has been quite ill for some time, is slightly improved.

—Mrs. N. C. Weatherly has gone north to purchase her spring stock of millinery.

—Our stock of Farmer's Friend and Empire corn drills is complete.

—An organ recital will be given at the First Presbyterian church tomorrow evening.

—We want all the eggs and chickens you can bring us at market prices.

—Prof. and Mrs. O. W. Carr and daughter have gone to Florida to spend a few weeks.

—Tobacco raisers can find plant cloth of several grades at low prices at Thacker & Brockmann's.

—Do you want a corn planter? If so be sure to see Greensboro Hardware Company. Prices are right.

—The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Flavius Keith died Friday and was buried Saturday at Alamance.

—Carpenters and plasterers have been at work on the second floor of the Federal building for several days.

—Bring us your hides, tallow and all produce. We keep the prices up and pay spot cash.

—The Odell Hardware Company offers special bargains in disc harrows. Nothing but the best carried in stock.

—John W. Jones & Co. have put a price on their seed potatoes that will move them. See their ad. on another page.

—Plenty of Acid Phosphate, for composting, and Bone and Potash at lowest prices.

—Mr. Will H. Matthews left Sunday for New York, where he will purchase a big stock of spring clothing and furnishings.

—The electric light plant has been shut down for two or three nights while some repairs are being made on the machinery.

—We still have a few more of those \$40 buggies at \$35. Come quick; they will not last long.

—William Durham, an employee at the Finishing mills, died of paralysis Sunday afternoon at his home near the water works station.

—When you want a disc or drag harrow be sure to see the Osborne. Prices are the lowest at Greensboro Hardware Company's.

—We were glad to receive a short call Monday afternoon from Rev. J. B. Tabor, of Randleman, who came up to hear Bishop Galloway.

—Mrs. Green Brannock died Saturday at the home of her son-in-law, Mr. T. R. Dillard, of Hillsdale. She was about seventy years old.

—Bob Gamble and Bill Brandon will always protect your interest in the sale of your tobacco every time you sell at the Banner warehouse.

—Miss Ida Taylor, of Guilford College, a sister of Mr. F. N. Taylor of this city, has accepted a position as saleslady at Johnson & Dorsett's.

—At a congregational meeting of the First Presbyterian church last Sunday morning Messrs. W. C. McLean and R. G. Lea were elected ruling elders.

—Wanted:—Reliable agent in Greensboro to sell first class \$25.00 and \$30.00 bicycles. Address A. M. Scheffey & Co., 32 Read St., New York.

—We want to sell your tobacco at the Banner warehouse. Will leave nothing undone on our part to always get you outside prices for every pile.

—Rev. George H. Crowell, superintendent of the High Point graded schools, preached at the State Normal and Industrial College Sunday night.

—The quarantine of Chatham against Guilford county was officially raised on the 6th inst., notice to that effect having been received here last Thursday.

—Rev. W. E. Edmonson, a chaplain in the United States navy, spent Sunday and Monday here. He is a native of Burke county and is off on sick leave.

—The Boston, Mass., baseball team will come to Greensboro the latter part of this month for its spring training. This team was trained here a few years ago.

—Rev. T. J. Ogburn occupied the pulpit at Grace M. P. church Sunday morning and evening. The pastor, Rev. Mr. Johnson, has been sick for a week or more.

—Along with many other Greensboro people, Mr. J. D. Burch is confined to his home by an attack of la grippe. Mr. W. R. Denny is carrying the mail for him.

—You will notice the cut of the large Ajax center crank engine in W. O. Stratford's advertising space this week. See him for anything you want in this line.

—Don't make a drudge of your wife. Buy her a Davis swing churn and she will bless you. For sale on trial by C. C. Townsend, 332 South Elm Street, Greensboro, N. C.

—S. L. Russell and Sam Estes, two negroes, were caught gambling in a negro restaurant here Monday afternoon. They were arrested and placed in jail at Winston.

—For Sale—Good building lot close to State Normal College. Price two hundred dollars, cash. Apply or write to J. L. Brockmann at Thacker & Brockmann's store.

—Burglars got in their work at Ore Hill and Mt. Vernon Springs one night last week, robbing the stores at these places of about \$20 in cash. No merchandise was taken.

—A bottle of hydrozone exploded yesterday morning in the prescription department of Pariss' drug store and wrecked two large glass in the wall case where it was stored.

—The barber shop in the new Benbow House has been opened. It is under the management of W. H. Hughes, formerly of Winston, and white barbers are employed exclusively.

—The directors of the Guilford Battle Ground will meet tomorrow afternoon for the purpose of deciding whether a celebration shall be held on the Fourth of July of this year.

—What are you going to do about it? The price of fertilizers has been advanced and they are still going higher. Leave your order with C. C. Townsend and get it at the car load price.

—Mr. E. S. Campbell, who was the Empire Steel and Iron Company's chemist at this place, has gone to Ironton, Ala., where he has a similar position with a big furnace company.

—The attention of farmers and others is invited to the advertisement of Mr. J. F. Ross, of Pleasant Garden, who has just received a large lot of fertilizers. Note what he has to offer.

—Prof. T. A. Smoot, of Greensboro Female College, delivered an educational address at Randleman last Friday night. The people of this thriving town are alive to the subject of education.

—Mr. Jesse F. Hoskins, of Summerfield, who has been in poor health for quite a while, was able to be in town Saturday to attend the annual meeting of the Farmers' Mutual Fire Insurance Association.

—We looked into Townsend's store last Monday and he was busy crating three buggies sold. One went to Winston, one to Southern Pines and one to Burlington. His close prices are moving the goods.

—Last week's issue of the Christian Advocate, of this city, was a Twentieth Century edition, being devoted to the Twentieth Century educational fund of the Methodist Church. It was a very creditable number.

—Solicitor Brooks is attending Alamance court at Graham. On account of sickness in the family of Judge Moore, who was to have presided, Judge W. S. O'B. Robinson, well known in Guilford, is holding court.

—Mr. Thomas H. Tate has resigned his position as distributing clerk in the Greensboro postoffice and is succeeded by Mr. Robert W. Hodgkin, formerly general delivery clerk. Mr. J. H. Armfield is the new general delivery clerk.

—Hon. R. D. Gilmer, of Waynesville, was here a few days ago on his return from Washington. He has relatives in this county and a large number of friends who desire to see him secure the Democratic nomination for attorney general.

A GREAT LECTURE.

Christian Civilization and Education Bishop Galloway's Theme.

A large crowd, estimated at 1,500 people, assembled in West Market Street Methodist church Monday night to hear a lecture by Bishop Charles B. Galloway, of Jackson, Miss., who came in the interest of what is known as the Twentieth Century educational fund of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South.

Bishop Galloway is one of the ablest and most eloquent men of the Methodist pulpit, and his lecture on this occasion was both pleasing and instructive. He spoke with clearness and force of Christian civilization and Christian education, i. e., an educational system which recognizes the supreme authority of the word of God, and not sectarian or narrow-minded instruction in our schools and colleges.

He recognizes education as the most important and vital question confronting a church or nation, saying it lies at the bottom of social order and national development. His contention that all civilization and national life is determined by the religious training of the people was sustained by unanswerable argument. He drew striking parallels between England and India and between the United States and China, showing how the Christian civilization of our republic and the "Mother" country had outclassed the Hinduism and Buddhism of the heathen empires, having all the natural advantages of the Christian nations and with the prestige of ages of history and philosophy.

Coming back to our own country, the Bishop spoke of the establishment and maintenance by the church of educational institutions in the earliest days of the nation's life, and said that ever since the true defence of America had not been in her gun-crowned forts, but rather in the Christian homes and the educational institutions of the land. He is a firm believer in higher education by the state, and at this juncture took occasion to say that he did not belong to that class who attempt to controvert the soundness of what is known as the "state aid" principle. The Bishop goes a step farther and contends for compulsory education, making the logical argument that it is not just for the state to tax him for the education of his neighbor's child unless the child is compelled to take advantage of the opportunity afforded.

Bishop Galloway's next argument was from the standpoint of a churchman, saying that no church is stronger than its institutions of learning. He said the church that cares for its childhood will be the church of the future, and the church of the future will be the church that guards its childhood and youth and trains its men and women as teachers and leaders.

In closing his address he made a strong appeal in behalf of the Twentieth Century fund, which is a scheme of the Methodist church of the entire world to raise during the present year a vast sum of money for the better equipment of the educational institutions of the various branches of the church. The amount asked from the M. E. Church, South, is a little over \$1,500,000—one dollar per member.

Democratic County Convention.

The Democratic county executive committee, composed of the county chairman and secretary and the various precinct chairmen, held a meeting here Saturday and, as will be seen from the call of Chairman A. M. Scales in this issue, decided to hold the county convention for the selection of delegates to the state convention on Saturday, April 7th. Precinct primaries will be held on the previous Saturday, March 31st.

The meeting was well attended and the members brought encouraging reports from all sections of the county. The Democrats of Guilford, while not wild or unduly excited, are alive to the important issues in the approaching campaign and will work hard to win another glorious victory. Despite the unceasing (and in many cases questionable) work of the opposition, the amendment grows in favor as the people become more fully informed on the subject, and with the proper effort on the part of the loyal and vigilant Democrats a great majority of the white men of Guilford will endorse the measure at the polls on the first Thursday in August.

Before adjourning the executive committee extended a unanimous vote of thanks to the chairman and the secretary for their untiring and self-sacrificing labor in the campaign of 1898.

It is desired to carry out fully the plan of organization by holding a primary in every precinct in the county, and it is hoped that the importance of this matter will not be overlooked. In no other way can as satisfactory a representation of the will of the people be had.

TOBACCO NOTES.

Items of Interest to the Grower, the Dealer, and the Manufacturer.

MARKET REPORT.

The breaks on our market for the past week have not been overly large, still they have been large enough to keep our buyers busy. The offerings were composed of common to medium stock, with only a very few good to fine wrappers on the market. All our buyers were out in full force and the sales were the most satisfactory of the season. Prices were not high, compared with other years, but compared with other markets at the present time, they were exceedingly good, and farmers expressed themselves as being well pleased with their sales.

T. J. Styles, of Rockingham, made a good sale here yesterday, selling 1,266 pounds for \$92.

Yesterday Neeley Brothers sold 1,859 pounds of tobacco on our market for \$135.97, a very nice average.

John W. King, one of our buyers, has been slightly indisposed for several days, but is now better.

Bright tobaccos and strips are in more active demand and prices a shade better on all classes of brights.

There are quite a number of our country friends here today with tobacco. We are always glad to see them.

Lots of Rockingham tobacco found its way to Greensboro yesterday and sold well, some of it averaging as high as \$16.

The Southern Tobacco Company, of this city, is advertising its goods by giving away a pocket map of South Africa.

Several new tobacco markets will be established next fall, though it is said they will not be so numerous as for the past four or five years.

Montgomery May and J. C. White, good Alamance farmers, were here yesterday with tobacco. They went home pleased with the prices.

It is said that the tobacco average in South Carolina this year will be 25 per cent.—probably 40 per cent.—on account of the advance in the price of cotton.

C. A. Bray, of Bray Brothers, was on the sales in Winston Monday. He is a hustler that watches all the markets and is never satisfied unless Greensboro is in the lead.

Some people have the wit and brain to recognize a good thing when they see it. A few of these were here with tobacco last week and are here again today. A word to the wise is sufficient.

General Otis cables that since the opening of the ports of the Philippine Islands to commerce 70,000 bales of tobacco have been received at Manila, and that "large shipments of the commodity will soon be made to the United States and other countries."

Our manufacturers are all out in full force looking for good working stock, and when it shows up they stay by till it reaches a good hard figure. Rockingham stock almost runs them crazy, and if you want to see some lively bidding just watch them strike these goods.

Lineberry Brothers, of Gilmer township, sold a lot of tobacco on this market a few days ago, the prices they received pleasing them more highly than the result of any sale made in recent years. Between five and six hundred pounds of leaf, ranging from lugs to wrappers, brought them over \$45. They are firm friends of the Greensboro market.

In the month of January we sent abroad 22,604,730 pounds of domestic leaf, as compared with 14,445,179 in January of last year; in the seven months the total was 251,715,967 pounds, against 180,173,200 in '99 and 177,292,552 in '98, with respective values of \$22,043,730, \$16,821,012 and \$15,307,352. With stems and trimmings added, the total value of this trade was \$22,209,939, against \$16,945,543 in '99 and \$15,415,851 in '98.

Senator Foraker has reiterated the statement made by a representative—that it is understood that the tobacco of Porto Rico was controlled by a trust, and that the trust and not the people would be affected by the imposition of a tariff on Porto Rican tobacco. There is an American-Porto Rican Tobacco Company, belonging to the trust in the United States. Mr. W. T. Townes, formerly consul general to Rio Janeiro, is president.

—Townsend has four car loads of cut disc, solid disc and spike tooth harrows (ten different styles). You can buy harrows of him at less than the present car load price.

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J. J. PHOENIX

—The marriage of Miss Julia Settle and Mr. Ernest A. Holt, in this city last Wednesday night, was a brilliant social event. The ceremony took place at the Settle home, on Asheville street, and was witnessed by the near relatives of the bride and groom and a few intimate friends. The bride was given in marriage by her brother, Hon. Thomas Settle, of Asheville. Mr. Robert L. and Miss Daisy Holt, of Burlington, brother and sister of the groom, were best man and maid of honor. The beautiful ceremony of the Episcopal church was performed by Rev. J. D. Miller. Mr. and Mrs. Holt are on a visit to a number of Northern cities.

—Another shipment of Clover and Grass Seed expected direct from Kentucky in a few days.

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THE NEEDLE'S HAVOC

DR. TALMAGE APPEALS FOR MERCY FOR OPPRESSED WOMANHOOD.

Demands That She Have an Equal Chance With Man in the Struggle of Life—Says She Is Unfairly Discriminated Against.

WASHINGTON, March 11.—This discourse of Dr. Talmage is an appeal for mercy in behalf of oppressed womanhood and offers encouragement to those struggling for a livelihood; text, Ecclesiastes iv, 1, "Behold the tears of such as were oppressed, and they had no comforter."

Very long ago the needle was busy. It was considered honorable for women to toil in olden times. Alexander the Great stood in his palace showing garments made by his own mother. The finest tapestries at Bayeux were made by the queen of William the Conqueror. Augustus, the emperor, would not wear any garments except those that were fashioned by some member of his royal family. So let the toiler everywhere be respected.

The needle has slain more than the sword. When the sewing machine was invented, some thought that invention would alleviate woman's toil and put an end to the despotism of the needle. But no. While the sewing machine has been a great blessing to well to do families in many cases it has added to the stab of the needle the crush of the wheel, and multitudes of women, notwithstanding the re-enforcement of the sewing machine, can only make, work hard as they will, between \$2 and \$3 a week.

The greatest blessing that could have happened to our first parents was being turned out of Eden after they had done wrong. Adam and Eve, in their perfect state, might have got along without work or only such slight employment as a perfect garden with no weeds in it demanded. But as soon as they had sinned the best thing for them was to be turned out where they would have to work. We know what a withering thing it is for a man to have nothing to do. Of the thousand prosperous and honorable men that you know 999 had to work vigorously at the beginning. But I am now to tell you that industry is just as important for a woman's safety and happiness. The most unhappy women in our communities today are those who have no engagements to call them up in the morning; who, once having risen and breakfasted, lounge through the dull forenoon in slippers down at the heel and with disheveled hair, reading the last novel, and who, having dragged through a wretched forenoon and taken their afternoon sleep and having passed an hour and a half at their toilet, pick up their cardcase and go out to make calls, and who pass their evenings waiting for somebody to come in and break up the monotony. Arabella Stuart never was imprisoned in so dark a dungeon as that.

Unhappy Idleness.

There is no happiness in an idle woman. It may be with hand, it may be with brain, it may be with foot, but work she must or be wretched forever. The little girls of our families must be started with that idea. The course of American society is that our young women are taught that the first, second, third, fourth, fifth, sixth, seventh, eighth, ninth, tenth, eleventh, twelfth, thirteenth, fourteenth, fifteenth, sixteenth, seventeenth, eighteenth, nineteenth, twentieth, twenty-first, twenty-second, twenty-third, twenty-fourth, twenty-fifth, twenty-sixth, twenty-seventh, twenty-eighth, twenty-ninth, thirtieth, thirty-first, thirty-second, thirty-third, thirty-fourth, thirty-fifth, thirty-sixth, thirty-seventh, thirty-eighth, thirty-ninth, fortieth, forty-first, forty-second, forty-third, forty-fourth, forty-fifth, forty-sixth, forty-seventh, forty-eighth, forty-ninth, fiftieth, fiftieth, thousandth thing in their life is to get somebody to take care of them. Instead of that the first lesson should be how under God they may take care of themselves. The simple fact is that a majority of them do have to take care of themselves, and that, too, after having through the false notions of their parents wasted the years in which they ought to have learned how successfully to maintain themselves. We now and here declare the inhumanity, cruelty and outrage of that father and mother who pass their daughters into womanhood, having given them no facility for earning their livelihood.

Mine, de Stael said, "It is not these writings that I am proud of, but the fact that I have facility in ten occupations, in any one of which I could make a livelihood." You say you have a fortune to leave them. Oh, man and woman, have you not learned that, like vultures, like hawks, like eagles, riches have wings and fly away? Though you should be successful in leaving a competency behind you, the trickery of executors may swamp it in a night or some officials in our churches may get up a mining company and induce your orphans to put their money into a hole in Colorado and if by the most skillful machinery the stolen money cannot be brought up again prove to them that it was eternally decreed that that was the way they were to lose it and that it went in the most orthodox and heavenly style. Oh, the damnable schemes that professed Christians will engage in until God puts his fingers into the roller of the hypocrite's robe and strips it clear down to the bottom! You have no right, because you are well off, to conclude that your children are going to be well off. A man died leaving a large fortune. His son fell dead in a Philadelphia groshop. His old comrades came in and said as they bent over his corpse, "What is the matter with you, Boggs?" The surgeon standing over him said: "Hush ye! He is dead!" "Oh, he is dead!" they said. "Come, boys; let us go and take a drink in memory of poor Boggs!" Have you nothing better than money to leave your children? If you have not, but send your daughters into the world with empty brain and unskilled hand, you are guilty of assassination, homicide, infanticide.

There are women toiling in our cities for \$2 or \$3 a week who were the daughters of merchant princes. These suffering ones now would be glad to have the crumbs that once fell from their father's table. That worn out broken shoe that she wears is the

lineal descendant of the \$12 gaiter in which her mother walked, and that torn and faded calico had ancestry of magnificent brocade that swept Pennsylvania avenue and Broadway clean without any expense to the street commissioners. Though you live in an elegant residence and fare sumptuously every day, let your daughters feel it is a disgrace for them not to know how to work. I denounce the idea prevalent in society that, though our young women may embroider slippers and crochet and make mats for lamps to stand on without disgrace, the idea of doing anything for a livelihood is dishonorable. It is a shame for a young woman belonging to a large family to be inefficient when her father toils his life away for her support. It is a shame for a daughter to be idle while her mother toils at the washtub. It is as honorable to sweep house, make beds or trim hats as it is to twist a watch chain.

So far as I can understand the line of respectability lies between that which is useful and that which is useless. If women do that which is of no value, their work is honorable. If they do practical work, it is dishonorable. That our young women may escape the curse of doing dishonorable work I shall particularize. You may knit a tidy for the back of an armchair, but by no means make the money wherewith to buy the chair. You may with a delicate brush beautify a mantel ornament, but die rather than earn enough to buy a marble mantel. You may learn artistic music until you can squall Italian, but never sing "Ortonville" or "Old Hundredth." Do nothing practical if you would in the eyes of refined society preserve your respectability. I scout these finical notions. I tell you a woman, no more than a man, has a right to occupy a place in this world unless she pays a rent for it.

Work Necessary.

In the course of a lifetime you consume whole harvests and droves of cattle and every day you live breathe 40 hogsheads of good, pure air. You must by some kind of usefulness pay for all this. Our race was the last thing created—the birds and fishes on the fourth day, the cattle and lizards on the fifth day and man on the sixth day. If geologists are right, the earth was a million of years in the possession of the insects, beasts and birds before our race came upon it. In one sense we were invaders. The cattle, the lizards and the hawks had pre-emption right. The question is not what we are to do with the lizards and summer insects, but what the lizards and summer insects are to do with us. If we want a place in this world, we must earn it. The partridge makes its own nest before it occupies it. The lark by its morning song earns its breakfast before it eats it, and the Bible gives an intimation that the first duty of an idler is to starve when it says, "If he will not work, neither shall he eat." Idleness ruins the health, and very soon nature says: "This man has refused to pay his rent. Out with him!" Society is to be reconstructed on the subject of woman's toil. A vast majority of those who would have woman industrious shut her up to a few kinds of work. My judgment in this matter is that a woman has a right to do anything she can do well. There should be no department of merchandise, mechanism, art or science barred against her. If Miss Hosmer has genius for sculpture, give her a chisel. If Rosa Bonheur has a fondness for delineating animals, let her make "The Horse Fair." If Miss Mitchell will study astronomy, let her mount the stargazer. If Lydia will be a merchant, let her sell purple. If Lucretia Mott will preach the gospel, let her thrill with her womanly eloquence the Quaker meeting house.

It is said if woman is given such opportunities she will occupy places that might be taken by men. I say, if she have more skill and adaptiveness for any position than a man has, let her have it. She has as much right to her bread, to her apparel and to her home as men have. But it is said that her nature is so delicate that she is unsuited for exhausting toil. I ask in the name of all past history what toil on earth is more severe, exhausting and tremendous than that toil of the needle to which for ages she has been subjected? The battering ram, the sword, the carbine, the battleaxe, have made no such havoc as the needle. I would that these living sepulchers in which women have for ages been buried might be opened and that some resurrection trumpet might bring up these living corpses in the fresh air and sunlight.

A Woman's Right.

Go with me, and I will show you a woman who by hardest toil supports her children, her drunken husband, her old father and mother, pays her house rent, always has wholesome food on her table and when she can get some neighbor on the Sabbath to come in and take care of her family appears in church with hat and cloak that are far from indicating the toil to which she is subjected. Such a woman as that has body and soul enough to fit her for any position. She could stand beside the majority of your salesmen and dispose of more goods. She could go into your wheelwright shops and beat one-half of your workmen at making carriages. We talk about women as though we had resigned to her all the light work and ourselves had shouldered the heavier. But the day of judgment, which will reveal the sufferings of the stake and inquisition, will marshal before the throne of God and the hierarchies of heaven the martyrs of washtub and needle. Now, I say if there be any preference in occupation let woman have it. God knows her trials are the severest. By her acuter sensitiveness to misfortune, by her hour of anguish, I demand that no one hedge up her pathway to a livelihood. Oh, the mean-

ness, the despicability of men who begrudge a woman the right to work anywhere in any honorable calling!

I go still further and say that woman should have equal compensation with men. By what principle of justice is it that women in many of our cities get only two-thirds as much pay as men and in many cases only half? Here is the gigantic injustice—that for work equally well if not better done woman receives far less compensation than man. Start with the national government. Women clerks in Washington get \$900 for doing that for which men receive \$1,800. The wheel of oppression is rolling over the necks of thousands of women who are at this moment in despair about what they are to do. Many of the largest mercantile establishments of our cities are accessory to these abominations, and from their large establishments there are scores of souls being pitched off into death, and their employers know it. Is there a God? Will there be a judgment? I tell you if God rises up to redress woman's wrongs many of our large establishments will be swallowed up quicker than a South American earthquake ever took down a city. God will catch these oppressors between the two millstones of his wrath and grind them to powder.

Wholly Unjust.

Why is it that a female principal in a school gets only \$825 for doing work for which a male principal gets \$1,650? I hear from all this land the wail of womanhood. Man has nothing to answer to that wail but flatteries. He says she is an angel. She is not. She knows she is not. She is a human being who gets hungry when she has no food and cold when she has no fire. Give her no more flatteries; give her justice! Oh, the thousands of sewing girls! Across the sunlight comes their death groan. It is not such a cry as comes from those who are suddenly buried out of life, but a slow, grinding, horrible wasting away. Gather them before you and look into their faces, pinched, ghastly, hunger struck! Look at their fingers, needle pricked and blood tipped! See that premature stoop in the shoulders! Hear that dry, hacking, merciless cough! At a large meeting of these women held in Philadelphia grand speeches were delivered, but a needlewoman took the stand, threw aside her faded shawl and with her shriveled arm hurled a very thunderbolt of eloquence, speaking out the horrors of her own experience.

Stand at the corner of a street in some great city at 6 or 7 o'clock in the morning as the women go to work. Many of them had no breakfast except the crumbs that were left over from the night before or the crumbs they chew on their way through the street. Here they come! The working girls of the cities. These engaged in beadwork, these in flower making, in millinery, in paper box making, but most overworked of all and least compensated, the sewing women. Why do they not take the city cars on their way to work? They cannot afford the 5 cents. If, concluding to deny herself something else, she gets into the car, give her a seat. You want to see how Latimer and Ridley appeared in the fire. Look at that woman and behold a more horrible martyrdom, a hotter fire, a more agonizing death. Ask that woman how much she gets for her work, and she will tell you 6 cents for making coarse shirts and finds her own thread.

Years ago one Sabbath night in the vestibule of our church after service a woman fell in convulsions. The doctor said she needed medicine not so much as something to eat. As she began to revive in her delirium she said gaspingly: "Eight cents! Eight cents! I wish I could get it done. I am so tired. I wish I could get some sleep, but I must get it done. Eight cents! Eight cents!" We found afterward that she was making garments for 8 cents apiece and that she could make but three of them in a day. Hear it! Three times eight are 24. Hear it, men and women who have comfortable homes! Some of the worst villains of our cities are the employers of these women. They beat them down to the last penny and try to cheat them out of that. The woman must deposit a dollar or two before she gets the garments to work on. When the work is done, it is sharply inspected, the most insignificant flaws picked out and the wages refused and sometimes the dollar deposited not given back. The Women's Protective union reports a case where one of the poor souls, finding a place where she could get more wages, resolved to change employers and went to get her pay for work done. The employer said, "I hear you are going to leave me?" "Yes," she said, "and I have come to get what you owe me." He made no answer. She said, "Are you not going to pay me?" "Yes," he said; "I will pay you." And he kicked her down stairs.

Oh, that Women's Protective union! The blessings of heaven be on it for the merciful and divine work it is doing in the defense of toiling womanhood. What tragedies of suffering are presented to them day by day! A paragraph from their report: "Can you make Mr. Jones pay me? He owes me for three weeks at \$2.50 a week, and I can't get anything, and my child is very sick. The speaker, a young woman lately widowed, burst into a flood of tears as she spoke. She was bidden to come again the next afternoon and repeat her story to the attorney at his usual weekly hearing of frauds and impositions. Means were found by which Mr. Jones was induced to pay the \$7.50."

Another paragraph from their report: "A fortnight had passed, when she modestly hinted a desire to know how much her services were worth. 'Oh, my dear,' he replied, 'you are getting to be one of the most valuable hands in the trade. You will always get the very best price. Ten dollars a week you will be able to earn very easily.' And the girl's fingers flew on

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with her work at a marvelous rate. The picture of \$10 a week had almost turned her head. A few nights later, while crossing the ferry, she overheard the name of her employer in the conversation of girls who stood near: "What, John Snipes? Why, he don't pay. Look out for him every time. He'll keep you on trial, as he calls it, for weeks, and then he'll let you go and get some other fool!" And thus Jane Smith gained her warning against the swindler. But the union held him in the coils of the law until he paid the worth of each of those days of "trial."

Another paragraph: "Her mortification may be imagined when told that one of the two \$5 bills which she had just received for her work was counterfeit. But her mortification was swallowed up with indignation when her employer denied having paid her the money and insultingly asked her to prove it. When the Protective union had placed this matter in the courts, the judge said, 'You will pay Eleanor the amount of her claim, \$5.83, and also the costs of the court.'"

How are these evils to be eradicated? Some say, "Give woman the ballot." What effect such ballot might have on other questions I am not here to discuss, but what would be the effect of female suffrage on women's wages? I do not believe that woman will ever get justice by woman's ballot. Indeed, women oppress women as much as men do. Do not women as much as men beat down to the lowest figure the woman who sews for them? Are not women as sharp as men on washerwomen and milliners and mantua makers? If a woman asks a dollar for her work, does not her female employer ask her if she will not take 90 cents? You say, "Only 10 cents difference." But that is sometimes the difference between heaven and hell. Women often have less commiseration for women than men. If a woman steps aside from the path of rectitude, man may forgive—woman never! Woman will never get justice done her from woman's ballot. Neither will she get it from man's ballot. How then? God will rise up for her. God has more resources than we know of. The flaming sword that hung at Eden's gate when woman was driven out will cleave with its terrible edge her oppressors.

Resolve to Excel.

But there is something for women to do. Let young people prepare to excel in spheres of work, and they will be able after awhile to get larger wages. Unskilled and incompetent labor must take what is given; skilled and competent labor will eventually make its own standard. Admitting that the law of supply and demand regulates these things, I contend that the demand for skilled labor is very great and the supply very small. Start with the idea that work is honorable and that you can do some one thing better than anybody else. Resolve that, God helping, you will take care

of yourself. If you are after awhile called into another relation, you will be all the better qualified for it by your spirit of self reliance, or if you are called to stay as you are you can be happy and self supporting.

Poets are fond of talking about man as an oak and woman the vine that climbs it, but I have seen many a tree fall that not only went down itself, but took all the vines with it. I can tell you of something stronger than an oak for an ivy to climb on, and that is the throne of the great Jehovah. Single or affianced, that woman is strong who leans on God and does her best. Many of you will go single handed through life, and you will have to choose between two characters. Young woman, I am sure you will turn your back upon the useless, giggling, irresponsible nonentity which society ignominiously acknowledges to be a woman and ask God to make you a humble, active, earnest Christian. What will become of that womanly disciple of the world? She is more thoughtful of the attitude she strikes upon the carpet than how she will look in the judgment; more worried about her freckles than her sins; more interested in her apparel than in her redemption. The dying actress whose life had been vicious said, "The scene closes—draw the curtain." Generally the tragedy comes first and the farce afterward, but in her life it was first the farce of a useless life and then the tragedy of a wretched eternity.

Compare the life and death of such a one with that of some Christian aunt that was once a blessing to your household. I do not know that she was ever asked to give her hand in marriage. She lived single, that untrammelled she might be everybody's blessing. Whenever the sick were to be visited or the poor to be provided with bread she went with a blessing. She could pray or sing "Rock of Ages" for any sick pauper who asked her. As she got older there were days when she was a little sharp, but for the most part auntie was a sunbeam—just the one for Christmas eve. She knew better than any one else how to fix things. Her every prayer, as God heard it, was full of everybody who had trouble. The brightest things in all the house dropped from her fingers. She had peculiar notions, but the grandest notion she ever had was to make you happy. She dressed well—auntie always dressed well—but her highest adornment was that of a meek and quiet spirit, which, in the sight of God, is of great price. When she died, you all gathered lovingly about her, and as you carried her out to rest the Sunday school class almost covered her coffin with japonicas, and the poor people stood at the end of the alley, with their aprons to their eyes, sobbing bitterly, and the man of the world said, with Solomon, "Her price was above rubies," and Jesus, as unto the maiden in Judea, commanded, "I say unto thee, arise!"

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WELL FITTED TO VOTE.

Representative Kitchen's Plea for Ignorant Whites.

From the Washington Post.
 Editor Post:—We greatly appreciate the firm stand you took in support of the bill for the amendment to the constitution of North Carolina, and regret that we do not have your hearty approval of the means devised by the legislature to prevent the amendment from being carried to the conditions then existing. Those conditions damaged the peace of the State, and the safety of women, and the safety of the State, in the opinion of the legislature, important in our qualifications for the amendment. They arose from a mass of ignorant whites, who, after thirty years' experience, were too ignorant to understand the issues, too irreconcilable to consider them, and too stupid to appreciate them. The amendment was a constant menace to the peace of the State.

The amendment to the constitution of North Carolina, which our people will vote on August 1, because it does not give the great mass of ignorant whites the right to vote, is a measure which our opponents say this makes unconstitutional. We think a knowledge of North Carolina history and a thorough comprehension of the amendment will convince the impartial critic of its wisdom, fairness, and constitutionality. As a North Carolinian, I submit to your readers my views of it. Other sections of the amendment prescribe qualifications for the amendment to sex, age, residence, registration, and freedom from conviction or disability. The fourth section is as follows:

Every person presenting himself for registration shall be required to read and write. If he cannot read and write, he shall be denied the right to vote, have paid, on or before the first day of March of the year in which he proposes to vote, a poll tax as prescribed by law in the previous year. Poll tax shall be a lien only on assessed property, and no process shall be used to enforce the collection of the same except against assessed property.

No male person who was, January 1, 1867, or at any time thereafter, entitled to vote under the laws of any state in the United States wherein he then resided, and no lineal descendant of such person, shall be denied the right to register and vote at any election in this state by reason of his failure to possess the educational qualifications prescribed in this article. Provided, that he has registered in accordance with the terms of this section on or before December 1, 1908. The legislature shall provide for the permanent record of all persons registered under this section on or before November 1, 1908, and all persons shall be entitled to register and vote at all elections by law provided in this state, unless disqualified under section 2 of this article. Provided, such persons shall have paid their poll tax as prescribed by law.

The purpose is not to injure, humiliate, or impede any class of citizens. It will stimulate education, restore peace, and remove all obstructions from discussions of economic questions. We seek peace and oppression, but safety and good government. The equalization of our laws will continue to those who do not vote as well as those who do.

SHOW SOURCES TO VOTE.

Many Populists and Republicans support the amendment. Under the amendment, thousands of negroes will be among the best and most influential of their race. They will register under section 5, and the most of the thirteen original free negroes could once vote. They were in North Carolina prior to 1865, and in Massachusetts and other states in 1866. Some former white men, unlettered, were benefited by section 5. They could vote under the amendment, provided they comply with the first three sections, are free of felony, and pay their poll tax. The right of suffrage is denied to those who cannot read and write, and is not on that account denied to those, if otherwise qualified, who present generations of free men, and on whom is the inheritance of centuries of heroic and noble performance in public affairs.

Every citizen of every race, who is of reasonable qualifications, should be a voter. The fifth section denies the right of no one to vote, and does no wrong in extending suffrage. Those who may be ignorant are conclusively presumed to have that sufficient intelligence which in others must

be shown by ability to read and write. Common sense and observation teach that those whose ancestors have taken part in government, and who have from their fathers and grandfathers learned the rights and glories of free institutions, receiving by tradition and inheritance a capacity and aptitude for independent thought and conduct, are, though unlettered, as intelligent—and frequently more intelligent—than educated persons who have not inherited that capacity, and who have had the advantage of no such traditions.

Political motives, when the best men of the South were not heard in undertaking to elevate the negro to the political position to which white men had struggled through ages, did not insure his right to vote, but merely enacted that it should not be denied on account of three particular things. The fifteenth amendment to the constitution of the United States says:

Sec. 1. The right of citizens of the United States to vote shall not be denied or abridged by the United States, or by any state, on account of race color, or previous condition of servitude.

RIGHT TO RESTRICT SUFFRAGE.

With that limitation, the state has the absolute right to say who shall and who shall not vote. It legally denies the right to vote to citizens under 21 years of age, and to those who have not resided in the state a specified time. The fourteenth amendment, guaranteeing the privileges and immunities of citizens of the United States and the equal protection of its laws to every person within the jurisdiction of a state, does not confer suffrage. If it did, women and children would vote, for they are persons and citizens.

The state still has the sovereign right to prescribe the qualifications for its voters. They vary in different states. The fifteenth amendment means that if a citizen of the United States has the qualifications required by a state to vote, then his right to vote shall not be denied or abridged on account of his race, color, &c.

Suppose Pennsylvania, which possibly has more foreign-born white men than negroes unable to write our language, should adopt our amendment, would any one question its constitutionality? If constitutional for Pennsylvania it is constitutional for us. It is sometimes urged that it will disqualify more negroes than whites. The constitution does not forbid that. The Supreme court has expressly sustained the Mississippi suffrage provisions which disqualify more negroes than whites, this being their admitted purpose. Larceny throughout the South disqualifies vastly more negroes than whites. The number disqualified does not affect its constitutionality. A state can not deny one man the right to vote on account of his color, race or previous condition of servitude, but it can deny a thousand the right to vote for other causes.

SAYS NO MORE THAN IT MEANS.

A reading of the amendment discloses no reference to race, color, or servitude. Those who adopt it and those who construe it will know that it says what it means, neither more nor less. Its enemies often ignore what all must concede, that in the essential requisites of the best and safest suffrage, one race is, and inevitably so, from its traditions and history, its environment, its nature and condition, superior to another and that, under any reasonable rule intended to separate the fit from the unfit voter, a larger proportion of the inferior race will necessarily be eliminated than of the superior race. A state has the right to adopt any reasonable rule, qualification, or expedient to separate the fit from the unfit voter not violative of the fifteenth amendment. No rule will be perfect; no law will admit every fit voter and reject none, and reject every unfit voter and admit none. The proposed amendment, under present conditions, is as nearly a perfect rule as wisdom is apt to devise. Its extension of suffrage to more whites than negroes is natural and necessary in distinguishing the fit from the unfit voter.

A voter should be patriotic, desiring his country's welfare; conscientious, loving right above all things; intelligent, fairly understanding the general principles of government and the ordinary matters presented for his suffrage, and fearless, acting upon his best judgment, without fear, favor, or corruption.

The ordinary unlettered negro is not prepared for the duties and responsibilities of suffrage. He usually knows nothing of and cares nothing for public issues. Appeals by bad leaders to his fears, passions, and ignorance usually control him. He has little pride in the glorious history of his country. He dares not vote openly contrary to the mass of negroes.

SUPERIOR TO UNLETTERED NEGROES.

The unlettered white man, on the contrary, has the courage of his convictions. He is intelligent. At his father's feet he learned the lessons of government and the duties and rights of citizens. He is superior to the unlettered negro in information and intellectual grasp. He has for generations attended the courts and habitually heard legal and political discussions. He understands American fundamental principles. He is a patriot. He fought at King's Mountain, at Guilford and Trenton. He was with Washington at Yorktown, with Jackson at New Orleans, with Lee and Grant at Appomattox. His moral faculty and firmness of purpose exceed those of the unlettered negro. He has claimed and exercised political rights for hundreds of years. Seven centuries ago he wrung the great charter from tyrant King John. He made Luther's reformation successful. He shouldered his rifle, built his cabin on the frontier, and laid the foundations of the country's greatness. Is he not better qualified to exercise a patriotic, intelligent, incorruptible ballot than an uneducated man, whose race and ancestry have never approached him in liberty, in government, in progress, in mind? It cannot be surprising that more of his race than of any other will vote under any reasonable system of suffrage.

The white man conceived the railroad, steamboat, printing press, telegraph, and other inventions that bless art, science, medicine are his. He organized our government, created our educational and developed our religious systems. He has come in contact with the brown man, and his superiority appeared; he has met the yellow man, and the yellow man gave him the way; he has faced the red man, and the red man is disappearing from the earth; he has touched the black man in his native home, and the black man yielded to him.

EVILS OF IGNORANCE AND PREJUDICE.

The people of North Carolina, considering well their task, have undertaken to remove from the ballot the evil of ignorance and prejudice. Believing in the larger capacity, better intelligence, steadier character, and more constant patriotism of the race most greatly blessed by God, they will not deny the right to vote to unlettered men who cherish an ancient heritage of political rights and duties. We give all educated the same rights, but we refuse to place on the steady, intelligent, unlettered patriot responsibility for the defects of the shiftless, prejudiced, and uninformed. We draw a line of separation and appeal to enlightened judgment and conscience for justification.

The entire amendment will stand or fall as a whole. It is thus submitted to the popular vote. No one can vote for one section and reject another. All sections pertain to suffrage. Each section is material to the whole amendment. Its opponents can cite no authority in which an amendment or statute of similar nature and integrity has been sustained at all when declared unconstitutional in a material part. In support of the proposition I have stated there are numerous authorities, only one of which I will cite, as it is of universal fame. It is the case which shocked the public of America and limited the government's taxing power, compelling it to resort to stamp taxes in time of need. It was strong enough to invalidate all sections of the income tax schedule of the Wilson bill, on the ground that some of the taxes levied were unconstitutional, though many of them, standing alone, were admittedly constitutional.

The last paragraph of the court's opinion, after referring to those held unconstitutional, concludes that "all those sections constituting one entire scheme of taxation are necessarily invalid." Republicans usually approve that decision. No man who approves it can consistently say that one section of our proposed amendment can be declared unconstitutional and the others stand intact. I quote the following bearing on this proposition from the opinion of the court in that (the income tax) case (158 U. S. 636):

QUOTES FROM INCOME TAX DECISION.

We think the rule laid down by Chief Justice Shaw in *Warren vs. Charlestown* (2 Gray, 81) is applicable, that if the different parts "are so intimately connected with and dependent upon each other as conditions, considerations, or compensations for each other as to warrant a belief that the legislature intended them as a whole, and that if all could not be carried in to effect the legislature would not pass the residue independently, and some parts are unconstitutional, all the provisions which are thus dependent, conditional, or connect-

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\$100,000 FOR GOEBEL'S ASSASSIN.

Governor Beckham Approves the Bill to Equip a Democratic State Guard.

Frankfort, Ky., March 7.—The House to-day passed the McChord railroad anti-extortion bill by a vote of 56 to 42. The bill authorizes the State railroad commission to fix the maximum of freight rates and punish for discrimination and extortions. From a party standpoint its passage was carrying out one of the principal planks in the platform on which the late Democratic Governor Goebel was nominated.

The Goebel assassin reward bill for \$100,000 was to-day approved formally by Democratic Governor Beckham.

In the Senate to-day, Senator Tripplett offered a substitute for the resolution to provide for a committee to investigate the removal of munitions of war from the arsenal at London. The substitute proposes to appropriate \$100,000 for the immediate equipment of a State Guard under Democratic Governor Beckham.

Many a man owes his success to the good management of his mother-in-law.

A man just in the act of lifting a barrel of flour felt a hand laid on his shoulder. "Stop!" said the stranger. "You can't lift that." "How do you know I can't?" said the man. "Because I am a physician, and know it's impossible."

"That may be," said the man, "but I know I can," and he stooped, lifted and lifted the barrel to his shoulder. "What made you so sure you could do it?" asked the astonished physician. "Because I've been doing it every day for years," said the man. "There are physicians who say in good faith to those whose lungs are worn by disease, 'It is impossible to help you.' And yet thousands of these impossibles have been helped and healed by Dr. R. V. Pierce whose 'Golden Medical Discovery' has cured them, when the hollow cheek, the rasping cough, the burning flush, and night sweats have all pointed to consumption."

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MONDAY, MARCH 26, 1900,

for the payment of the debt secured by the said mortgage, at public auction at the court house door in the city of Greensboro, N. C., to the last and highest bidder, for cash, the following tract of land, situate in Friendship township, adjoining the old Perkins tract of land and the Britton lands and bounded as follows, to-wit: Beginning at a white oak corner of the Perkins line, thence west along the said line 226 poles to a stone, thence north on the Britton line 69 poles to a stone, thence east 245 poles to a dogwood, thence south on the Perkins line 10 poles to a white oak, thence south on the said line to the place of the beginning, containing 102 acres more or less.

This 16th day of February, 1900.

JOHN A. HARRINGER, Attorney for Mortgagee.

NOTICE.

NORTH CAROLINA. In the Superior Court. GUILFORD COUNTY. Julia Ann Dawson, Loptin Lock and Lida Lock, vs. Elizabeth Mastin and her husband Jack Mastin and Lewis Lock.

The defendants above named will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced before the Clerk of the Superior Court of Guilford County to sell a tract of land in said county, as the Locks bid for partition, and the said defendants will further take notice that they are required to appear at the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court for Guilford County on the first day of March, next, 1900, and answer or demur to the complaint filed by the plaintiffs, as the plaintiffs will apply to the court for the relief demanded in said complaint.

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WEDNESDAY, MAR. 14, 1900.

Democratic County Convention.

To the Democrats of Guilford Co.:

Notice is hereby given that in accordance with the plan of organization your county convention will convene in the court house in Greensboro at 12 o'clock noon on Saturday, April 7th, 1900, for the purpose of selecting delegates to the state convention. The primaries will be held at the usual voting places in each voting precinct at 2 o'clock p. m. on Saturday, March 31st, 1900, and all electors who intend to vote with us in the next election, and who desire the re-establishment of Anglo-Saxon supremacy and good government, are urged to attend these primaries. Each precinct will select delegates to the county convention and elect a precinct committee of five members who shall meet and elect one of their number as chairman, and the names of the chairman and committee should be reported to the county convention.

N. B.—If a township is divided into two precincts, each precinct should hold a separate primary. By order of the Democratic Executive Committee of Guilford county. A. M. SCALES, Chm. Z. V. TAYLOR, Sec.

County papers please copy.

MR. KITCHIN'S LETTER.

In this issue of the PATRIOT we publish an article from Congressman Kitchin bearing on the suffrage amendment to our state constitution. The letter is addressed to the editor of the Washington Post and first appeared in that paper nearly two months ago. It has been republished by a number of papers and has been the subject of wide and favorable comment. When it first came out in the Post it impressed those familiar with the conditions of which Mr. Kitchin wrote as one of the very ablest utterances on the subject which had yet been made, and to our mind nothing has been written which is calculated to do the cause more good.

It is a strong, simple and clear presentation, and the argument is lucid and entirely free of passion or partisan feeling. In asserting that the amendment is not in conflict with the constitution of the United States he shows clearly and beyond the peradventure of a doubt that, under its provision, no man's color will deprive him from exercising the right of suffrage. With this fact established, no one will contend for a moment that it could or would be declared unconstitutional. Because it so happens that thousands of illiterate and incompetent negroes will be disfranchised through its operation, there is no ground for the argument that the enactment of the amendment will be in violation of the Federal constitution.

If any person really has any fear as to the constitutionality or the beneficial effects of the amendment, a careful reading of Mr. Kitchin's letter will convince him that such fears are groundless.

SINCE Marion Butler has practically repudiated the free coinage of silver he is as good a Republican as any man in the party. There would now be no inconsistency in the Republicans nominating him for governor.

THE trust question is distinctly a partisan issue, and upon this issue the Democratic party can win a glorious victory in the coming presidential election.

M. H. JUSTICE, of Rutherfordton, has withdrawn his name as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for governor. This step was taken in the interest of party harmony, it appearing to him that there were too many candidates for this office. He is one of the strongest and best men in the state and his patriotic action in the interest of party harmony has materially strengthened him with the people. His withdrawal leaves C. B. Aycock, John S. Cunningham and Theo. F. Davidson—either of whom would make a good governor—in the race. The indications at present point to the nomination of Aycock on the first ballot.

WHEN the McKinley administration gave Spain \$20,000,000 for something she did not have and could not deliver only a beginning of our expenditure on this account was made. To date our government has spent on the Philippine Islands the neat little sum of \$68,928,060. (These figures are from a report sent by the Secretary of War to Congress by request.) What have we to show for this great expenditure? A still more important question is, What will be the future and final cost of imperialism?

POLITICAL NOTES.

Col. Fry, of Swain county, is a candidate for corporation commissioner.

The Democratic convention of Yadkin county has declared for Aycock for governor.

It is now said that Admiral Dewey would accept a presidential nomination if it were tendered him.

There is a split in the Republican party in Texas and two delegations will be sent to the national convention.

The Star says that in Cleveland county the white people, without regard to color, are almost a unit for the amendment.

The report that ex-president Harrison is a candidate for the Republican nomination for president is declared to be unfounded.

Gaston A. Robbins, Democratic congressman elect from the Fourth Alabama district, has been ousted and his seat given to the Republican contestant, W. F. Aldrich.

Michael Dowling, a negro who figured conspicuously in the Dockery-Bellamy contested election case, being Dockery's main witness, was last Friday night arrested in Washington for larceny.

Three white supremacy clubs have been organized in Newbern. The white people of the entire eastern section of the state are alive to the importance of waging a vigilant campaign and are engaging in the work with enthusiasm.

The Washington correspondent of the Raleigh Post says that the negro congressman from the Second district, George H. White, takes luncheon almost daily in the house restaurant, where members and their wives and hundreds of handsomely dressed ladies are. Under the rules of the house all members are equal, but it is noticeable that none of his colleagues from North Carolina ever dine or lunch with him. He sits solitary and alone and as a rule has the whole large room to himself. When he sits down all others about seem to have a desire to ascertain the exact condition of the weather outside of the capitol building.

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J. R. Garrison, cashier of the bank of Thornville, Ohio, had been robbed of health by a serious lung trouble until he tried Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption. Then he wrote: "It is the best medicine I ever used for a severe cold or a bad case of lung trouble. I always keep a bottle on hand." Don't suffer with Coughs, Colds, or any Throat, Chest or Lung trouble when you can be cured so easily. Only 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottles free at Holton's Drug Store.

The pine lumber men of eastern North Carolina have a harvest. One who lately had a little saw mill now owns 14 such mills, all of which are in operation, and it is said his net income is now more than \$50 a day. One man lately bought a timber tract for \$12,000, sold it for \$16,000, and in ten days it was resold for \$28,000.

Dr. J. Y. Porter, state health officer, announces that Florida quarantines will be established April 1 instead of May 1, to conform with the day designated by the United States marine hospital service.

The North Carolina Bar Association will meet this year at Asheville, on June 27th. The program for the meeting has not yet been completed.

ADDITIONAL LOCAL.

—What is known as the Gorrell property, lying between the A. & Y. railroad tracks and Fayetteville street, on the east side of South Davie street, was sold at public auction Saturday by John W. Fries as receiver of the North State Improvement Company. It was first sold by parcels, the seven lots into which it was cut up bringing a total of \$5,090. The property was then sold as a whole for a consideration of \$8,730, Mr. Charles H. Ireland being the purchaser. Mr. Ireland later transferred the property to Col. A. B. Andrews, first vice-president of the Southern Railway Company, at an advanced figure. It is not known what disposition will be made of the property by the Southern, though it is probable that the large brick building formerly used for the general offices of the G. F. & Y. V. Railway will be torn away and the ground covered by tracks.

—There are sixteen portraits of the fair and patriotic daughters of the South in the April number of The Delineator. The article they illustrate deals with "The Patriotic Work of Southern Women for Public Organized Work." Waldon Fawcett is the author and he touches his subject most sympathetically. The Delineator can be procured from any newsdealer. This is the magazine that for twenty-seven years has been full of suggestions for women regarding the varied affairs of home management.

—Miss Amanda Nelson died early last Thursday morning at the residence of her nephew, Mr. John J. Nelson, with whom she had made her home for a number of years. She was seventy-seven years old and had been an invalid for a long while. She was a devout Christian and had been a faithful member of the M. P. Church for many years. The funeral was held from Mr. Nelson's residence Friday morning at 11 o'clock, the services being conducted by Rev. Dr. Smith.

—The Wakefield Hardware Co. takes an increased space this week to mention a few of the favorable points in connection with the Oliver chilled plow, Clark's cutaway harrow and the "Star" corn-planter—three farming implements that never fail to give satisfaction. Read the new ad. in this issue, and if you are not fully acquainted with the merits of the goods advertised, call and examine them.

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—Mrs. Nancy Osborn died at her home in Sumner township last Wednesday afternoon. She was about eighty-four years old and had been in feeble health for some time. She leaves a son and a daughter and several grandchildren, her husband having died about thirty years ago. The funeral took place Friday at Fairfield M. P. church, of which the deceased was a member.

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Green.....	38
Oats.....	15 to 30
Sheep Skins.....	4
Tallow.....	50
Wheat.....	
Dried Fruits.....	
Corn, new.....	
Flaxseed.....	
Onions.....	
Potatoes—Irish, new.....	
Sweet.....	
Rags—Cotton.....	¾
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OUR RALEIGH LETTER.

Summers Scores White Republican Leaders—State Chairman Thinks Revenue Officers and Others Mean to Precipitate Trouble—New Officials to be Elected by the People for the First Time.

Raleigh, March 12.—Chairman Spencer Blackburn, assistant United States district attorney, on account of the threats made in a recent speech. It is recalled that the "boy orator" warned the Democrats and the supremacy advocates to beware of what is not clearly understood, lest the fate of Governor Patton of Kentucky, overtake certain North Carolina Democratic leaders. In other words, he threatened assassination of the men who are conspicuous in the attempt to overthrow negro domination and the negro rule impossible here in this state.

It is believed by the Democratic leaders here that Blackburn's charges amount to more than a "wordy noise," that he, being chairman of the United States district court, is inspired, and that the intention of the Republican leaders, and particularly the "precipitate gang" in the western and central counties, to create a "white" rule, is also alleged that the white leaders are organizing the negroes into secret clubs, with a view to a coup d'etat. These white leaders are warned by Mr. Summers that the responsibility will be fixed, if trouble comes through their precipitation, and that they need not think that the negroes will be the only ones to be punished for engaging in such a conspiracy against a fair and peaceful campaign and election.

THEIR OFFICES TO BE FILLED.

As there are several officials to be elected by the people for the first time this year, the following committee of the offices to be filled, and for which candidates are to be nominated at the state convention on April 11, is printed by request: Governor, lieutenant-governor, secretary of state, state treasurer, auditor, attorney-general, superintendent of public instruction, commissioner of agriculture, commissioner of labor, corporation (or road) commissioners—two of whom are to be elected. The commissioner of agriculture will not be elected by the people, as some suppose, he being appointed by the governor, as is the auditor general and some other officials.

The new elective officers are commissioner of agriculture, labor commissioner, and the two corporation commissioners. These are all desirable positions, with nice salaries attached, but, strange to say, no candidate for either of these positions has publicly announced himself as yet. The successor of Dr. Abbott, Republican commissioner of agriculture, is one of the officials to be nominated. No one has yet been suggested, however.

REVENUE AND THE TREASURER.

McLary is a practical locomotive engineer, which trade he acquired followed for many years, and is present is the commissioner of the state. Without intention, or the slightest inclination, to say one word which in any way could be construed to be derogatory of either the other candidates for treasurer, of which there are four of the men in the state, I may be permitted to say a few words in commendation of Mr. McLary, whom I have known personally and well since the days we attended college together.

Mr. McLary is one of the truest and most active and hard working Democrats in North Carolina. He is and has always been a close friend and champion of the rights of the workingmen, and has rendered valuable service in their behalf for many years. Though a member of the trade, he is possessed of a superior education, having had the benefit of educational advantages, and belongs to one of the best families of Raleigh, being the son of the late Rev. Dr. Drury McLary, in the line of the leading Presbyterian ministers of this state. Now nearly 40 years of age, Mr. McLary is a man of mature judgment and sound judgment, and should the convention be held to nominate him for the office, he would make a most capable and competent official.

THE FERTILIZER TRUST.

The state board of agriculture, of which Hon. John S. Cunningham, of Greensboro, is chairman, has been in session during the past week, and has been discussing the subject of a fertilizer trust. The most important subject before the meeting was the proposed increase in price of fertilizers. Among those most active in denouncing the present

high prices was Hon. J. Bryan Grimes, of Pitt, one of the leading members of the board. He scored, also, the old fusion board of agriculture, and agricultural department officials, for their leniency to those who evaded the tax on fertilizers. He produced a lot of interesting and valuable information and figures giving prices of the raw material used in the manufacture of fertilizer, and declared that these figures proved conclusively that the existing high prices of the manufactured fertilizers are unwarranted and unjust. The evasion of the tax was also commented on and denounced by Mr. Grimes. He declared that there is a good deal of work which some one ought to do just now.

Mr. Grimes and others stated that the matter of prices and evasion of the law by fertilizer manufacturers ought to be thoroughly investigated and vigorous action taken to better protect the farmers. To this end the following committee was appointed to prosecute the investigation: Commissioner Patterson, Chairman Cunningham, Mr. J. Bryan Grimes, State Chemist Kilgore and Major W. A. Graham.

NUMEROUS NEWS NOTES.

The state board of agriculture has decided to request the legislature to restore the old tonnage tax on fertilizers, 25 cents, it now being 20 cents. The reduction, it is said, has resulted in an increase in price and a consequent loss to the farmers, while the department receives less revenue than formerly.

In some of the eastern counties farm labor is demanding higher wages, as much as \$10 per month, on account of its scarcity, caused by activity in saw mill circles. Some of the farmers are saying that this and higher fertilizer prices will increase the cost of production of cotton visily.

The "Pembroke," of New Bern, is the latest cotton mill company to be chartered in this state. Capital, \$100,000.

Gen. Julian S. Carr delivered two ringing speeches in Alamance county last Saturday, 10th inst.—at Graham in the morning and at Burlington at night. There is no more enthusiastic and earnest advocate of the amendment in the state than General Carr.

The taking of testimony, before Special Master J. E. Shepherd in the railroad tax assessment case begins April 28. Each side will be given three months' time to produce evidence before the Master.

Republican headquarters are sending out, to the farmers especially, thousands of Senator Pritchard's recent speech against the amendment.

Dr. George H. Kirby, superintendent of the asylum for the insane here, the most efficient superintendent that the institution has had in many years, has received some high and voluntary compliments recently, on account of the splendid work he has accomplished in several cases under his care.

STATE NEWS.

A new coffin factory will soon be in operation in Charlotte.

Two Mormon elders were run out of the town of Albemarle Friday.

The state has chartered the Asheville Telephone Company with an authorized capital of \$80,000.

W. E. Gray, of Henderson, has been appointed assistant quartermaster general of the state guard.

The estimate of the damage to the cabbage crop about Newbern by the recent cold weather is 20 per cent.

Secretary Parker, of the Farmer's State Alliance, says there are alliances in about fifty counties of the state.

The dead body of J. W. Reddish, of Rocky Mount, was found on the Southern Railway track, near Clayton, last Thursday.

The Laurinburg Exchange learns that the Atlantic Coast Line contemplates extending the system from Gibson to Laurinburg.

Tom Kerns, a negro workman, met instant death in Charlotte a few days ago by falling from the top of a building to the ground, a distance of forty feet.

Circulars asking for subscriptions to a new cotton mill in that town are being distributed in Elizabeth City. The movement is expected to meet with success.

Farmers say they cannot make the next crop of cotton as cheaply as they made the present one. Higher wages and the increased price of fertilizers are given as the cause.

A young white man named Dobson is in jail at Albemarle on a charge of having appropriated \$160 which he found in the road to his own use. He says that he is from Greenville, S. C.

The Charlotte News notes that Miss Helen Gould sent a check for \$250 to the family of the late Prof. McLary, of Charlotte, who was a

school mate of Jay Gould. Prof. McLary had been a witness for Gould in a black mail suit.

Wilmington is discussing the practicability of organizing a shirt and collar factory with a capital stock of \$25,000 or \$50,000; commencing business with \$20,000 or \$25,000 and drawing on stockholders for balance as occasion would demand.

Near \$5,000 has been turned over to the town of Fayetteville and county of Cumberland during the past few months from the net profits of the dispensary, Manager Ingold last Saturday turning over \$1,200 each to the city and county treasurers.

Tom Talbyrd, of Montgomery county, is reported by the Salisbury Sun to have committed suicide last Sunday, by hanging. A mortgage on his property had just been foreclosed, and it is thought that this so depressed him that he took his life.

It is announced that the Southern Railway Company has just entered into a contract with the American Car and Foundry Company of St. Louis for rolling stock to the value of nearly a million dollars, to meet the necessities of its great freight business.

The Tarboro Southerner says that last year W. S. Phippen, of Edgecombe county, hired \$127 worth of day labor. The rest of the work he did himself. He sold peanuts and tobacco to the amount of \$800 and made more than enough meat and bread for his family and more than enough corn and fodder for his team.

A special to the Raleigh News and Observer from Columbia, Tyrrell county, says that Branning's mill, a very large lumber plant, situated at that place, was burned Saturday at 1 p. m. The mill was worth \$40,000. The Branning Manufacturing Company is one of the biggest timber concerns in the state and had a daily capacity of about 30,000 feet.

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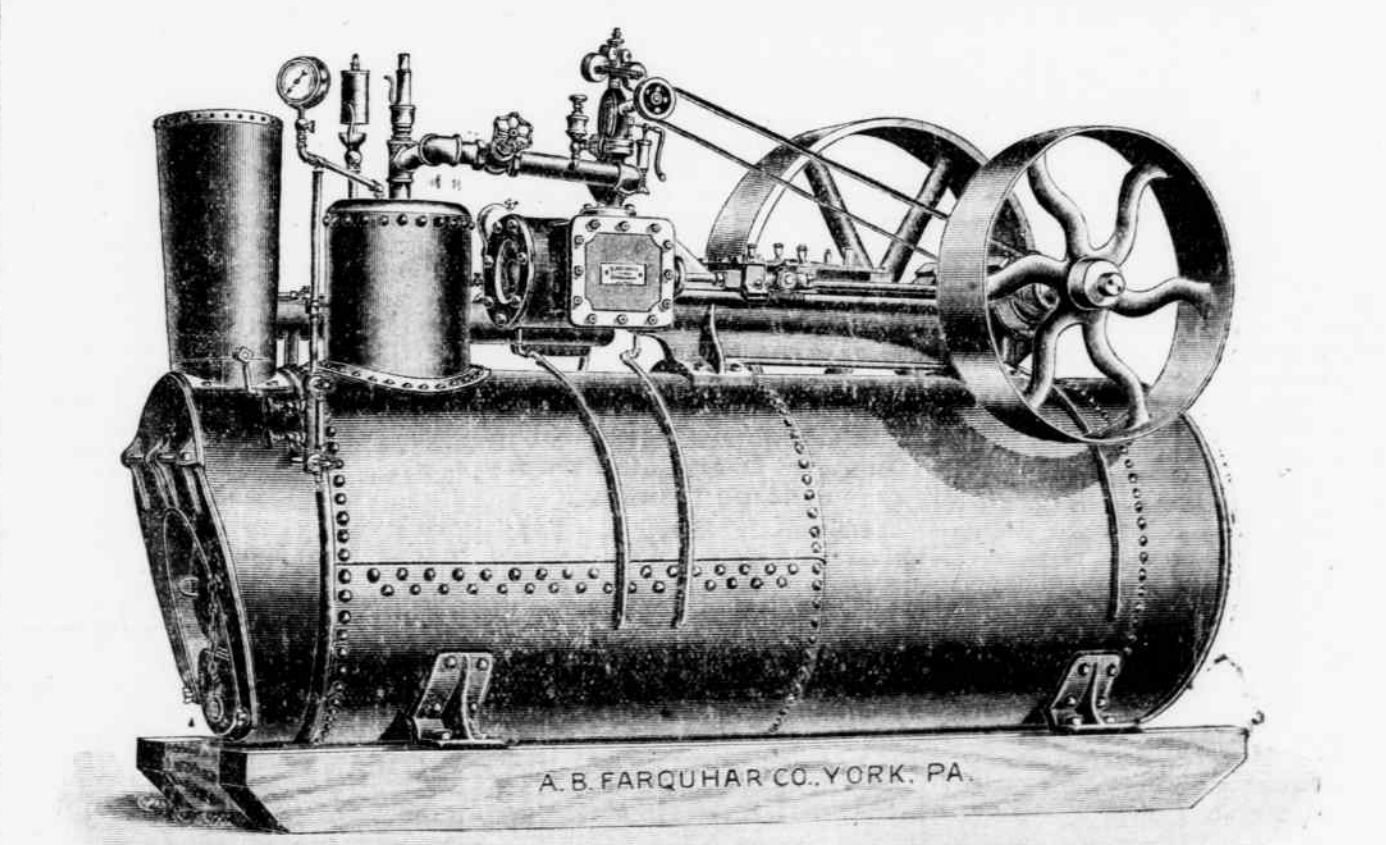
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KENTUCKY AFLAME.

FRESH STIR IN KENTUCKY--
WAR IS AGAIN THREAT-
ENED.

Troops on Guard at the State House Prevent the Arrest of Secretary of State Powers and Capt. Davis, Charged With Complicity in the Murder of Governor Goebel--Both the City Marshal and Sheriff Turned Back--Streets Were Blocked With People and Much Excitement Prevailed --The Two Men, Dressed as Soldiers, Succeeded in Making their Escape.

Frankfort, March 10.—The situation has reached a point of excitement today almost approaching that of the stirring times immediately following the assassination of Goebel. The reinstatement of the military power in complete control of the State executive building and the refusal of the military authorities to allow the local police and civil officers to enter the building for the purpose of arresting Secretary of State Caleb Powers and Captain John W. Davis, charged with being accessories to the Goebel assassination, and the probability of a conflict between the civil and military authorities, has made the situation look serious. This morning, City Marshal Richardson applied at the executive building and demanded to be admitted for the purpose of arresting Powers and Davis, but was turned back and the warrants were then turned over to Sheriff Suter. The latter also presented himself at the executive building and demanded admittance. He was referred by the officer in charge to Colonel Morrow, and the latter being found said: "I am sorry, Mr. Sheriff, but it is against Governor Taylor's orders to let any one into the building to-day."

Sheriff Suter then held a consultation with County Attorney Polsgrove, Commonwealth Attorney Franklin, and other officials. Meantime the police force had been doubled and a detail guarded each of the entrances to the State house grounds, to prevent the men wanted from escaping. At the conference between the officials, it was decided that the sheriff should summon a large reserve force of deputies, to be called into use in the event it was decided to attempt to enter the building by force to make the arrests, and in pursuance of this, the sheriff swore in 50 men who were stationed in the neighborhood of the sheriff's office during the afternoon.

At 3 o'clock Sheriff Suter, having failed to get any sort of understanding

with the military authorities as to the arrest of the parties, submitted the question to Democratic Governor Beckham to decide to what extent the civil officers should go to gain admittance to the building for the purpose of making the arrests.

It is said late to-night that Democratic Governor Beckham will not give an answer to Sheriff Suter's request for instructions till next week, and since the escape of Powers and Davis he may decide that the changed conditions of affairs does not necessitate the giving of instructions on his part.

Since the escape of Powers and Davis, however, the conditions have changed, and what will be done now depends altogether upon their future movements. The events of to-day served to show very forcibly that the State Guard, as at present organized, does not unanimously recognize Taylor as Governor. Lieutenant Sparks refused to muster in the London company to-day in response to a telegram from Governor Taylor ordering him to bring the company here, and the Lexington companies also refused. Major Robert Kennedy, of one of the Lexington companies, came here to-night and personally tendered to Governor Beckham the services of the third battalion of the Second Regiment. He also stated that 50 men are to-night guarding the company's armory and will recognize only Beckham as Governor.

Before leaving here Capt. Davis, who had flowing black beard, called in the services of a barber, so when he boarded the train to-night he was not recognized at once, even by those who knew him. Both he and Powers carried with them pardons, granted by Gov. Taylor.

THE CROWD BAGGED.

Secretary of State Powers, Lieutenant Peake and Captain Policeman Davis, All in Disguise, Overhauled on the Arrival of the Train.

Lexington, Ky., March 10.—Almost without warning the storm-centre of excitement in the present gubernatorial struggle shifted to Lexington to-night, and up to a late hour the town was in an uproar. The 840 Chesapeake & Ohio train from Frankfort brought with it in one car to themselves Secretary of State Caleb Powers, Captain John Davis, capital square policeman, and Lieutenant F. R. Peake, of Covington. Intelligence had preceded them that they were on their way to Lexington, and were trying to make their escape. When the train pulled into the depot the entire police force of this city, under Chief John Rose and Sheriff Henry Bosworth, with a large force of deputies, boarded the train. On entering the coach the officers found it contained about 25 soldiers with Powers and Davis, the soldiers being under command, apparently, of Lieutenant Peake. That officer sprang to his feet at once

and commanded the soldiers to clear the car. In an instant 20 revolvers were drawn by the officers and they were all leveled at Peake, who gamely tried to pull his own revolver, but as he drew it from the scabbard a policeman smashed him across the hand with his club and then prevented what would undoubtedly have resulted in a tragedy. The sheriff commanded the conductor to cut off the car. The conductor remonstrated, stating that the train carried United States mail and the demand was then not pressed.

A local attorney recognized Powers and pointed out Davis. They were seized and hurried to jail. As the procession swept toward the jail some people started the report that there was to be a lynching and soon the streets were packed with people, an enormous crowd gathering about the jail. Davis, Powers and Peake were hurried to the upper cells, but Peake was later released on bond on a common warrant on the charge of resisting arrest.

Davis and Powers were both disguised. Both wore the regular soldier uniforms, complete even to the leggings. Davis had shaved off his mustache and goatee. He had \$125 on his person and a revolver. There was found on Powers \$1,300. In the inside pocket of each man was found a pardon from Governor W. S. Taylor, duly signed and sealed.

Attorney W. G. Dunlap, Postmaster E. L. Elkin and Attorney R. C. Stoll called on Secretary of State Powers later and to the Associated Press correspondent they stated that Powers told Dunlap substantially that he was not fleeing from arrest. He was simply getting away from Frankfort to avoid lying in jail as Whitaker had done; that he had done nothing to fear arrest, as he was not guilty of the charge, and that he was going to Barbourville, in the Eleventh Congressional district, where Taylor's jurisdiction was fully recognized. Captain Davis had little to say to them, except that he thought he had made a mistake in leaving home, that he had nothing to fear from a trial. Neither explained his disguise.

Immediately after arriving at the jail a report got out that a special train had gone back to Frankfort for the purpose of bringing up men to rescue the prisoners. Sheriff Bosworth applied at once to the armory for a special detail of soldiers under Captain Longmire, and they responded, arriving at the jail a few minutes later, prepared to resist the rumored prospective attack. The sheriff then designated a posse to supplement the squad of soldiers providing the trouble might come, and declared any attempt to take either one of the prisoners from jail would be resisted to a finish, but it is believed that this precaution was altogether unnecessary.

The excitement began to subside by 11 o'clock. The railroads are closely watched, however, and any attempt at rescue would result seriously. Secre-

tary of State Powers was bleeding profusely when taken to his cell. He said he had been struck on the head with a club after reaching the inside of the jail, presumably by one of the arresting officers. There is much suppressed excitement among the local Goebel politicians, as if a coup were in prospect, but it is impossible to learn its true inwardness.

The jail is carefully and strongly guarded during the night. Powers and Davis would not be allowed bail. All the soldiers that attended Powers and Davis went through on the same train, presumably to Ashland, Ky. They were not molested by the officers, and Lieutenant Peake was taken because of his effort to resist the arrests.

Dr. Helm, the city physician, dressed the wounds of Secretary of State Powers. The officers say he showed fight and resisted arrest and the clubbing was done in the car and not in the jail.

Powers showed no concern for the howling crowds along the street, but Captain Davis was apprehensive of violence.

The distinguished prisoners are kept in separate cells and not allowed to see each other or to see other prisoners, or any one accept their guards.

Previous to the arrival of the train the sheriff was telephoned to from Frankfort that he would get a reward of \$1,000 for Powers and \$500 for Davis if they were apprehended here. It is thought they will be taken back to Frankfort without delay, possibly tomorrow.

THE KENTUCKY MUDDLE.

Powers and Davis Removed From Lexington to Louisville.

Lexington, March 12.—Secretary of State Powers and Capt. Davis were secretly taken from jail between midnight and daybreak to-day in charge of Sheriff Suter, of Frankfort, were driven overland to Versailles where it is reported they were placed on train and taken to Louisville.

The officers will say nothing and the guards at the jail profess ignorance of the movements of Suter and his prisoners. The removal has caused much excitement.

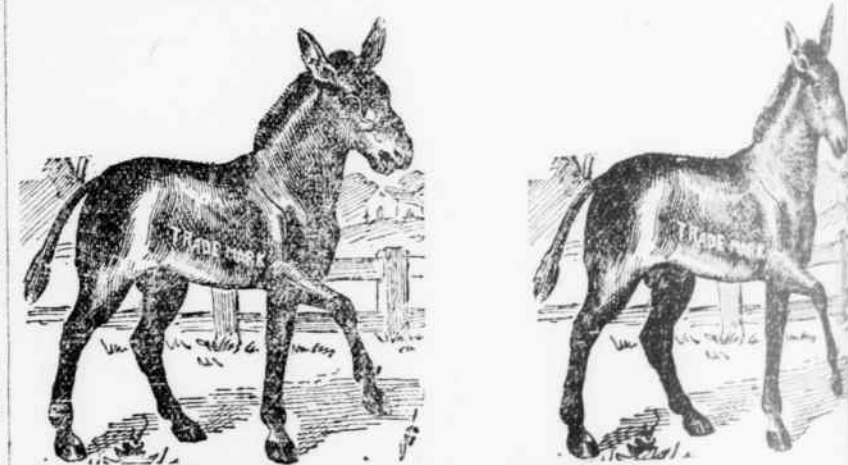
[The Kentucky situation is now said to be somewhat easier, though fears of a serious clash are entertained. It is thought that an attempt may be made to arrest Republican Governor Taylor and other officers.—PATRIOT]

The Democrat says that Henry Simmons, a colored barber of Clinton, has received news of the recent death of his uncle, Moses Simmons, in Cleveland, O., who leaves a fortune of \$10,000. Simmons was a free negro and formerly lived near Mt. Olive.

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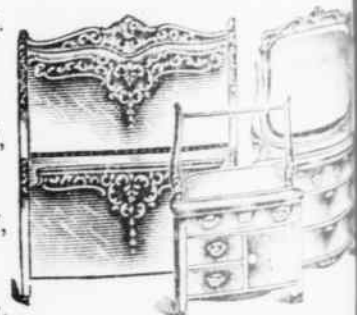
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WASHINGTON LETTER.

Special Correspondence.

WASHINGTON, March 12, 1900.

The amendment of the Nicaragua Canal treaty, giving this country the right to defend and control the canal in time of war, although proposed by a Republican—Senator Davis, — was a Democratic triumph, because the amendment is an unqualified endorsement of the position taken by the Democrats when the treaty was first made public. As amended, the treaty will probably receive the necessary two-thirds Democratic Senate vote to make its ratification reasonable certain, although there are features in it that will prevent some Democrats from voting for ratification.

Are the majority of the senate afraid of England? Their action, when Senator Mason compelled the senate to take up his resolution expressing sympathy for the Boers, certainly looked that way. The majority refused to allow the resolution to be discussed in open session, because things would be said that might offend England. Yet this sort of talk in the American senate, where men who cringed to a foreign friend or foe, once upon a time fearlessly expressed their opinion and time after time spoke in favor of down-trodden people without stopping to think whether their oppressors would like it or not. Now, as soon as anything affecting England is even mentioned, the majority orders the doors closed. What a picture for the American people to contemplate. Even in secret session, the administration senators are afraid to allow Senator Mason's resolution to be squarely voted upon. Their program is to throttle it by having a majority vote to lay it on the table. If the so called era of friendship with England is to result in squelching our Americanism and our love for liberty, the sooner it comes to an end, the better for us as a people.

Whether Gen. Joe Wheeler takes leave in the house depends upon Mr. McKinley. Under date of November 28th, 1899, General Wheeler forwarded his resignation as a regular general of volunteers from the Philippines to Mr. McKinley. If Mr. McKinley accepts the resignation to take effect on

that date, which was before the assembling of congress, no objection will be raised to General Wheeler taking his seat in the house.

In order to get Republican votes enough in the senate to pass the Porto Rican tariff bill numerous amendments have been agreed to, among them one to admit all goods from the United States to Porto Rico free of duty. And it may be necessary to reduce the duty on Porto Rican products below the fifteen per cent. provided for in the house bill. It will be a long time before the hard feeling aroused among Republicans by this bill passes away, and Republicans admit that it is likely to cost them a number of seats in the house.

As though there were not already a sufficient number of differences between Mr. McKinley and his party in congress, a new and serious one has turned up in the reciprocity treaty with France. Mr. McKinley is insisting that the senate shall ratify the treaty at the present session, while leaders in his party in the senate, knowing the extent of the party opposition to the treaty, wish to let the matter go over until the next session, under the pretense that the committee on finance wishes time to make an exhaustive investigation into the effect the treaty will have upon our revenues, if ratified. Neither side has yet won, but the senators know that they have only to hold out to make Mr. McKinley back down, as he has done in every controversy he has had with his party leaders in congress.

A new and interesting bit of political gossip is that Mr. McKinley is seriously thinking of making a scapegoat of Secretary Hay, with the hope of squaring himself with the numerous and influential Republicans who have been making vigorous protests against the too-English foreign policy of the administration. It would be nothing new for Mr. McKinley to sacrifice a friend to serve his own political interests, but in this particular case it is doubtful whether the sacrifice would do more than add to the country's belief in the adroitness of Mr. McKinley in looking out for No. 1. Mr. Hay is inviting the sacrifice by his talk against the amendment of the Nicaragua canal treaty.

A joint resolution, intended to give General Miles promotion, has been offered in senate and house by Senator Lodge and Representative Moody, of Massachusetts. It provides that the senior major general, when in command of the army, shall have the rank and pay of lieutenant general and shall be retired with that rank. The administration has quietly opposed all legislation along this line, because of the pull of Adjutant General Corbin, who is bitterly hostile to General Miles, and it will probably do the same in this case.

As a result of a week's work, the Republicans of the house have unseated two Democrats, one from Alabama and one from Virginia, — and seated two Republicans.

The senate sat down quick and hard on Senator Hoar's scheme to give ex Queen Lil, Hawaii, \$20,000, and a yearly pension of \$10,000. We haven't reached the stage yet of willingly paying pensions to ex-royalties, either white or chocolate colored.

To "Astonish Europe." LONDON, March 8. — A. G. Hales, the London Daily News correspondent, who was captured by the Boers and recently released, sends the following from Sterkstroom camp, Cape Colony:

"While prisoner at Bloemfontein I had an interview with Mr. Steyn, president of the Free State. He said they were determined to fight to the last man. He prophesied the capitulation of Pretoria would be preceded by events that would astonish Europe. The president further said that the struggle of the Free State would be a child's play compared with what would follow in the Transvaal."

The News also has a dispatch from Lorenzo Marquez stating that 5,000 Kaffirs are digging trenches around Pretoria.

A Sure Cure for Piles. Itching piles are known by moisture like perspiration causing intense itching. This form as well as Blind, Bleeding or Protruding piles yield to Dr. Bosan-ko's Pile Remedy, which acts directly on the parts; absorbs tumors, allays itching, and effects a cure. Price 50 cents a jar, at druggists or by mail. Circulars free. Address Dr. Bosanko, Philadelphia, Pa. Sold by G. W. Kestler & Son.

A case thought to be bubonic plague has been discovered in Chinatown in San Francisco.

PORTO RICANS BITTER.

Press of the Island Turns Against Americans.

SAN JUAN, Porto Rico, March 6. — For a time after the American occupation the Porto Rican press was all aglow with patriotic expectation. A far different state of affairs exists today.

Like the street urchins who formerly greeted all Americans with "Mucho bueno Americanas," or "Salude el Americano," the news papers are silent now or have turned to denunciation of America and all things American.

General Ludow's suggestion that a rigid press censorship would have to be established in Havana to insure a 'successful American government' might be applied here. One San Juan paper, the Boletin, stands alone in never having expressed hostile opinions to the Americans. The Correspondencia, recently purchased by the Federal party, is flagrantly opposed to 'Americanism.' The Dario, judging the whole American government by the non-action of congress and the subsequent delay in results, is in a revolutionary flame. It makes a point of criticising everything American, from the president: and congress down to the governor-general and provisional court.

The other journals of the island are almost a unit in criticisms of the government and congress. They have no way of judging except by results, and the continuation of conditions worse than any ever before applied to the island is a sorry banner to fly before them. As an island paper recently said:

"We will not believe in the constitution so talked about by the Americans, or congress, or the president, or any more promises of the good things to come until we see them published in the 'official gazette' as an order for actual application."

Commissioner Wilson, of the internal revenue, has decided to proceed against manufacturers of tobacco and cigarettes who violate the section which excludes all gifts, prizes, premiums, etc., or orders for the same placed in the packages. The commissioner sent telegraphic instructions to collectors of internal revenue that tobacco and cigarettes found upon the market in disregard of the rule, stamps bearing cancellation on and after March 1, must be seized.

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Goods You Can Buy for 1 Cent:

One Elastic Corset Lace, white.
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One Box Shoe Blacking.
One Cake Lubin's Perfume Soap.
One Spool Fast Red Embroidery Cotton.
One Dozen Hair Crimpers, novelty stitched.
One Card Black or White Hooks and Eyes.
One Yard All Silk Baby Ribbon, any color.
Three Cards Fast Black Darning Cotton.
Two Cards Darning Cotton, better quality, all colors.
Two Papers Invisible Hair Pins.
One Barrel Carpet Tacks.
One Paper 20 Sewing Needles, any size.
One Spool 500 yards Basting Cotton.
Four Good Lead Pencils.
One Spool Embroidery Silk, all colors.
One Cake Yankee Doodle Soap.
One Child's Colored bordered Handkerchief.
One Paper No. 4 Adamantine Pins.
One Tape Measure, 60 inches.
Eight Papers Good Hair Pins.
One Linen Corset Lace, 2 1/2 yards long.
One Box Self-Locking Hair Pins.
One Aluminum Thimble.
One Box 40 Count Mourning Pins.
50 Sheets Writing Paper.
One Dozen Silver Plated Safety Pins.

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Goods You Can Buy for 2 Cents:

One Card Federbaken Hooks and Eyes.
One Boys' Windsor Tie, navy Blue.
One Bottle Jet Black Ink.
One Medium Small Curling Iron.
One Good Leather Coin Purse.
One Box Cabinet Hair Pins.
One Ball White Knitting Cotton.
One 12 inch Fringed Wash Rag.
One Pair Gents' Loom Arm Bands, with elastic.
One Yard Black or White Garter Web.
One Dozen Gents' Agate Collar Buttons.
One Pair Real Porpoise Shoe Laces.
One Good Cotton Towel.
One Nickel Plated Curling Iron.
One Child's Honey Comb Bib.
One Large Cake Bouquet Soap.
One Large Box Shoe Blacking.
One Rubber Fine Comb.
One Yard Fancy Garter Web.
One Box Swansdown Face Powder.
One Ladies' Fancy Hemmed Handkerchief.
One Yard No. 2 Fine Satin Ribbon.
One 50-yard Spool Sewing Silk, in all the colors.
One Needle Book of five papers.
One Gents' Pocket Comb.
One Boys' Pocket Knife.

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1,000 yard Fine English Long Cloth, 15c. quality, at 9 1/2c.; 2,000 yards Fine Lonsdale Cambric, in short lengths, 10 to 20 yards, 12 1/2c. value, at 7 1/2c.;
6,000 yards Fruit of Loom Bleaching, 7 1/2c.; 4,000 yards Androscoggin Bleaching, 6 1/2c.;
1,000 yards Barker Mills Bleaching at 6 1/2c.; 3,000 yards Oak Lawn Bleaching at 6 1/2c.; good yard wide Bleaching, 5c.; Fine Sea Island Domestic, 6c. A limited quantity to each customer.
20,000 yards finest Embroidery ever shown in Greensboro at 5, 8, 9, 10, 12 1/2, 18, up to 50c. yd.
2,000 yards Fine Pique just received. All the new cords and welts, 10c. up to 40c.
All the new shapes in Ladies' Linen Collars—15c. qualities at 10c.

Early Easter Silk Selling.

For the past four seasons we have made a specialty of Waist Silks, and as there is every evidence now of a tremendous Silk Waist season we have endeavored to get the very best on the market and our efforts have not been in vain, for the silks have far exceeded our expectations, both in design and quality. We mention only a few of the styles:

Pretty line Wash and Jap Silks, 39c. to 69c.; Taffetine in all shades, 48c.—just the thing for an inexpensive waist; Mauve Taffeta, 75c.; heavier Taffeta, 75c.; dainty colors in the new hemstitch, 89c.; Pastel Shades, 69, 79 and 98c.; Givernaud Taffeta, \$1.19, would be cheap at \$1.50. And our Dress Patterns of Foulard—impossible to describe. Will gladly show you through.

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BOOM FOR NATIONAL BANKS.

The New Currency Bill Expected to Produce Many New Ones.

New York, March 8.—Advices received by local banking interests from small towns and villages throughout the United States indicate that state banks in all sections of the country are preparing to take out charters under the national system as soon as the Currency bill becomes a law.

It was estimated that anyone with \$3,000 capital could start a national bank under the new system. All that is required is \$25,000 in 2 per cent. government bonds, which could be secured at ruling rates for about \$26,750. These, representing the capital of the bank, could be sent to Washington and circulation for the full amount of the capital immediately taken out. The organizer of the bank then has only \$1,750 tied up in the enterprise, but could take deposits in the regular way. Whether the system can be properly safeguarded under such requirements is not known, but local bankers are watching the experiment with great interest and more or less concern.

Such extension of the national system is expected to yield large profits to national banks of this city, since state banks at interior points keeping their balances with state banks or trust companies in this city will have to transfer their accounts to national banks (if they wish to have them counted as reserve) as soon as the new charters are taken out. This, it is thought, may result in serious loss for some of the large state banks, since such accounts in aggregate represent a large volume of business.

HOTEL DESTROYED BY FIRE

Judge Clark's Property at Halifax Burned—The Loss Put at \$14,000.

Weldon, N. C., March 8.—Judge Walter Clark's fine brick hotel at Halifax was burned this morning at about half past two o'clock, and the building and most of the contents are total losses. The hotel was a splendid three-story brick structure and cost \$14,000 to build it. I learn that Judge Clark did not have a dollar of insurance on it. The house was leased by Mrs. M. A. Slater, who conducted a splendid hotel. Superior Court was in session and the hotel was full of guests, but all escaped, as the fire was discovered in the roof and the alarm was given before it had made any very great headway. Judge Starbuck was in the hotel and helped Mrs. Slater to save what furniture could be saved before the roof fell in. Nothing was saved on the third floor.

The citizens struggled heroically to subdue the flames, but the fire had made too much headway.

This house was first built for a winter resort for sportsmen and was known as the Southern Hotel. Mrs. Slater had no insurance on her furniture and the loss falls on her quite heavily. The origin of the fire is not known, but it is thought that it was caused by a defective flue near the top of the building.—Raleigh Observer.

Resolutions of Respect.

Oak Ridge Institute, Athenian Society Hall, March 1, 1900. At a meeting of the Committee appointed by the President of the Athenian Literary Society, the following resolutions were adopted.

Whereas, God in his inscrutable wisdom has seen fit to remove from our midst Edward C. Townsend, a fellow student and member of the Athenian Literary Society. Therefore be it

Resolved, 1st. That we bow in humble submission to Him who doeth all things well.

2nd. That in his death the Athenian Society has lost a faithful member and officer, the school a painstaking, conscientious, obedient student, and to all a friend.

3rd. That our heartfelt sympathy be extended to the bereaved family and friends.

4th. That a copy of these resolutions be spread upon the minutes of the Athenian Society, a copy sent to the bereaved family and a copy printed in the Oak Leaf and Greensboro papers.

E. E. Kapp,
W. L. Newsom,
L. C. Bass,
Committee.

A Boy's Incendiary Scheme.

Boston, March 8.—Three incendiary fires this week in the hay sheds of the Boston and Maine Railroad, in Charlestown, have done \$70,000 damage. The third fire today destroyed a shed, and eighty-five car loads of baled hay, four loaded freight cars, and an adjoining building occupied by E. A. Gillette & Sons, carriage manufacturers. Loss \$25,000.

Nicholas J. Canfield, eighteen years old, a farm hand, was arrested today charged with setting fire to the sheds. He said he set fire because he was sick and tired of looking for work. He had made 25 cents today in loading up the teams with the burned hay, and the new fire would give him a chance to get more work.

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GENERAL NEWS.

Queen Victoria has decided to visit Ireland next month.

Precautions are being taken to prevent Nihilist outbreaks in Russia.

In a fire in Newark, N. J., Monday night fifteen Italians lost their lives.

The first college for negro Catholics will be established near Montgomery, Ala.

Gen. Joseph Wheeler says he is in favor of giving the Philippines territorial government.

There is much feeling between the governments of France and England and trouble is feared.

There are three hundred employees of the United States senate, drawing aggregate salaries of \$510,000.

The British war loan has had a bad effect upon the Berlin money market and increased rates are expected.

The coal and coke famine continues throughout Europe, although coke ovens are multiplying very rapidly.

Virginia publishers are working to bring about the abolition of duty on wood pulp, in order to secure cheaper paper.

Secretary Long has issued an order making it a compulsory rule that all men in the navy service shall be able to swim.

Labor troubles culminated in a riot at Chicago last Thursday evening. One man was killed and six others fatally injured.

The rising of the Cape Dutch is reported to have spread to every part of Cape Colony where there is a prospect of success.

Ex-Congressman John Davis, of the Fifth Kansas district, one of the founders of the Populist party, has become totally blind.

The Democratic executive committee of the national committee is assembling at Kansas City to prepare for the coming convention.

The strike situation at Fernandina Fla., is about to be definitely settled by mutual concessions on the part of men and railroad officials.

Presidents Kruger and Steyn, through the consuls at Pretoria, have asked intervention to prevent further bloodshed in the South African war.

Hon. E. J. Phelps, United States minister to England under Cleveland's first administration, died at his home in New Haven, Conn., Friday night.

Emperor William, of Germany, has asked his Reichstag to have his salary increased \$1,000,000 a year. His present yearly income is \$8,401,238.

Ex-Representative Isaac Stephenson, of Marinette, Wis., has announced his intention to give to that city a public library building to cost \$50,000.

Inhalation of illuminating gas killed William L. Cochran, 24 years old, in New York yesterday. He was a son of ex-Judge Cochran, of the Virginia Supreme court.

The president to be elected next November may have the filling of four of the nine places on the United States Supreme court bench. One of the vacancies will be chief justiceship.

The Democratic senate of Kentucky has passed a bill making it a felony, punishable by confinement in the penitentiary from 10 to 20 years, for an occupant of a state office to forcibly maintain possession of the office for more than five days after the legislature or other competent authority shall have decided some other person entitled to the office.

Ten years ago there were in the south but 254 cotton mills, with 1,712,930 spindles and 39,231 looms. Now according to the Manufacturers' Record there are 542 mills, with 5,774,361 spindles and 174,728 looms. South Carolina leads in a number of spindles and looms, though North Carolina leads in number of mills. Most of the mills are owned by corporations.

Judge Henry Clay Caldwell, of Kansas, who is talked of as running mate for Bryan, was appointed to the United States district court of Arkansas by Lincoln in 1864, and held that place for twenty-six years. He was made a circuit judge by President Harrison. He was born in West Virginia, but grew up in Iowa and was colonel of the Third Iowa Cavalry in the civil war.

While the senate had the diplomatic and consular appropriation bill under consideration Saturday, a lively debate was precipitated by an amendment proposed by Mr. Hoar, of Massachusetts, proposing to give former Queen Liliuokalani, \$20,000 and an annuity of \$10,000. The amendment was tabled finally without division. The pending bill was passed with a few minor amendments.

BOER POWER COLLAPSING.

Persistent Rumors of Peace Overtures From the Transvaal.

London, March 10.—(4.15 a. m.)—Sir Michael Hicks-Beach, chancellor of the exchequer, when explaining to the bankers the terms of the new loan, gave them an intimation that the government considered the end of the war near. "Since the estimates were prepared," he said, "events have taken place that have changed the situation, and probably not all the money will be required." Whatever the government may know or intend unofficially, opinion seems everywhere to think that the Boer power is collapsing.

The eighth division has been under orders to embark for several weeks, but these orders, as far as the artillery contingent is concerned, have been recalled, Lord Roberts having reported that no more artillery from home is necessary. This is the first pause in reinforcements since the war began.

Sid Redvers Buller, second in command in the field, and Lord Wolseley are understood also to consider that no more artillery is needed. Lord Roberts has altogether 452 guns, including siege pieces. It is quite clear that Gen. Buller will not try anything large in the future, as he is to lose Sir Charles Warren and the latter's 10,000 men, who have been ordered to join Lord Roberts.

It is the expectation of the war office that Lord Roberts, notwithstanding the necessity of garrisoning his depots, will be able to operate a constantly increasing force until by the time the Transvaal frontier is reached he will have seventy thousand troops. His telegrams dealings with non-essentials are taken to mean that he is up to some mischief, as his apparent inactivity usually spells uncommon activity.

Mafeking, as a beleaguered town, attracts much sentiment and sympathy. Nothing has been heard from there since February 19th. There is a rumor this morning that Colonel Baden-Powell has been relieved, but this cannot be traced to any substantial basis.

Mississippi Anti-Trust Law.

JACKSON, Miss., March 12.—The senate tonight, by vote of 24 to 4, passed the house anti-trust bill, which is a second cousin to the Texas law. The bill makes all trusts and combines illegal, all contracts with such null and void, their agents punishable by heavy fine and imprisonment. No corporation is permitted to purchase or control another in the same business. Offending corporations are to forfeit their charters, and foreign concerns are to be barred from the state. Any person injured by a trust corporation may recover \$500.

A. R. De Fluente, editor of the Journal, Doyestown, Ohio, suffered for a number of years from rheumatism in his right shoulder and side. He says: "My right arm at times was entirely useless. I tried Chamberlain's Pain Balm, and was surprised to receive relief almost immediately. The Pain Balm has been a constant companion of mine ever since and it never fails." For sale by C. E. Holton, druggist.

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We will pay for Poplar \$250, and Maple \$500 per cord, delivered at the old McMahon Factory.

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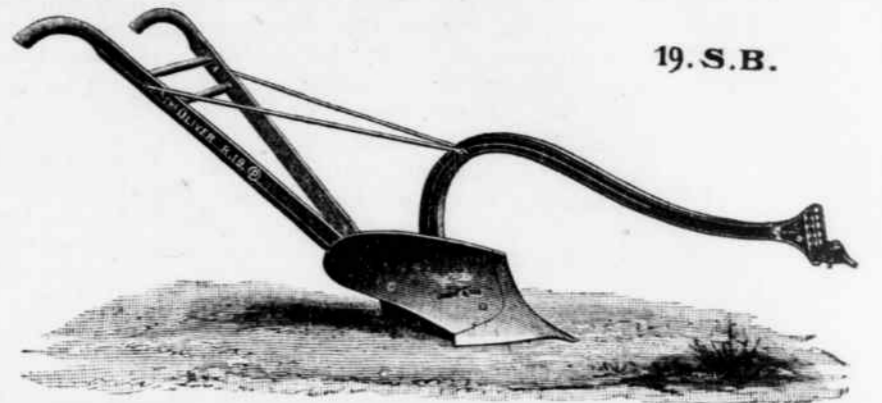
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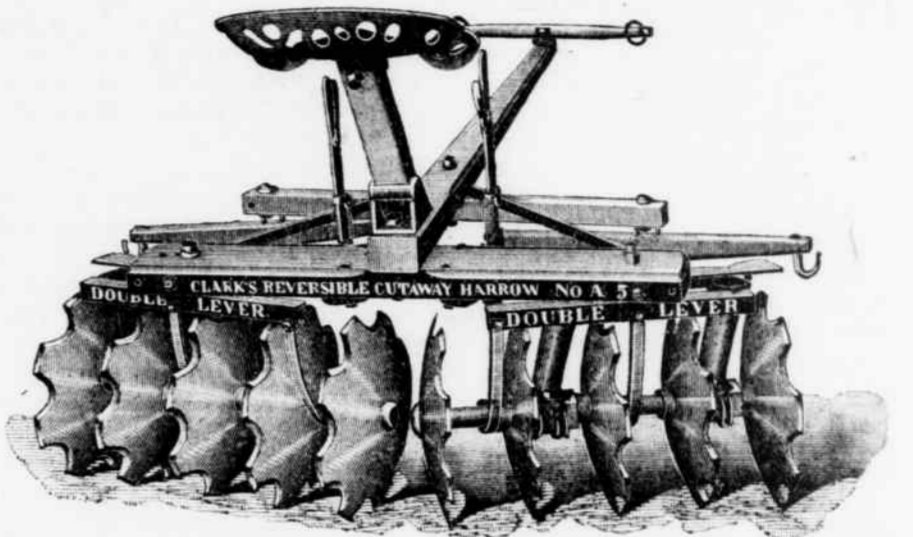
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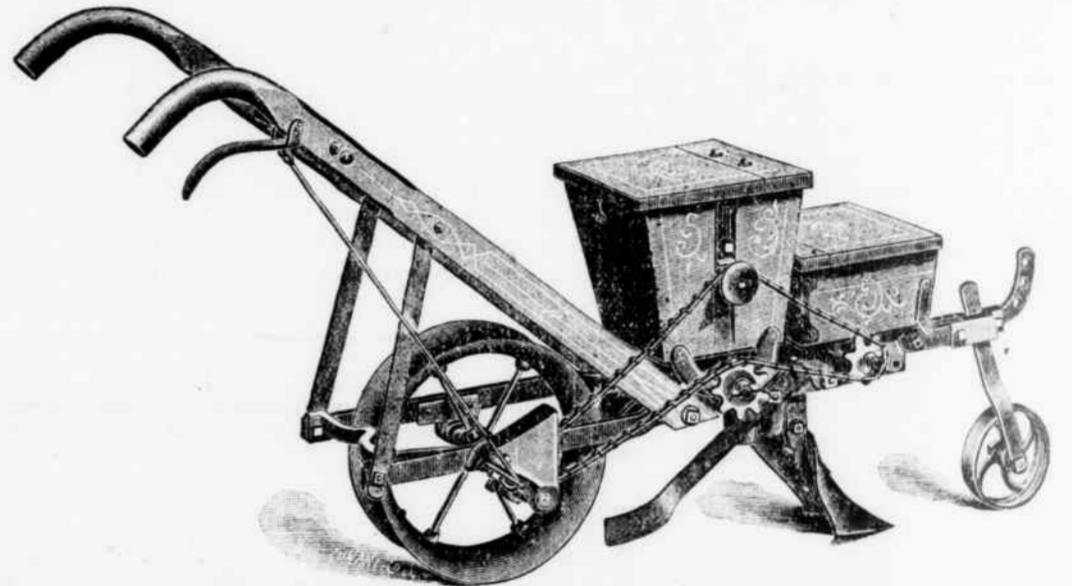
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NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS.

Matters of Interest Reported by Our Corps of Correspondents.

Brick Church Items.

Dr. Hartsell, of Lexington was here last Saturday.

We are glad to see Miss Espie Capp at home again. She has been teaching.

Mr. Sam Brown died of pneumonia last week. He leaves a wife and several children to mourn his death.

The public schools of this section are all closing, and it is said a very good average attendance goes with them all.

Mr. C. C. Barnhardt's address at the close of a public school here last week was one up-to-date. We have reasons to believe that the state will hear Mr. Barnhardt in the future.

The funerals of Mr. "Tine" Robertson's wife and son, both of whom recently died and were buried in Mt. Pleasant cemetery side by side, and at the same hour, will be preached at Low's church the fourth Sunday in this month by their pastor, Rev. Brown.

Mr. William Shoffner, whose illness was mentioned in our last week's letter, died on the 6th and was buried the 8th at Low's church, funeral services being conducted by Rev. Brown. Mr. Shoffner lived 74 years. He was a Confederate soldier and a christian man. He leaves many friends and relatives to mourn his departure.

Lego Items.

The Deep River Nurseries are shipping some trees.

Mr. J. S. Frederick is quite ill with smallpox and erysipelas.

We are glad to see Mr. Jesse A. Burney able to ride out again.

Mrs. D. S. Hodgins is among her many friends and relatives at Lego.

Mr. Arthur Jones, of this neighborhood, married a girl in Randolph last week.

Miss E. E. Simpson, now with her sister at Lego, is suffering from a severe cold.

We are glad to see the PATRIOT list increasing at this office. A good paper will grow.

The farmers now think that the weather will moderate and they will get some plowing done.

J. R. White will continue the nursery business of White & Dameron. Hope he will be successful.

We think that Mr. E. S. Jones has been one among the lucky this year. Two of his children have married since Christmas.

Mrs. S. R. Hanner, William Hanner, Mrs. A. E. Smith and William Smith paid a visit to their sister and nephew at this place last week.

We are sorry to note that Miss Sallie Bull is real sick of pneumonia. Her sister Effie came home Sunday on account of her illness.

We are sorry to say that Miss Bettie Wright, who has just recovered from an attack of pneumonia, is confined to her bed again.

McLeansville Items.

Mr. L. A. Burch, of Gibsonville, came up last Sunday to see his sister, Miss Julia.

Mr. E. D. C. Wilson is remodeling his saw mill this week, making the ground work entirely new.

A horse belonging to Mr. J. S. Phipps became frightened at the train and ran away, wrecking the buggy.

Mr. C. M. Montgomery, formerly of this place, but now of Ossipee cotton mills, came up last Friday to see his mother, who is in feeble health.

Miss Olive Ward met with what might have been a serious accident last Friday while returning from the Murphy school house, where she was employed as teacher. The horse she was riding became frightened and ran away, throwing her from the saddle. She luckily escaped serious injuries.

Mr. A. P. Whittington, of whom mention was made in the columns of the PATRIOT in the last issue, died at his home Saturday after a protracted illness. He was a devoted christian man whom all revered, and was a consistent member of Mt. Pleasant M. E. church, at which place he was buried Sunday.

Gibsonville Items.

Work on the new Masonic temple is expected to begin soon.

Marion Smith expects to move into his fine new residence in a few days.

Mr. A. C. Boon, who has been quite sick for the past two weeks, has so improved as to be able to sit up.

Rev. Kennett, president of the M. P. conference, preached in the Methodist church here Monday night.

The Lutherans held services in the Baptist church Sunday and Sunday night on account of work going on celling the Lutheran church.

A little neglect sometimes entails heavy loss. Saturday morning the engineer neglected the pump and let the boiler overflow, which caused some parts of the engine to get out of order in Hiawatha mills, and the result is a stoppage of several days, causing a damage of several hundred dollars.

Shaw's Mill Items.

The gentle breezes of spring are tapping at our door.

Mr. Alex Dick, of Greensboro, was here recently looking after his farm.

Mr. W. E. Phipps, of Greensboro, paid his parents a pleasant visit last Sunday.

Miss Beulah Dick, who is in school at the Normal, paid a short visit home recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Plute Huffines, from Elon College, visited her parents last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Dick, of Whitsett, spent a day here last week with relatives.

Mr. Joe Phipps, who has been assisting Dr. Gilmer in his store at McLeansville, is at home now.

Mr. A. P. Whittington departed this life Saturday evening and his remains were laid to rest in Mt. Pleasant cemetery on Sunday at 3 o'clock.

Jamestown Items.

Mr. J. S. Ragedale has been quite sick for a few days.

Mr. O. C. Benbow has been on the sick list for several days.

Mr. D. W. Moore is out again after an illness of several weeks.

Mr. M. E. Futrell and Mr. J. H. Smith attended quarterly meeting at Friendship Saturday.

Mrs. W. H. Ragan, of High Point; Miss Louise Palmer, Miss Pearl Phillips, Miss Linnie Keech and Mr. and Mrs. C. W. F. Filden, of Greensboro, have been among our recent visitors.

Whitsett Institute.

Whitsett Institute, Whitsett, N. C., is having an unusually prosperous year. The enrollment exceeds two hundred. Five new buildings have been added since the opening last August, thus giving about forty additional rooms for boarding, etc., and the outlook is that more rooms will be needed to meet the rapidly increasing demands of an enlarged patronage. This school was established in 1884 and has been under its present management for a dozen years. A beautiful village has sprung up around the school, and many families have been attracted to the place by its educational advantages. The school has been unable for some time to supply the demand for teachers and others prepared for business at Whitsett Institute.

Yellow Fever at Havana.

Washington, March 13.—H. J. Ormsby, of Wisconsin, who spent the last five months in Cuba as special agent of the War Department, said to-day that yellow fever is now and has been for some time past raging in Havana. He says reports of actual deaths from that disease are not allowed to go out.

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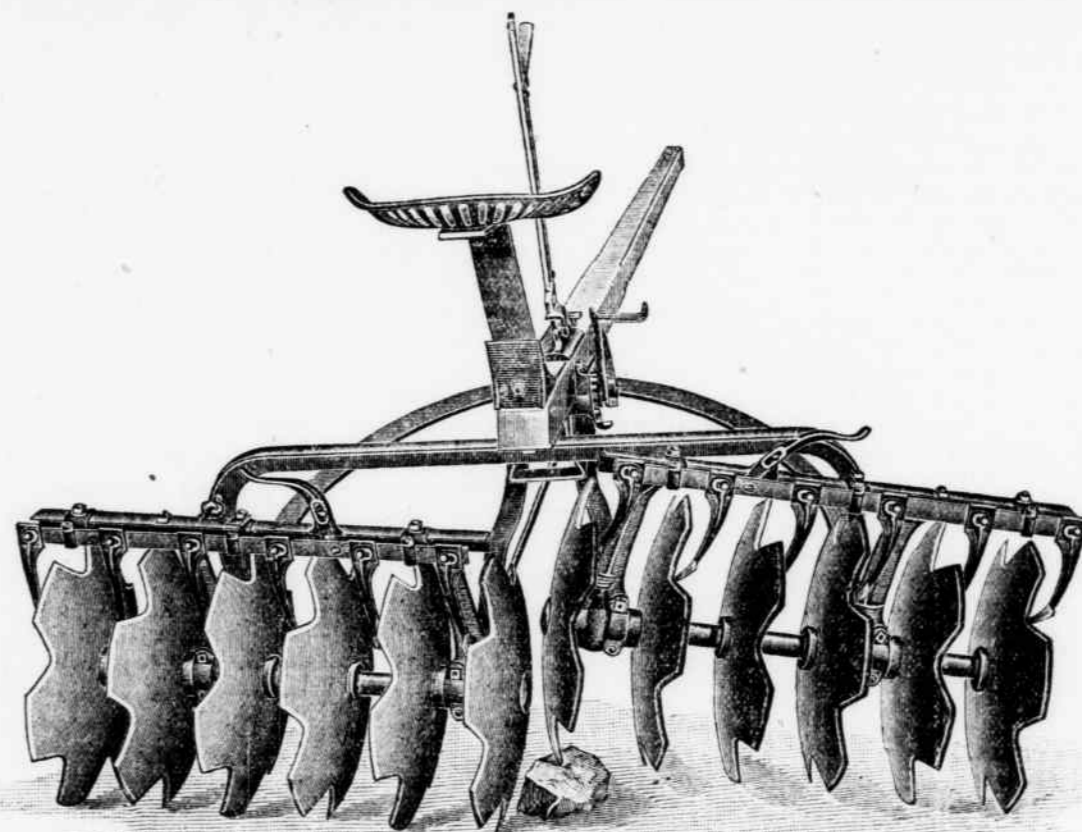
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And flung it forth on the empyrean free;
And Nature saw a star burst forth and be,
A throne of life and light divinely fair.
Then fell a raindrop in His hollow hand;
"Be thou its sovereign ocean!" murmured He;
And there arose a silver-turbaned sea
To frame the tropic glory of the land.
A spirit hovered near; He stayed its flight,
"Love, rule this life, and compass all the earth!"
And lovely Woman sprang to instant birth,
And where she reigns are joy and peace and right.
—C. E. Barnes in the Criterion.

Turns the Boers' Left.

With Ten Thousand Horsemen Roberts Forces Them to Retire.

London, March 8.—(4 a. m.)—Lord Roberts wired yesterday morning from Oostvaal in the evening from Poplar Grove, fourteen miles eastward. By an application of the elementary principle of strategy, the Boer positions, fifteen miles long across his path, have been emptied and their holders have been obliged to retire in confusion consequent upon hasty withdrawal.

Nothing was done by Lord Roberts to disturb the symmetry or the deadly ingenuity of the Boer trenches in front of him. He marched out with infantry estimated from the commands named at 30,000 men, and sent 10,000 horsemen and horse artillery in a bold sweep around the Boer left, whereupon the Boer centre and right became untenable. Fifty British fell when the cavalry came into contact with the Boers.

The correspondents differ as to enemy's strength. The Daily Mail's representative thinks the Boers number something more than 4,000. The Daily News man estimates them at 10,000. As these figures come from observers at headquarters, it is clear that Lord Roberts' force was overwhelmingly superior. He can scarcely have fewer than 45,000 immediately available, as the Guards brigade reached him from Lord Methuen Tuesday. Lord Methuen now commands only volunteers and the local forces at Kimberley, some of whom have gone toward Mafeking. The Boers do not yet appear to appreciate the mobility of Lord Roberts' corps, which was able to strike so swiftly in this affair that the enemy had to abandon a gun, much forage and a large quantity of camp equipment.

The Standard cautions Englishmen against "rising to a height of serene contentment which the actual position does not justify." It suggests that a large number of the Boers are still in a wild range of country, and although their morale is somewhat damaged, it would be too much to say that they will not stand again.

The Dutch rising in the northwestern district of Cape Colony, are the only cloudlet visible in the sky of British prospects.

The military authorities have decided that Gen. Cronje and the other Boer prisoners shall be sent immediately to the island of St. Helena, there to remain until the end of the war. Lord Roberts has chosen Lord Rathhurst, colonel of a militia regiment at the front, to command the escort to St. Helena, which was last month placed in cable communication with Capetown and London. It is also asserted that the cabinet has resolved neither to propose nor to entertain a proposal at the present juncture for an exchange of prisoners.

PORTO RICO'S DISTRESS.

Many People are Bordering on Starvation.

Washington, March 7.—Acting Secretary of War Mecklejohn received today another appeal from Gen. Davis, military governor of Porto Rico, for assistance for the islanders. General Davis' letter depicts an awful situation in the island. He says that workmen and their families, being without means to live, are drifting into towns and demanding food. In a report which he transmits it is said that a great many people are bordering on starvation. In the centre of the island there is nothing for the poor to eat, and the officer reports that unless assistance is given there will be an outbreak of lawlessness and sickness will prevail.

He recommends that he be given means to put 25,000 men at work for three months on the improvement of the roads. For this he says he will need, for labor, tools and supplies, about \$225,000 per month. He thinks that within three months, under this plan, the period of acute distress will be passed over without difficulty, and that then new industrial and economic conditions will exist.

We have saved many doctor bills since we began using Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in our home. We keep a bottle open all the time and whenever any of my family or myself begin to catch cold we begin to use the Cough Remedy, and as a result we never have to send away for a doctor and incur a large doctor bill, for Chamberlain's Cough Remedy never fails to cure. It is certainly a medicine of great merit and worth.—D. S. Meakle, General Merchant and Farmer, Mattie, Bedford county, Pa. For sale by C. E. Holton, druggist.

Meeting of Tobacco Growers' Association.

As a county meeting of the Tobacco Growers' Association will be held in Greensboro on the second Saturday in April, it is earnestly desired that township meetings should be held to appoint delegates to that meeting between now and the 14th of April. It is hoped that these meetings will be well attended and that good men will be chosen. Having put our hands to the plow, there should be no looking backward. Let us all recognize the fact that this is no child's play. The enemy to be overcome is vigilant, active, earnest, powerful, and the fight is to be won only by persistent, continuous, earnest, united action. Half hearted work will accomplish nothing. The American Tobacco Company fully understands that with the farmers united they will have no mean fight before them; they will spare no effort and will use every means in their power to hold their iron grasp upon the tobacco growers of this country. Like some gigantic python, they have been for some years tightening their folds about the unresisting tobacco growers of this country until the time has arrived that forbearance has ceased to be a virtue. At first the tobacco trust turned their attention only to the smoking grades of tobacco, and having succeeded in getting their own sweet will and stifling all competition, they became more grasping still. Now they have practical control of all growers of tobacco.

The prophetic eye of Solomon must have looked down the coming ages and seen the modern trusts that are swallowing up everything in their insatiable and unscrupulous greed for gain, when he penned those lines about the horse-leech's daughters, whose continual cry was "give, give." "There are three things," said he, "that are never satisfied, yea four things say not, it is enough: The grave and the barren womb; the earth that is not filled with water and the fire that saith not it is enough." Had he lived in these days he would have added the American Tobacco Company. Having crushed out all competition, they get our tobacco at their own prices, and will continue to do so as long as the farmers tamely submit to their high-handed oppression.

JOHN W. WHARTON, Pres.
Guilford County Association.

NEWS NOTES.

The Russian government is preparing to monopolize the petroleum industry.

Wilmington is making earnest efforts to secure the next session of the Teachers' Assembly.

Russia and Japan are now said to be working in harmony in Korea, yet both are arming for the future.

The state auditor is sending out the tax sheets, of which there are 33,000, to the various counties, and also the tax abstracts, of which there are 700,000.

Rear-Admiral G. C. Remy has been ordered to Manila to take command of the Asiatic squadron, succeeding Rear-Admiral Watson, who has been ordered home.

William Futch, colored, was killed at Topsail Sound, near Wilmington, a few days ago, by a tree falling on him. He cut the tree down and it fell on him, crushing his skull.

Republicans who voted for the bill to tax the Puerto Ricans bitterly regret it. Some of them admit that they dug their own political graves when they answered "aye" on the roll call.

The Salisbury Sun contains sixteen announcements of candidates. There is one for the legislature, five for register, five for sheriff, three for treasurer, one for cotton weigher and one for surveyor.

It is very hard to stand idly by and see our dear ones suffer while awaiting the arrival of the doctor. An Albany (N. Y.) dairyman called at a drug store there for a doctor to come and see his child, then very sick with croup. Not finding the doctor in, he left word for him to come at once on his return. He also bought a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, which he hoped would give some relief until the doctor should arrive. In a few hours he returned, saying the doctor need not come as the child was much better. The druggist, Mr. Otto Scholz, says the family has since recommended Chamberlain's Cough Remedy to their neighbors and friends until he has a constant demand for it from that part of the country. For sale by C. E. Holton, druggist.

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WELL FITTED TO VOTE.

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ed must fall with them." Or, as the point is put by Mr. Justice Matthews in *Poinsett vs. Greenhow* (114 U. S., 270, 304): "It is undoubtedly true that there may be cases where one part of a statute may be enforced as constitutional and another be declared inoperative and void, because unconstitutional; but these are cases where the parts are so distinctly separable that each can stand alone, and where the court is able to see and to declare that the intention of the legislature was that the part pronounced valid should be enforceable even though the other parts should fail. To hold otherwise would be to substitute for the law intended by the legislature, one they may never have been willing by itself to enact."

The court then cites *Sprague vs. Thompson* (118 U. S., 90, 95) to same effect. A constitutional amendment will be treated, if possible, with greater consideration, in order to ascertain the people's intentions, than an ordinary legislative act. I predict that no honorable man will ever assert that either the legislature or the people would have approved our amendment with the fifth section omitted.

I have referred to the above authority in order to cogently refute the main arguments generally made in North Carolina against it, when its enemies, abandoning other ground, appeal to the fears of the people, after first saying that (which we controvert) the fifth section is unconstitutional, by declaring that the other sections will stand without it.

Often when one attacks section 5 he wants no negroes disqualified, but if negroes are disqualified, he wants whites also disqualified. The unlettered white man has no worse enemy than he who on the one hand labors to prevent the disqualification of incompetent negroes by opposing the amendment, and on the other hand strives to disqualify unlettered white men, after its adoption, by insisting that section 5 is unconstitutional and shall not stand, and that the other sections shall stand, thus demanding at every turn that unlettered whites with greatly superior natural and acquired qualifications shall be forever chained to equality with unlettered negroes.

NOT AN ABRIDGING SECTION.

No one questions the constitutionality of the first four sections. Section 5, instead of denying or abridging the right to vote, expressly says the right to vote shall not be denied to certain ones on account of the lack of educational qualification. This section is an enlarging, not an abridging section, and its reasonable extension of suffrage to certain ones is because of the actual intelligence and fitness for suffrage universally known to be usually possessed by them.

Consider the effect of the amendment as a whole. It is admitted that after its adoption thousands of negroes will vote; not one could vote if the right to vote were denied to vote on account of his race. Thousands of living testimonials will contradict the assertion that it denies the right to vote on account of race, color, or previous condition of servitude.

An unlettered white man, thirty years of age, born of parents who came to our country after the civil war, will not be benefited by section 5, but his right to vote is not denied on account of his race or color. No man can say: "You require me to read and write before voting. I cannot read and write, therefore you deny my right to vote on account of my color."

In Massachusetts, in order for a negro to vote, he must be able to read and write. If he has this reasonable educational qualification he votes, otherwise he does not vote. Yet his color does not prevent his suffrage. It is his lack of education. Exactly the same will be his case under our amendment. Under it every negro can vote in North Carolina who could vote in Massachusetts, and also an additional class, those whose ancestors in any state could vote at any time prior to 1867. He may be coal black, of the humblest race, and may have been a slave, yet if he has the reasonable qualifications prescribed, without effort at denial he will vote. If the amendment denied the right to vote on account of race, color, or servitude, then a former negro slave could not vote, though he might be the wisest and most highly educated man in the state.

VAST DIFFERENCE IN FITNESS.

Between the great mass of unlettered ones, who, or whose ancestors, could vote prior to 1867, and the great mass of the unlettered ones who or whose ancestors could not then vote, there is a real and vast difference in capacity, in fitness, in intellectual and moral

force, in information, in love of home and country, in aspiration, in all that makes competence for good suffrage. It is a deep, time-proven, unmistakable, unchangeable difference, known to all men.

The position of those who oppose the amendment assumes that there is no difference in fitness for suffrage between the unlettered whites as a class who will vote under it and the unlettered negroes as a class who will not vote under it, and that the only difference between them is race and color. Those who will may contend that the unlettered negro is the unlettered white man's equal in this respect, but the advocates of this amendment stand for the white man's superiority. The constitution does not forbid our position. Present conditions demand it, and its results will vindicate it.

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Representative Kitchin has received notice that he is entitled to an appointment at West Point, which must be made by July 1st. The young men in the fifth district, between the age of 16 and 21 years, who desire to apply, should write Mr. Kitchin at once. Only applicants who are strong physically and bright mentally need apply. Congressman Kitchin will shortly announce an examination and will appoint the youth who stands the best examination.

A Word to Doctors

We have the highest regard for the medical profession. Our preparations are not sold for the purpose of antagonizing them, but rather as an aid. We lay it down as an established truth that internal remedies are positively injurious to expectant mothers. The distress and discomforts experienced during the months preceding childbirth can be alleviated only by external treatment—by applying a liniment that softens and relaxes the over-strained muscles. We make and sell such a liniment, combining the ingredients in a manner hitherto unknown, and call it

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To those who have never sold with us, we will say: If you will bring us or ship us some of your crop this season, we will prove to you that we will be to your interest to patronize us in the future, as our efforts to obtain for you the very highest prices shall not be surpassed by anyone on this or any other market.

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LOCAL NEWS ITEMS.

[Deferred from last week.]

—Mr. E. D. Hines, a good citizen of Madison township, died early this morning.

—Clark's cutaway harrow has eight scallops to the disc. All others have six. M. G. NEWELL & Co.

—Dr. J. H. Haizlip, formerly of Brown Summit, has moved from Forest City to New Gascony, Ark.

—Fertilizer.—200 pound sack for \$1.25. GIBSONVILLE STORE CO., 7-4t. Gibsonville, N. C.

—George Culbert, colored, was arrested last night for stealing an overcoat from a graded school building.

—Call on W. F. Clegg & Bro. They have the finest seed potatoes on the market and are selling them at wholesale prices. 10-2t.

—Dr. George A. Mebane, of this city, has been appointed a member of the executive committee of the State Fair Association.

—The capacity of the Pomona Terra Cotta Company has been considerably increased by the addition of a lot of new machinery.

—J. Henry Shaw, or "Bud" Shaw, as people best know him, is at home from Pittsburg, Pa., on a visit, accompanied by his wife and child.

—Mr. B. B. Burns, of Asheville, has leased the Jarrell hotel, at High Point, of Mr. N. H. Slaughter, who will manage a hotel at Lexington.

—The Surry Journal, published at Pilot Mountain by Mr. J. G. Pepper, is being moved to Winston, where it will have a much better field.

—We have just received a large shipment of riding saddles, bridles and blankets. We can please you. M. G. NEWELL & Co.

—The Western Union Telegraph Company now has two offices in this city, having this week fitted up an office in the McDade House.

—The F. S. Royster Guano Company, of Norfolk, Va., and Tarboro, N. C., advertise Farmers' Bone Fertilizer and Orinoco guano in the PATRIOT.

—Capt. E. L. Gilmer, who went to the Philippines some time ago, has been placed in command of a United States military post on the island of Mindanao.

—Mr. D. G. Devenish, a former resident of this city, but who is now engaged in the cotton manufacturing business at Asheville, came down Friday on business.

—For Sale.—Two registered Jersey cows. Will be fresh this spring. For terms and particulars apply to L. M. STEWART, 9-3t. Guilford College, N. C.

—Solicitor Brooks has moved his law office into the rooms formerly occupied by King & Kimball, on the second floor of the Mendenhall building. The rooms have been refitted and neatly furnished.

—Notice.—We do not wish to buy any more wrought scrap or plow steels. Will continue to buy old castings. G. T. GLASSCOCK & SONS, Greensboro, N. C.

—Cards have been issued for the marriage of John Eugene Shaw, formerly of this city, and Miss Irma Page, of Danville, Va., which will take place on Thursday evening, March 15.

—150 cutaway harrows in stock at M. G. Newell & Co.'s; 14, 16, 18 and 20-inch disc. Prices are "hot stuff," \$16, \$18 and \$20 and in nine styles. Solid disc harrows one dollar less. All discs guaranteed not to break. tf

—The office of the Evening Telegram is to be moved into the rooms formerly occupied by O'Connor's bakery, one door south of the postoffice. An addition will be built in the rear of the building for composing and press rooms.

—The Asheville Courier says that C. C. Randleman has been elected superintendent of the Randleman Manufacturing Company and the Plaidville Manufacturing Company, at Randleman, to succeed the late Col. J. O. Pickard.

—Liberty correspondence Asheville Courier: Mr. H. L. Scott, of Greensboro, is here this week shipping hickory and white oak. They have shipped more timber from here this winter than ever before and it is said the quality is of the best.

—The Sergeant Manufacturing Company has the material on the ground with which to replace their building destroyed by fire on January 1st. A two-story brick building, 48 by 144 feet, will be erected, with an office building a short distance off.

—Wanted.—Purchasers for new or second hand iron safes, vault doors, etc. We exchange large for small safes, will buy your second hand safes for cash. We put on new combination locks and do all kind of expert repair work. Our prices are the lowest. O. B. BARNES & Co., Greensboro, N. C.

Federal Court Jurors.

The following are the jurors for the April term of the United States Circuit and District courts, which will convene in Greensboro on the first Tuesday in April:

Guilford County—Mike Holt, Wm. H. Edwards, Andrew Murray, Wilson Holmes, col., O. F. Hanner, Greensboro; Anthony Ingle, McLeansville; S. A. Lowrey, Oak Ridge; J. K. Moore, Brown Summit; Henry Cude, Guilford College; James E. Bowman, Friendship; S. E. Hodgkin, Sumner; John Starr, Shaw's Mill.

Rockingham—J. M. Hopkins, D. W. Johnson, Reidsville; Numa Reid, Wentworth; P. D. Waynick, Thompsonville; Jas. P. Garrett, Matrimony; P. H. Simpson, Simpson's Store.

Randolph—W. C. Hinshaw, A. A. Steed, Randleman; D. S. Davis, New Market; E. N. Brown, Bombay; J. B. Carter, Hill's Store; J. L. Cox, Ralph.

Davidsen—J. R. Greer, Silver Hill; S. W. Wall, Wallburg; Jas. Hargrave, col., John Earnhart, Lexington; R. C. Whirlow, Arnold; R. E. Hedrick, McKee.

Stokes—R. A. Brown, Wilson's Store; J. G. H. Mitchell, Dillard; B. A. Overby, Smith; Jos. W. Bowman, German-ton.

Forsyth—Will Wagoner, Lewisville; F. E. Keeland, Salem; T. M. Marshall, Salem Chapel; Theodore Davis, Flat Branch.

Alamance—Pleas Harden, Big Falls; E. M. Holt, Hartshorn; W. H. Bason, Swepsonville; G. T. Hurdle, McCray.

Orange—Felix Wilson, Hillsboro; D. A. Clayton, University; S. J. Hall, Prospect Hill; G. C. Ray, Hillsboro.

Yadkin—H. W. Fleming, D. M. Holcombe, Wm. S. Gough, H. N. Doub.

Wilkes—T. J. Gilreath, Thos. P. Parlear, A. A. Parks, T. L. Barlow.

—Capt. B. J. Fisher has sold his elegant home at Asheville to G. C. Shaffer, of New York city, for a handsome consideration. Capt. Fisher is said to have spent about \$50,000 in improvements within the past few years, making it one of the most desirable homes in the state. For the past year or more he has resided with his family in Washington city, and we understand that he will make that his permanent home.

He Fooled the Surgeons.

All doctors told Benick Hamilton, of West Jefferson, O., after suffering 18 months from Rectal Fistula, he would die unless a costly operation was performed; but he cured himself with Bucklen's Arnica Salve, the best in the World. Surest Pile cure on Earth. 25c a box, at Holton's Drug Store.

—Appeals from the Fifth district were taken up in the Supreme court yesterday. The case of Garsed vs. City of Greensboro, involving the constitutionality of the dispensary act, was argued by Bynum & Bynum and J. N. Staples for the plaintiff, and by A. M. Scales, A. L. Brooks and John N. Wilson for the defendant. It is not known when an opinion in the case will be handed down.

—We sell one make of harrows, Clark's; one make of plows, Syracuse; one make of mowers and binders, McCormick, and always keep repairs in full for all. M. G. NEWELL & Co.

NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS.

Matters of Interest Reported by Our Corps of Correspondents.

[Deferred from last week.]

Brown Summit Items.

Miss Nannie Motley is visiting friends and relatives here.

Mr. J. H. McNeill's new residence is nearing its completion.

Mrs. Dr. Battle, who has been visiting Mrs. Cardeza, returned to Greensboro last week.

Mrs. Mary E. Small returned to Greensboro Saturday after spending a week with her mother, Mrs. Thacker.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Doggett went to Reidsville last week to attend the funeral of Mrs. Doggett's father, Mr. Motley.

'Squire J. Richard Moore is fast making for himself the reputation as the "marrying J. P." of this township. Last week he united in matrimony Mr. Eddie Green and Miss Callie Gordon, and this week J. F. Carrell and Miss Dora Pinkilton, with others in prospect.

Crystal Items.

Mr. W. C. Shepard has about completed his new shop.

Mr. David Layton, living near here, who has been sick some time with the smallpox, is convalescent.

Rev. G. F. Millaway preached at Pleasant Union Sunday from the text, "Draw nigh to God, and he will draw nigh to you. Cleanse your hands, ye sinners; and purify your hearts, ye doubleminded."—James 4:8. The sermon was very interesting and helpful.

Miss Epie Clapp closed her school near here Friday on account of the excitement over smallpox and will teach the remainder of the term in the summer. She has taught here two winters, giving the greatest satisfaction, and our people regret to give her up even temporarily.

IN MEMORIAM.

Mrs. David Wharton, nee Rachel D. Donnell, departed this life Feb. 27th, 1900, at her husband's home, near Greensboro, N. C., in the 74th year of her age. During the past year she had been quite sick from time to time. Towards the end her suffering was very severe, rendering her unconscious for the last two days of her life on earth.

She was the second wife of David Wharton, having married him in June, 1881, who is now in the 97th year of his age, and is, perhaps, the oldest citizen of Guilford county. She was also the sister of Thos. B. and Wm. H. Donnell, a sister and a brother having gone before her across the river.

She had long been a most worthy member of Buffalo church, having joined that church during the ministry of Dr. Eli W. Caruthers. Her name stood third upon the roll, the two preceding hers being those of her husband and a brother.

She was indeed a devoted wife, constantly and faithfully attending unto the wants of her aged partner in life. She never left those duties to be discharged by others, until obliged by the ravages of her disease. She bore her sickness with true christian resignation unto the Lord's will. Death did not take her unawares, she having set her house in order many years ago. When the bridegroom came she had her lamp trimmed and burning and went forth to meet him. She is doubtless now among the inhabitants of that city where they never say: "I am sick."

"Blessed are the dead which die in the Lord."

PASTOR.

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That is the way all druggists sell GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC for Chills, Fever and Malaria. It is simply Iron and Quinine in a palatable form. Children love it. Adults prefer it to bitter nauseating tonics. Price, 50c.

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Order at Once!

As this offer is made to close out these fine varieties, and only holds good until the supply is exhausted.

Catalog price.

1 Early Harvest Pear.....	\$1.00	\$1.00
1 Japan Plum.....	75	75
2 Sum. Pearmain Apples.....	25	50
2 Stump Apples.....	25	50
2 Lowe Apples.....	50	1.00
2 Connets So. E. Peaches.....	50	1.00
2 Emma Peaches.....	50	1.00
2 New Prolific Peaches.....	50	1.00
1 Greensboro Peach.....	50	50
Total.....	\$7.25	
Discount.....	5.00	

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You cannot afford to miss this chance of trying these fine varieties at this price.

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Greensboro Nurseries,
Greensboro, N. C.

Notice of First Meeting of Creditors.

In the District Court of the United States for the Western District of North Carolina.

IN BANKRUPTCY.

In the matter of Parnell C. Cowling, bankrupt.

To the Creditors of Parnell C. Cowling, of Greensboro, in the county of Guilford and district aforesaid, a bankrupt.

Notice is hereby given that on the 26th day of February, A. D. 1900, the said Parnell C. Cowling was duly adjudicated bankrupt; and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held at the U. S. Marshal's office in Greensboro, N. C., on the 17th day of March, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

This March 3rd, 1900.

J. R. McGRARY,
Referee in Bankruptcy.

Executrix's Notice.

Having qualified before the clerk of the Superior court of Guilford county as executrix of the estate of Minerva T. Mendenhall, deceased, I hereby notify all persons having claims against the said estate to present them to me on or before the 21st of February, 1901, for payment or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery, and all persons owing the estate are requested to make immediate payment.

This February 17th, 1900.

8-6t MARY M. HOBBS, Executrix.

Administrator's Notice.

Having qualified as administrator of the estate of Sallie P. McNairy, deceased, I hereby notify all persons having claims against said estate to present them to me on or before the 7th day of March 1901, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please come forward and make immediate payment.

This 3rd day of March, 1900.

10-6 W. C. DAVIS, Administrator.

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Yours truly,
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We desire to announce to our friends of Guilford and surrounding counties that we have assumed management of the old reliable Banner and that we will be glad to serve you at any time day or night.

We have an excellent corps of buyers, who are wielding their united efforts for the best interest of the market. They have almost unlimited orders. Our manufacturers are daily increasing their output. They want your tobacco; and no farmer need hesitate in bringing his tobacco to the Banner, for he may be sure of getting as high prices as can be had anywhere.

Our accommodations are unsurpassed. We are well prepared at the Banner in every way to handle your tobacco and to take care of you and your team. Our auctioneer, Bill Brandon, and our entire force are men of experience—know what your interests are and will work hard for you every time. Give us a trial on your next lot—every pile shall bring its full market value. Drive in at the Banner, you are always welcome.

Your friends,

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We have it—all kinds—Framing, Weatherboarding, Flooring, Ceiling, also the best heart rived Cypress and Juniper and sawed Pine Shingles.

Sash, Doors and Blinds in stock. Door and Window Frames, Mantels, Stair-work and all kinds of house finish made to order.

If you are going to build anything from a hen house to a mansion come to see us. We can fix you up and the price will be right.

Our country friends will find they can reach our yards from the center of town by crossing fewer railroads than any other. Come to see us.

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JOHN A. HODGIN, Secretary and Treasurer, Greensboro, N. C.

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If you wish to save money on School Books, come to see us. We carry in stock a large supply of new and second-hand books, and will buy your old second-hand books if they are in good condition. We also have Slates, Tablets, Pencil, Stationery, Ink, etc.

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Nov. 19, 1899.

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P. M. A. M.	P. M. A. M.
4 45 8 00 Lv. Winston	Ar. 9 50 9 00
5 23 8 43 Lv. Walnut Cove	Ar. 9 05 8 18
5 53 9 18 Lv. Madison	Ar. 8 25 7 43
5 56 9 23 Lv. Mayodan	Ar. 8 22 7 41
6 55 10 30 Lv. Martinsville	Ar. 7 15 6 40
..... 1 10 Ar. Roanoke	Lv. 4 35

WESTBOUND. LEAVE ROANOKE DAILY.

5.10 a. m. (Vestibuled Limited) for Bristol and intermediate points, and Knoxville and Chattanooga, all points South and West. Pullman Sleepers to Memphis and New Orleans.

4.23 p. m. for Bluefield, Pocahontas, Kenov, Columbus and Chicago and all points west. Pullman Sleepers from Roanoke to Columbus, also for Radford, Bristol, Knoxville, Chattanooga and intermediate points. Pullman Sleeper Roanoke to Knoxville.

NORTH AND EASTBOUND LEAVE ROANOKE DAILY.

1.50 p. m. for Petersburg, Richmond and Norfolk.

1.52 p. m. for Washington, Hagerstown, Philadelphia and New York.

12.05 a. m. for Richmond and Norfolk, Pullman Sleeper Roanoke to Norfolk and Lynchburg to Richmond.

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DURHAM DIVISION—DAILY EXCEPT SUNDAY.

P. M. A. M.	P. M. A. M.
4 45 7 00 Lv. Durham	Ar. 9 15 9 35
6 07 8 16 Lv. Roxboro	Ar. 7 48 8 16
6 37 8 45 Lv. Denniston	Ar. 7 15 7 45
6 55 9 12 Ar. South Boston	Ar. 6 55 7 25
..... 11 45 Ar. Lynchburg	Lv. 4 10

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WEDNESDAY, MAR. 14, 1900.

LOCAL NEWS ITEMS.

—Buy B. B. B's from C. C. Town-
send. 11-27.

—Sell your tobacco at the Banner
warehouse.

—Mr. E. G. Brothers, of Julian, was
one of our callers yesterday.

—We lead in everything in our line.
M. G. NEWELL & CO.

—Mrs. Laura Fields Hodgkin came
up from Raleigh last week on a short
visit.

—Fertilizer.—200 pound sack for
\$1.25. GIBSONVILLE STORE CO.,
7-11. Gibsonville, N. C.

—Mrs. J. Willie Smith was quite ill
the first of the week, but has since im-
proved.

—Rev. T. F. McCulloch, of Oakdale,
was a welcome caller at the PATRIOT
office last week.

—Siler City Messenger: Mr. John
W. Shields and family moved to
Greensboro last Tuesday.

—Sales at the Banner warehouse
have been very satisfactory this week.
See change of ad. next week.

—Two cars of pure seed potatoes, for
sale this week and next. Call on us.
10-27. W. F. CLEGG & BRO.

—Mr. R. S. Petty has on exhibition
at M. G. Newell & Co.'s store a curios-
ity in the shape of a four-leg chicken.

—Mr. D. H. Blair, one of the Odell
Hardware Company's salesmen, lost
his purse, containing about \$20, on the
street Saturday.

—Mrs. Thomas Wood, a sister-in-law
of Rev. Dr. F. H. Wood, of this city,
died at her home at Trinity, Randolph
county, last Thursday.

—Mr. Walter Greene has been ap-
pointed a state fertilizer inspector. He
went to Raleigh a few days ago to en-
ter upon the duties of his position.

—Mr. James Summers, a well known
citizen, died at his home four miles
north of Greensboro Saturday. He
had been in feeble health for some
time.

—Mr. Aaron Wright, father of Mr.
John B. Wright of this city, died last
Thursday at his home in Montgomery
county. He had been in feeble health
for some time.

—Townsend is not the only car load
dealer in Greensboro, but he has in
stock over twenty carloads of vehicles
and farm machinery, most of it bought
before the rise. 11-27.

—Wanted.—To lease 8 or 10 horse-
power engine, with privilege of buying
at expiration of lease if satisfactory.
CLAPP & CO.,
Gibsonville, N. C.

—Albert Ryan, the negro who was
last week arrested at Julian for raising
a check from five to twenty-five dol-
lars, was given a preliminary hearing
here Thursday and committed to jail.

—Superintendent Bergmann has se-
cured two young blood hounds of the
genuine breed which he is training at
the county convict camp. They give
promise of developing into valuable
hounds.

—Mr. J. N. Longest has been given
the contract for the erection of Mr. D.
R. Huffines' railroad eating house at
the Southern passenger station. It
will be the handsomest railroad eating
house in the South.

What's Your Face Worth?

Sometimes a fortune, but never, if
you have a sallow complexion, a jaun-
diced look, moth patches and blotches
on the skin, all signs of Liver Trouble.
But Dr. King's New Life Pills give
Clear Skin, Rosy Cheeks, Rich Com-
plexion. Only 25 cents at Holton's
Drug Store.

—A large number of cases of small-
pox are reported from Reidsville, about
forty of which are among the opera-
tives of the Edna cotton mills. There
have been two deaths. Compulsory
vaccination is being enforced.

—Dr. L. A. Phipps, of Danville, this
county, offers his professional services
to the people of Guilford, as will be
seen by his card in another column.
He is a graduate in both medicine and
dentistry, and has practiced many years.

—Mr. D. R. Harry has returned
from the northern markets, where he
bought an immense stock of goods for
his popular firm—Harry-Belk Brothers
Company. Don't fail to read their
ad. in the PATRIOT if you wish to se-
cure some attractive bargains.

—The Northwestern Grass Twine
Co.'s American matting, made of
Western prairie grass and strong cot-
ton twine, is now sold in this city by
Thacker & Brockmann, who are mak-
ing a specialty of carpets, mattings
and floor coverings of all kinds.

—Mr. D. P. Lemons, of Rockingham
county, and Miss Martha Pegram, of
Stokesdale, were married at the home
of the bride's parents last Wednesday
afternoon. The ceremony was per-
formed by Rev. P. E. Parker. May
happiness attend them through life.

—Most anybody will tell you that
"shoes are up some," but you don't
have to pay advanced prices at our
store yet awhile. We put in a large
stock at old prices and will be able to
sell at old prices for some time to come.
THACKER & BROCKMANN.

—The Greensboro Ice and Coal Com-
pany is making extensive improve-
ments on its plant with a view to doing
an increased amount of business dur-
ing the coming season. A new ma-
chine with a capacity of fifty tons a
day has been installed in the ice factory.

—Col. S. H. Boyd has retired from
the insurance firm of Boyd, Waddell &
Co. and will hereafter devote his entire
attention to the business of the South-
ern Bobbin Company, of which he is
secretary and treasurer. Waddell &
Co. will continue the insurance busi-
ness.

—Mrs. N. C. Brandon, of Newton,
died Sunday at Yanceyville, where she
and her husband were visiting rela-
tives. Mr. Brandon is well known in
Greensboro, where he was engaged for
some time in the drug business. They
had been married less than twelve
months.

—As spring approaches the ladies
become interested in dress goods, laces,
embroideries, etc., for spring and sum-
mer wear. A reading of Johnson &
Dorsett's advertisement in the PATRIOT
may help you solve the problem as to
where the best goods may be bought at
the most satisfactory prices.

—The stockholders of the Guilford
Lumber Company held their annual
meeting Monday afternoon and went
over the business of the past year,
which has been most satisfactory. C.
A. Reynolds and W. D. Mendenhall
were re-elected president and secretary
and treasurer, respectively.

—Prof. Collier Cobb, of the chair of
Geology of the University of North
Carolina, will deliver an illustrated
lecture upon his recent visit to the
great wonder-land of the Yellowstone
National Park region, at Whitsett In-
stitute at 8 p. m., Saturday, March 17th.
Admission free, and the public cordial-
ly invited.

—Dr. R. H. Lewis, of Raleigh, secre-
tary of the state board of health, was
called to Reidsville Saturday to in-
vestigate the smallpox situation at that
place. The disease has been of such a
mild form that the physicians have
been unable to agree as to its genui-
ness, but Dr. Lewis very readily pro-
nounced it smallpox.

—The next state convention of the
Young Men's Christian Association
will be held in this city April 5th-8th.
A large number of delegates from all
sections of the state will be in attend-
ance and a pleasant session is antici-
pated. Sunday, April 1st, will be ob-
served as a special day of prayer for
the young men of North Carolina.

—The annual meeting of the Guil-
ford branch of the Farmers' Mutual
Fire Insurance Association was held
in the court house Saturday. The as-
sociation has prospered during the
past year and is now in good shape.
The official report of the meeting, to-
gether with the report of the secretary
and treasurer, will appear in the next
issue of the PATRIOT.

—Next week the Greensboro Hard-
ware Company will give you some
strong and convincing talk on the sub-
ject of plows. This firm has the ex-
clusive control in this territory of the
Chattanooga chilled plows, which are
not controlled by any trust or combine,
and from the way they are being sold
it appears that the farmers are well
acquainted with their merits.

A Fiendish Attack.

An attack was lately made on C. F.
Collier, of Cherokee, Iowa, that nearly
proved fatal. It came through his kid-
neys. His back got so lame he could
not stoop without great pain, nor sit in
a chair except propped by cushions.
No remedy helped him until he tried
Electric Bitters, which effected such a
wonderful change that he writes he
feels like a new man. This marvelous
medicine cures backache and kidney
trouble, purifies the blood and builds
up your health. Only 50c at Holton's
Drug Store.

Somehow or Other

Our trade on "Health Foods" has got-
ton to be enormous. We are shipping
these goods now in all directions over
the state. Merchants can save money
by buying their "Wheat Hearts," "Vi-
tos," "Grape Nuts," "Granose Flakes,"
"Granose Biscuits," "Shredded Wheat,"
"Quaker Oats," "Postum Cereal," etc.,
etc., of us. We get these goods direct
from the manufacturers and sell at
their prices. We also keep all the
above goods for sale on our retail
counters. J. W. SCOTT & CO.

—While in an intoxicated condition
one night last week Luke Burgess, a
married man of Proximity, went to a
house of ill fame in the eastern section
of the city and became engaged in a
row with two of the inmates, cutting
them both with a pocket knife. The
arm of one of the women was laid open
to the bone, while the other's throat
was cut. Neither of the wounds proved
serious. Burgess has left town to
escape arrest.

—Yesterday the Supreme court hand-
ed down an opinion in the case of Gar-
sed vs. Greensboro, a suit brought to
test the constitutionality of the dispen-
sary act. The decision of the Superior
court is affirmed and the dispensary
stands.

**No crop can
grow with-
out Potash.**

Every blade of
Grass, every grain
of Corn, all Fruits
and Vegetables
must have it. If
enough is supplied
you can count on a full crop—
if too little, the growth will be
"scrubby."

Send for our books telling all about composition
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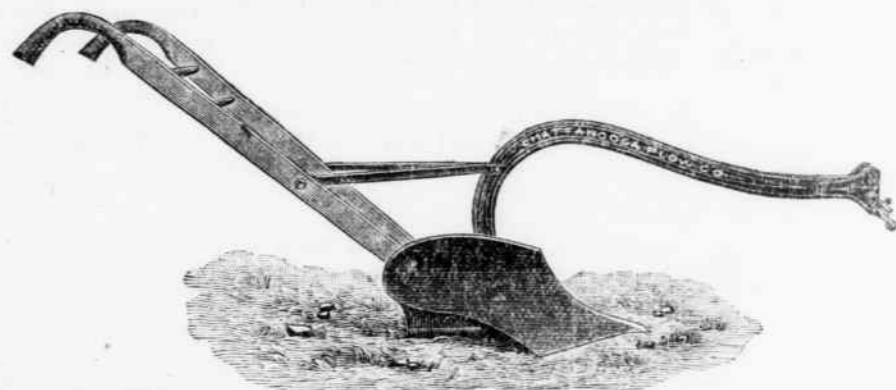
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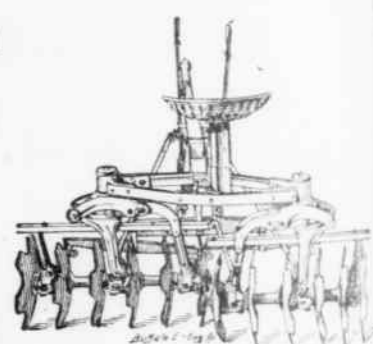
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