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## LOCAL NEWS ITEMS.

—Alamance court is in session at Graham this week.

—Mrs. W. J. Blackburn is at Benson visiting her husband.

—Mr. Frank Erwin is here from Washington on a short vacation.

—A lot of kegs, egg crates and coops to be closed out. ZEB V. CLEGG.

—Several horses have arrived and are in training for the races at the fair.

—Farm work in Guilford is progressing nicely since the rains have ceased falling almost daily.

—The board of United States examining pension surgeons is in session today at the McAdoo House.

—The Odell Hardware Company advertises the South Bend Chilled plow, made in right and left hand.

—Good seed wheat for sale, also a milk cow. P. L. GROOMER, Greensboro, N. C.

—Railroad travel is unusually heavy just now on account of the opening of schools and colleges throughout the state.

—The Greensboro Electric Company has placed an order for three 300 horse-power engines for use in its electric plant.

—Mr. W. E. Bevil and daughter Miss Dora, left yesterday on a trip to Buffalo, N. Y., and nearby Canadian cities.

—Mr. John B. Fariss has returned from a pleasant trip to Buffalo, Atlantic City and other places of interest in the north.

—Mayor Osborn has gone to Richmond on a short business trip. In his absence Alderman Joyner is performing the duties of mayor.

—Mrs. R. R. King is entertaining two charming guests, Miss Margaret Breard, of Louisiana, and Miss Hattie Holcomb, of Virginia.

—Mr. W. G. Lewis, one of the Greensboro mail carriers, is in Chattanooga attending a meeting of the National Association of Letter Carriers.

—The Brown Dry Goods Company is getting in a new fall stock of dry goods, shoes, etc. You are invited to inspect these goods before purchasing.

—Judge John Gray Bynum and Prof. Clarence Brown are among those who have recently returned from Buffalo and the famous watering places north.

—Dr. Howard's tasteless chill tonic is a guaranteed cure for chills and fevers. It is sold at Gardner's drug store, on the corner opposite the post-office.

—Mr. and Mrs. Z. V. Taylor have returned from an extended bridal tour. While away they visited New York, Buffalo, Montreal, Quebec and other points of interest.

—Brigadier General Robert Williams, step-father of Judge R. M. Douglas, died recently in Plainfield, N. J., of apoplexy. He was a native of Virginia and was seventy-two years old.

—Miss Susie Stone, who is well known in this city, will be married in Charlotte, at the home of her brother, Mr. Joseph J. Stone, this evening to Mr. Harry Matthews, of Richmond, Va.

—The prospects for a successful fair in October grow brighter. The executive committee and board of directors held a meeting last night and found that everything was progressing most satisfactorily.

—The record for the past year shows a most gratifying increase in the value of property for taxation in Greensboro, the increase amounting to \$700,000. This means an increase in the tax receipts of about \$9,000.

—Mr. Charles P. Coble, a son of Mr. D. H. Coble, of Tabernacle, left Monday for Columbia, S. C., to teach in the public schools of that city. Mr. Coble is a graduate of the University of North Carolina and is a bright young man.

—Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Lyon have announced the marriage of their popular and attractive young daughter, Miss Minnie, and Mr. Frank Leak. The happy event will be celebrated in the First Presbyterian church next Wednesday evening.

—Clara, the ten-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wyrick, died at the home of her parents in this city Saturday. She had been ill with typhoid fever for a month. The remains were carried to Mt. Hope church Sunday for interment.

—For Sale—Eighty acres good farming land, a quarter of a mile south of Guilford College station, on the High Point and Guilford College roads. Well watered and good bottom land. About twenty acres in cultivation. Apply to J. H. Edgerton, Guilford, N. C.

—Chief of Police Scott says he has so far sold about 300 dog tax checks, which is a great increase over any previous year. Still there are many owners of dogs who have not paid the tax of one dollar per dog. Warrants are being issued for all violators of the law in this respect.

—John Johnson, colored, was shot and seriously wounded Saturday night by another negro, Walter Penn. The affair occurred on Lewis street and was the result of a dispute over a debt of ten cents. After the shooting Penn, who is regarded as a bad negro, left and has not since been seen.

—Mrs. Sallie Scales Galloway, a sister of Governor A. M. Scales and Col. J. I. Scales, died at her home in Reidsville Tuesday night of last week. She had been in bad health for several months and her death was not unexpected. She is survived by a husband, four daughters and four sons.

—The railroads will give a reduced rate of one first-class fare, plus 50 cents for one admission into the fair, for the Central Carolina fair. The rates will apply to all points in North Carolina and to intermediate points in Virginia. The tickets will be on sale October 5th-11th, with a return limit of October 15th.

—Mr. Edgar R. Jolley, who was born and reared in Greensboro, died Sunday at his home in Decatur, Ala. He was a brother of Mrs. C. E. Holton, who left here Saturday for his bedside. The remains were brought here yesterday and the funeral held from the residence of Mr. Holton yesterday afternoon.

—Miss Margaret, one of the charming daughters of Captain and Mrs. D. D. DeBatts, will be united in marriage this morning at 11 o'clock to Mr. Richard Trumbo, of Staunton, Va. Rev. S. R. Guignard will officiate. After a wedding breakfast the bride and groom will take the noon train for a trip to northern cities.

—Matthew Evans, a negro who became engaged in a fight with Mr. Sam Trogdon, near Milboro, Randolph county, about three weeks ago, was arrested in Rocky Mount, Va., last week and carried to Asheville and lodged in jail. Mr. Trogdon, who had his skull fractured in the fight, is said to be improving.

—Mr. David Dreyfus, who was engaged in the wholesale dry goods business in Lynchburg, Va., for many years, has succeeded Mr. Reuben Lindheim as secretary and treasurer of the Cone Export and Commission Company at this place. Mr. Lindheim goes to New York to take charge of the company's office in that city.

—We have always heard that a cat had nine lives, but a petted cat is something out of the ordinary. Such a curiosity was found, however, the other day by workmen engaged in tearing down the old wooden building on the corner of South Elm and East Washington streets to make room for the addition to the McAdoo House.

—Miss Pearl Wyche, a sister of Dr. J. E. Wyche, of this city, and a very bright young woman, has been offered a position as teacher of domestic science in Vanderbilt's school at Biltmore. She was recommended for the position by President Melver, of the State Normal and Industrial College, where she graduated a few years ago.

—Mr. Joseph J. Stone, who left here six months ago to accept the management of the Charlotte Observer's job printing business, has resigned his position and will return to Greensboro and open a new printing business. Mr. Stone is a most capable printer and will not be long in building up the handsome business he controlled before going to Charlotte.

—There are a large number of people in the county who have not yet given in their taxes for the current year. The last opportunity to list will be afforded by a meeting of the board of county commissioners next Monday, September 9th, after which the commissioners will return the names of all delinquents to the solicitor, as required by the revenue law.

—The Grand Opera House, in the new city hall, was opened last night by Al. G. Field's minstrels, which gave a splendid performance before a large audience. After the show Mr. Field was handsomely entertained by the Greensboro Elks by a banquet at Hotel Clegg. Mr. Field is one of the most prominent Elks in the United States, being grand esteemed leading knight of the order.

—For Sale—Six bales, 1,171 pounds, quilt scraps; 10 bales, 500 pounds, batted cotton; 150 pounds wool rolls; and wanted—old scrap copper, brass, lead, zinc, pewter, rubber boots and shoes, and wool. W. S. MOORE.

## Shall There be a New Registration?

The matter of ordering a new registration for the good roads bond election seems to be a difficult question to settle. It was announced that the county commissioners would take some definite action at their September meeting, and a number of prominent citizens and taxpayers appeared before the board to present the case for the good roads people. The matter was discussed at some length Monday afternoon and laid over until yesterday afternoon, when a delegation again appeared before the commissioners. The question that caused the most discussion was as to whether or not it would be necessary to have a new registration to insure the validity of the bonds and under what law the election would be held. The bill authorizing the election was ratified just three days before the legislature ratified the new election law under the constitutional amendment. It was discovered that there is another act governing special county elections that may occur before the new law goes into effect. After considerable discussion the matter was postponed until next Monday in order to give the commissioners and the attorneys time to consider the legality of the several phases of the question.

## Mr. Lindley's Success at Southern Pines.

Mr. J. Van Lindley is, as many readers of the Patriot know, extensively interested in the cultivation of peaches at Southern Pines, where the soil and climate are adapted to the growth of the finest fruit produced in the country. Mr. Lindley's company owns 100 acres of peach orchards, only 50 of which produced fruit this year. During the shipping season, which ended August 15th, 9,000 crates of peaches were shipped to Northern markets and sold at good prices. A dividend of 10 per cent, on the company's capital of \$28,500 has just been declared, in addition to setting aside \$3,000 of profits for operating expenses. The entire 100 acres are expected to bear peaches next year, when, it is reasonable to suppose, the remuneration will be increased.

Three years ago the orchards were attacked by that terrible pest, the San Jose scale, and the hundred acres of peach trees were dug up and destroyed. Others considered this action of Mr. Lindley and his associates as suicidal, from a business standpoint, but results have demonstrated the wisdom of their course.

## A Case of Abduction.

E. A. Oldham, a young white man, has been bound over to Guilford Superior court on a charge of aiding and abetting in the abduction of the thirteen-year-old daughter of D. M. Trolinger, who resides at the Revolution cotton mills. The evidence brought out at the preliminary hearing established the fact that Oldham accompanied another young man, Barney Garner, to Trolinger's home at night and abducted the girl. The three drove through the country to Level Cross, Randolph county, where Garner and the girl were married by a magistrate in the dead hours of the night. The party returned to Greensboro immediately, but afterwards Garner and his child bride disappeared. A warrant has been issued for Garner, and if captured, he will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law. The register of deeds of Randolph county will also be indicted for issuing the license.

Mr. Trolinger, the father of the girl, has the reputation of being a quiet and peaceable citizen.

## County Commissioners.

The county commissioners were in session Monday and yesterday, but did not transact a great deal of business out of the regular routine.

Two new public roads were ordered opened—one in Deep River township and one leading out from the road a mile south of Guilford College and connecting with the road to Jamestown.

The application of Mr. John Barker for license to conduct a saloon in his store on West Market street, which had been recommended by the board of aldermen, was refused.

Chairman Ragan stated that the county road force would probably be increased by the addition of twelve convicts from Randolph county, as the officials of that county were working the convicts at a loss and were anxious to get rid of them.

The matter of granting a franchise to the Greensboro Electric Company to build an electric railway to a park a short distance north of Pomona did not come up, as was expected.

—Deering corn harvesters and huskers and shredders now on exhibition at Townsend's. 33-4t.

—Last week Mr. Leonard C. VanNoppen, a brother of Mr. Charles L. VanNoppen of Greensboro, had the distinguished honor of delivering a lecture on Vondel, the great Dutch poet, at a national congress of literature in Holland. Mr. VanNoppen, who is a native Hollander, has achieved considerable fame in the field of letters. His first work of distinction was the translation into English of Vondel's Lucifer. This has been followed by translations of two other of the Dutch master's poems—Samson and Adam, the latter task having just been completed. Mr. VanNoppen, who is an adopted son of North Carolina, is a graduate of Guilford College and of the University of North Carolina.

—John Scott, of Randleman, came to Greensboro one day last week, and having been left by his train, concluded to walk back. He left early in the night, intending to stop at the home of a friend south of town. When near the Hucomuga cotton mills he was approached by two men, who knocked him down and robbed him, after which they escaped. Two policemen found Scott in an unconscious condition and carried him to jail, where he remained until morning, when he detailed the circumstances of his misfortune the night before and was released.

—Mr. J. N. Longest has been awarded the contract for the erection of the \$14,000 addition to the McAdoo House, the ground floor of which will be occupied by the Holton-Helms Drug Company. He also has the contract to build a three-story business house for Mr. D. R. Huffines, on the corner of South Elm and East Sycamore streets, on a lot recently purchased from Mr. C. D. Benbow for \$400 a front foot. Material is being placed on the ground and work will begin at once. The frame building on the lot, occupied by Mr. Spencer Keeling, will be removed.

—In the United States Circuit court here yesterday Judges Simonton and Boyd issued an order to the effect that the city of Greensboro be made a valid title to the waterworks property and that all further litigation against the Greensboro Water Supply Company be over the proceeds of the sale, \$75,000, and not the property itself. The attorneys for some of those holding judgments against the company excepted to the order and an appeal will probably be taken to the Supreme court of the United States.

—Oak Ridge Institute has opened with fully 25 per cent. more students than last year, and apparently this, her fiftieth year, is to reach and pass high water mark. No hazing is permitted at this institution, no cigarettes are allowed to be sold in the place and the best of equipments are to be found. Old students returning find a new dormitory, buildings repainted and renovated, and everything fresh, new and inviting.

—It is probable that no more streets in Greensboro will be graded until those already graded have been macadamized. The mayor and a majority of the aldermen favor this plan, which appears to be the most successful method of street improvement. As is the case with public roads, unless streets are macadamized soon after being graded they are often in a worse condition than if no work had been done on them.

—Mr. G. Will Kirkman, of the Rehobeth neighborhood, who is known as one of the most successful melon growers in the county, stopped a raid on his patch the other night at a critical time by bringing his trusty shotgun into action. One well directed shot scattered the invaders. A suspicion that he might cripple some of his neighbors caused Mr. Kirkman to refrain from shooting again.

## A New Firm.

The Globe Remedy Company has opened an office in the room formerly occupied by Hinkle Bros., at 214 South Elm street, for the purpose of introducing the Globe Remedies. They give free samples of the Globe Tonic to all who call.

The Globe Tonic acts directly on the Liver and Kidneys, purifies the blood and builds up and strengthens the entire system. A trial will convince you.

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—For Sale—A good one-horse phaeton, nearly new, at a bargain. ZEB V. CLEGG.

## TOBACCO NOTES.

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

### MARKET REPORT.

Our sales have not been very large for the past week, owing to the fact that our farmers are busy housing their crops, but those farmers who took time to come to market have been well repaid for their trip. The quality of the offerings for the past week has been about in keeping with that of previous weeks, and is very fair for the year and considering the season.

Prices on all grades have been remarkably satisfactory to farmers, and buyers are unanimous in their opinion that they are the highest paid for several years. Our buyers seem to be determined to have tobacco on this market regardless of price, and are holding out long inducements to the farmers of this section.

Mr. B. N. Duke and son, late of Durham, but now of New York city, passed through here Monday on their way to New York.

The National Tobacco Association will be organized in Richmond, Va., on October 3rd, 4th and 5th. All markets are invited to send delegates.

Mr. W. L. Walker, manager of the leaf department for the American Tobacco Company, and Mr. T. B. Yuille, manager of the Durham leaf department, were in the city a short while Monday.

Mr. B. M. Walker and Mr. Gilmer opened up at the Farmers' warehouse Monday morning for the new year, and everything looks lively over there, and we predict for them to do their share of the business and have a most prosperous year in the warehouse business.

Southern growers are not losing any time apparently in getting their tobacco to market, judging from the large breaks reported in the eastern part of this state and in South Carolina. It looks as though there is nothing to be gained by holding back.—Southern Tobacco Journal.

Mr. Walter L. Wharton, one of the old proprietors of the Banner warehouse, and a gentleman who is so well and favorably known to you that you need no introduction to him, accepted a position at the Farmers' warehouse, as book-keeper, and solicits your patronage, which, of course, you will be glad to give him.

A hand machine for the manufacture of cigarettes, which loaded with paper and tobacco ready for use can be carried in the pocket has been patented by a Columbus, O., man. It is claimed that with the new machine the ordinary smoker can make a cigarette as neatly rolled and uniform in shape and density throughout as a factory-made cigarette, without the tobacco coming in contact with the fingers.

## A Shocking Calamity.

"Lately befell a railroad laborer," writes Dr. A. Kellett, of Williford, Ark. "His foot was badly crushed, but Bucklen's Arnica Salve quickly cured him. It's simply wonderful for Burns, Boils, Piles and all skin eruptions. It's the world's champion healer. Cure guaranteed. 25c. Sold by C. E. Holton, druggist."

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# Talmage's Sermon.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 1.—This discourse of Dr. Talmage is full of the breath of the hills and fields and is a summer sermon; text, Nehemiah, viii, 15, "Go forth unto the mountain and fetch olive branches and pine branches and myrtle branches and palm branches and branches of thick trees to make booths."

It seems as if Mount Olivet were unmoored. The people have gone into the mountain and have cut off tree branches and put them on their shoulders, and they come forth now into the streets of Jerusalem and on the housetops and they twist these tree branches into arbors or booths. Then the people come forth from their comfortable homes and dwell for seven days in these booths or arbors. Why do they do that? Well, it is a great festival time. It is the feast of tabernacles, and these people are going to celebrate the desert travel of their fathers and their deliverance from their troubles, the experience of their fathers when, traveling in the desert, they lived in booths on their way to the land of Canaan. And so these booths also became highly suggestive—I will not say they are necessarily typical, but highly suggestive—of our march toward heaven and of the fact that we are only living temporarily here, as it were, in booths or arbors, on our way to the Canaan of eternal rest. And what was said to the Jews literally may be said figuratively to all this audience. Go forth into the mountain and fetch olive branches and pine branches and myrtle branches and palm branches and branches of thick trees to make booths.

Yes, we are only here in a temporary residence. We are marching on. The merchant princes who used to live in Bowling Green, New York, have passed away, and their residences are now the fields of cheap merchants. Where are the men who 50 years ago owned Washington and New York? Passed on. There is no use in our driving our stakes too deep into the earth; we are on the march. The generations that have preceded us have gone so far on that we cannot even hear the sound of their footsteps. They have gone over the hills, and we are to follow them. But, blessed be God, we are not in this world left out of doors and unprotected. There are gospel booths or gospel arbors in which our souls are to be comforted. Go forth unto the mountain and fetch olive branches, and pine branches, and myrtle branches, and palm branches and branches of thick trees and build booths.

Well, now, we are today to construct a gospel arbor or gospel booth, and how shall we construct it? Well, we must get all the tree branches and build. According to my text, we must go up into the mountain and bring olive branches. What does that mean? The olive tree grows in warm climates and it reaches the height of 20 or 22 feet, a straight stem, and then an offshoot from that stem. And then people come and they strip off these branches sometimes, and when in time of war the general of one army takes one of these olive branches and goes out to the general of another army, what does that mean? Why, it means unsaddle the war chargers; it means hang up the war knapsacks. It is but a beautiful way of saying, Peace!

## Peace With God, Peace With Man.

Now, if we are today going to succeed in building this gospel arbor we must go into the mountain of God's blessing and fetch the olive branches, and whatever else we must have we must have at least two olive branches—peace with God and peace with man. When I say peace with God, I do not mean to represent God as an angry chieftain having a grudge against us, but I do mean to affirm that there is no more antagonism between a hound and a hare, between a hawk and a pullet, between elephant and swine than there is hostility between holiness and sin. And if God is all holiness and we are all sin there must be a readjustment, there must be a reconstruction, there must be a treaty, there must be a stretching forth of olive branches.

There is a great lawsuit going on now, and it is a lawsuit which man is bringing against his Maker; that lawsuit is now on the calendar. It is the human versus the divine; it is iniquity versus the immaculate; it is weakness versus omnipotence. Man began it; God did not begin the lawsuit. We began it; we assaulted our Maker, and the sooner we end this part of the struggle in which the finite attempts to overthrow the infinite and omnipotent—the sooner we end it the better. Travelers tell us there is no such place as Mount Calvary; that it is only a hill, only an insignificant hill, but I persist in calling it the mountain of God's divine mercy and love, far grander than any other place on earth, grander than the Alps or the Himalayas, and there are no other hills as compared with it; and I have noticed in every sect where the cross of Christ is set forth it is planted with olive branches. And all we have to do is to end of this war between God and ourselves, of which we are all tired. We want to back out of the war; we want to get rid of this hostility. All we have to do is just to get up on the mountain of God's blessing and pluck these olive branches and wave them before the throne. Peace through our Lord Jesus Christ!

Oh, it does not make much difference what the world thinks of you! But come into the warm, intimate, glowing and everlasting relationship with the God of the whole universe; that is the

joy that makes a hallelujah seem stupid. Why do we want to have peace through our Lord Jesus Christ? Why, if we had gone on in 10,000 years of war against God we could not have captured so much as a sword or a cavalry stirrup or twisted off one of the wheels of the chariot of his omnipotence, but the moment we bring this olive branch God and all heaven come on our side. Peace through our Lord Jesus Christ, and no other kind of peace is worth anything.

## Gunpowdery Christians.

But then we must have that other olive branch—peace with man. Now, it is very easy to get up a quarrel. There are gunpowdery Christians all around us, and one match of provocation will set them off. It is easy enough to get up a quarrel. But, my brother, do you not think you had better have your horns sawed off? Had not you better make an apology? Had not you better submit to a little humiliation? "Oh," you say, "until that man takes the first step I will never be at peace with him! Nothing will be done until he is ready to take the first step." You are a pretty Christian. When would this world be saved if Christ had not taken the first step? We were in the wrong; Christ was in the right, all right and forever right, and yet he took the first step. And instead of going and getting a knotty scourge with which to whip your antagonist, your enemy, you had better get up on the radiant mount where Christ suffered for his enemies and just take an olive branch, not stripping off the soft, cool, fragrant leaves, leaving them all on, and then try on them that gospel switch. It will not hurt them, and it will save you. Peace with God; peace with man. If you cannot take those two doctrines, you are no Christian.

Blat be the tie that binds  
Our hearts in Christian love;  
The fellowship of kindred minds  
Is like to that above.

From sorrow, toil and pain  
And sin we shall be free,  
And perfect love and friendship reign  
Through all eternity.

But my text goes further. It says, "Go up into the mountain and fetch olive branches and pine branches." Now, what is suggested by the pine branch? The pine tree is healthy; it is aromatic; it is evergreen. How often the physician says to his invalid patients, "Go and have a breath of the pines; that will invigorate you." Why do such thousands of people go south every year? It is not merely to get to a warmer climate, but to get the influence of the pine. There is health in it, and this pine branch of the text suggests the helpfulness of our holy religion. It is full of health, health for all, health for the mind, health for the soul. I knew an aged man who had no capital of physical health. He had had all the diseases you could imagine. He did not eat enough to keep a child alive; he lived high, for he dined every day with the King; he was kept alive simply by the force of our holy religion. It is a healthy religion, healthy for the eye, healthy for the hand, healthy for the feet, healthy for the heart, healthy for the liver, healthy for the spleen, healthy for the whole man. It gives a man such peace, such quietness, such independence of circumstances, such holy equipage. Oh, that we all possessed it; that we possessed it now! I mean it is healthy if a man gets enough of it. Now, there are some people who get just enough religion to make them sick, but if a man take a full, deep, round inhalation of these pine branches of the gospel arbor he will find it buoyant, exuberant, undying, immortal health.

## Religion Is Evergreen.

But this evergreen of my text also suggests the simple fact that religion is evergreen. What does the pine branch care for the snow on its brow? It is only a crown of glory. The winter cannot freeze it out. This evergreen tree branch is as beautiful in winter as it is in the summer. And that is the characteristic of our holy religion; in the sharpest, coldest winter of misfortune and disaster it is as good a religion as it is in the bright summer sunshine. Well, now, that is a practical truth, for I suppose if I would go up and down these aisles I would not find in this house 50 people who had had no trouble, but there are some of you who have especial trouble. God only knows what you go through with. Oh, how many bereavements, how many poverties, how many persecutions! How many misrepresentations! And now, my brother, you have tried everything else, why do you not try this evergreen religion? It is just as good for you now as it was in the day of prosperity; it is better for you. Perhaps some of you feel almost like Muckle Backle, the fisherman, who was chided one day because he kept on working although that very day he buried his child. They came to him and said, "It is indecent for you to be mending that boat when this afternoon you buried your child." And the fisherman looked up and said: "Sir, it is very easy for you gentlemen to stay in the house with your handkerchiefs to your eyes in grief, but sir, ought I to let the other five children starve because one of them is drowned? No, sir; we manna work, we manna work, though our hearts beat like this hammer."

You may have had accumulation of sorrow and misfortune. They come in flocks, they come in herds upon your soul, and yet I have to tell you that this religion can console you, that it can help you, that it can deliver you if nothing else will. Do you tell me that the riches and the gain of this world can console you? How was it with the ecclesiastic who had such a fondness for money that when he was sick he ordered a basin of goldpieces to be brought to him, and he put his gouty hands down among the goldpieces, cooling his hand off in them, and the rattle

and rolling of these goldpieces were his amusement and entertainment? Ah, the gold and silver, the honors, the emoluments of this world are a poor solace for a perturbed spirit! You want something better than this world can give. A young prince, when the children came around to play with him, refused to play. He said, "I will play only with kings." And it would be supposed that you would throw away all other solace before this regal satisfaction, this imperial joy.

The hill of Zion yields  
A thousand sacred sweets  
Before we reach the heavenly fields  
Or walk the golden streets.

## All For the Glory of God.

But my text takes a step further, and it says, Go into the mountain and fetch olive branches and pine branches and palm branches. Now, the palm tree was very much honored by the ancients. It had 300 different uses. The fruit was conserved, the sap was a beverage, the stems were ground up for food for camels, the base of the leaves was turned into hats and mats and baskets, and the leaves were carried in victorious processions, and from the root to the top of the highest leaf there was usefulness. The tree grew 85 feet in height sometimes, and it spread broad leaves four and five feet long. It meant usefulness, and it meant victory—usefulness for what it produced, victory because it was brought into celebrations of triumph. And, oh, how much we want the palm branches in the churches of Jesus Christ at this time! A great many Christians do not amount to anything. You have to shove them off the track to let the Lord's chariots come along.

I know the old plan was, the plan now is, in regard to worldly investments—you hear it, merchants tell you—do not put everything into one thing, do not put all your eggs into one basket, but I have to tell you in this matter of religion you had better give your all to God and then get in yourself. "Oh," says some one, "my business is to sell silks and cloths." Well, then, my brother, sell silks and cloths to the glory of God. And some one says, "My business is to raise corn and carrots." Then, my brother, raise corn and carrots to the glory of God. And some one says, "My business is to manufacture horseshoe nails." Then manufacture horseshoe nails to the glory of God. There is nothing for you to do that you ought to do but for the glory of God.

Usefulness is typified by the palm tree. Ah, we do not want in the church any more people that are merely weeping willows, sighing into the water, standing and admiring their long lashes in the glassy spring! No wild cherry dropping bitter fruit. We want palm trees, holding something for God, something for angels, something for man. I am tired and sick of this flat, tame, insipid, satin slippered, namby pamby, highly tighty religion! It is worth nothing for this world, and it is destruction for eternity. Give me 500 men and women fully consecrated to Christ, and we will take this city for God in three years; give me 10,000 men and women fully up to the Christian standard; in ten years 10,000 of them would take the whole earth for God. But when are we going to begin? We all want to be useful. There is not a man in the pews that does not want to be useful. When are we going to begin?

Ledyard, the great traveler, was brought before the Geographical Society of Great Britain, and they wanted him to make some explorations in Africa, and they showed him all the perils and all the hard work and all the exposure, and after they had told him what they wanted him to do in Africa they said to him, "Now, Ledyard, when are you ready to start?" He said, "Tomorrow morning." The learned men were astonished. They thought he would take weeks or months to get ready. Well, now, you tell me you want to be useful in Christian service. When are you going to begin? Oh, that you had the decision to say, "Now; now!" Oh, go into the mountain and gather the palm branches!

## An Emblem of Victory.

But the palm branches also meant victory. You all know that. In all ages, in all lands, the palm branch means victory. Well, now, we are by nature the servants of Satan. He stole us; he has his eye on us; he wants to keep us. But word comes from our Father that if we will try to break loose from this doing of wrong our Father will help us, and some day we rouse up, and we look the black tyrant in the face, and we fly at him, and we wrestle him down, and we put our heel on his neck, and we grind him in the dust, and we say, "Victory, victory, through our Lord Jesus Christ!" Oh, what a grand thing it is to have sin underfoot and a wasted life behind our backs! "Blessed is he whose transgression is forgiven and whose sin is covered."

Some one says, "How about the future?" What, says the man, I feel so sick and worn out with the ailments of life. You are going to be more than conqueror. But, says the man, I am so tempted, I am so pursued in life. You are going to be more than conqueror. I, who have so many ailments and heartaches, going to be more than conqueror? Yes, unless you are so self-conceited that you want to manage all the affairs of your life yourself instead of letting God manage them. Do you want to drive and have God take a back seat? "Oh, no," you say; "I want God to be my leader." Well, then, you will be more than conqueror. Your last sickness will come, and the physicians in the next room will be talking about what they will do for you. What difference will it make what they do for you? You are going to be well, everlastingly well. And when the spirit has fled the body your friends will be talking as to where they shall bury you. What difference does it make to you where they bury

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you? The angel of the resurrection can pick you out of the dust anywhere, and all the cemeteries of the earth are in God's care. Oh, you are going to be more than conqueror!

Do you not think we had better begin now to celebrate the coming victory? In the old meeting house at Somerville my father used to lead the singing, and he had the old fashioned tuning fork, and he would strike it upon his knee and then put the tuning fork to his ear to catch the right pitch and start the hymn. But, friend, do you not think we had better be catching the pitch of the everlasting song, the song of victory, when we shall be more than conquerors? Had we not better begin the rehearsal on earth? "They shall hunger no more, neither thirst any more; neither shall the sun light on them nor any heat, for the Lamb which is in the midst of the throne shall feed them and shall lead them to living fountains of waters, and God shall wipe away all tears from their eyes."

City of eternity, to thy bridal halls  
From this prison would I flee.  
Ah, glory! That's for you and me!

## A Brawny Christianity.

My text brings us one step further. It says go forth into the mountain and fetch olive branches, and pine branches, and myrtle branches, and palm branches and branches of thick trees. Now you know very well—I make this remark under the head of branches of thick trees—that a booth or arbor made of slight branches would not stand. The first blast of the tempest would prostrate it. So, then, the booth or arbor must have four stout poles to hold up the arbor or booth, and hence for the building of the arbor for this world we must have stout branches of thick trees. And so it is in the gospel arbor. Blessed be God that we have a brawny Christianity, not one easily upset. The storms of life will come upon us, and we want strong doctrine; not only love, but justice; not only invitation, but warning. It is a mighty gospel; it is an omnipotent gospel. These are the stout branches of thick trees.

I remember what Mr. Finney said in a schoolhouse. The village was so bad it was called Sodom, and it was said to have only one good man in all the village, and he was called Lot, and Mr. Finney was preaching in the schoolhouse, and he described the destruction of Sodom; how the city was going to be destroyed unless they repented, and that there would be rain from heaven of sorrow and destruction unless they, too, repented. And the people in the schoolhouse sat and ground their teeth in anger, and clenched their fists in anger, but before he got through with his sermon they got down on their knees and cried for mercy while mercy could be found. Oh, it is a mighty gospel; not only an invitation, but a warning, an omnipotent truth; stout branches of thick trees.

Well, my friends, you see I have omitted one or two points, not because I forgot to present them, but because

I have not time to present them. I have shown you here is the olive branch of peace, here is the pine branch of evergreen gospel consolation, here the palm tree branch of usefulness and of victory and here are the stout branches of thick trees. The gospel arbor is done. The air is aromatic of heaven. The leaves rustle with the gladness of God. Come into the arbor. Come into the booth. I went out at different times with a fowler to the mountains to catch pigeons, and we made our booth and we sat in that booth and watched for the pigeons to come. And we found flocks in the sky, and after awhile they dropped into the net, and we were successful. So I come now to the door of this gospel booth. I look out. I see flocks of souls flying hither and flying thither. Oh, that they might come like clouds and as doves to the window! Come into the booth. Come into the booth.

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## THE BISHOP AND DIPLOMAT.

Illustration of a Diplomatic Attitude Toward Religion.

In the "Life of Archbishop Benson" by his sons occurs the entertaining and extremely suggestive passage: "I shall never forget a conversation between the ambassador of a foreign power and my father. The former was dining at Lambeth, a genial, intelligent man, very solicitous to be thoroughly in touch with the social life of the country to which he had been accredited. After dinner the ambassador, in full diplomatic uniform, with a ribbon and stars, sitting next to my father, said politely: "Does your grace reside much in the country?"

My father said that as archbishop he was provided with a country house and that he was there as much as possible, as he preferred the country to the town.

"Now, does your grace go to church in the country?" with an air of genial inquiry, turning round in his chair.

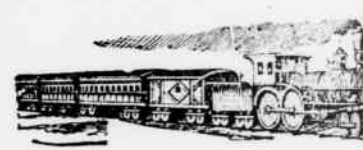
"Yes, indeed!" said my father. "We have a beautiful church almost in the park, which the village people all go to."

"Yes," said the ambassador meditatively, "yes, I always go to church myself in the country. It is a good thing to show sympathy with religious feeling; it is the one thing which combats socialistic ideas. I think you are very wise, your grace, to go."

My father said that he felt as if he and the ambassador were the two assaurs as represented in Punch.

"I did my best," said my father, "to persuade him that I was a Christian, but he listened to all that I said with a charming expression, implying, 'We are men of the world and understand each other.' I am sure that he thought that I was speaking diplomatically and in purely conventional language, and that if we had known each other better I should have thrown off the mask and avowed myself as free a thinker as he."

# Southern Railway



IN EFFECT JUNE 23, 1901.  
This condensed schedule is published for information and is subject to change without notice to the public.

Trains leave Greensboro, N. C.:

5:55 a. m.—No. 33 daily, Florida Express south for Charlotte, Columbia, Savannah, Augusta, Atlanta, Jacksonville, Tampa, Palm Beach, Fort Myers, Naples, and Miami. Pullman Buffet Sleeping Cars and Tourist Coach. Through coach Washington to Jacksonville and Washington to Atlanta.

7:05 a. m.—No. 37 daily, Washington & Southern Limited for Charlotte, Atlanta, Savannah, Augusta, Jacksonville, Tampa, Palm Beach, Fort Myers, Naples, and Miami. Pullman Buffet Sleeping Cars and Tourist Coach. Through coach Washington to Jacksonville and Washington to Atlanta.

7:55 a. m.—No. 8 daily, for Danville, Raleigh, and local points. Connects at Salisbury with Asheville, Knoxville and Chattanooga.

7:58 a. m.—No. 8 daily, for Raleigh, Goldsboro and local points. Connects at Salisbury with Asheville, Knoxville and Chattanooga.

8:25 a. m.—No. 105 for Winston, Wakefield and local points. Daily to Winston-Salem. Daily except Sunday to Wakefield.

9:25 a. m.—No. 46, daily, except Sunday, Madison and local points.

12:43 p. m.—No. 36 daily, United States Mail for Washington, Richmond and all points North. Carries through Pullman Buffet Sleeping Cars New Orleans, New York, Jacksonville to New York, Birmingham, Richmond. Dining cars serve all meals.

12:45 p. m.—No. 56 daily, for Raleigh, Goldsboro and local points. Close connection at Goldsboro for Newbern and Morehead City.

12:45 p. m.—No. 52 for Sanford, Conway and A. C. L. for Fayetteville and local points south.

1:15 p. m.—No. 107, daily except Sunday, Winston-Salem.

2:40 p. m.—No. 47, daily except Sunday, Raleigh and local points.

4:12 p. m.—No. 53 for Mt. Airy and local points.

6:40 p. m.—No. 7 daily, for Charlotte and local points; connects at Salisbury for Asheville, Knoxville and Chattanooga. Pullman Buffet Sleeping Cars and Tourist Coach. Operated from Salisbury to Memphis.

7:10 p. m.—No. 35 daily, United States Mail for Charlotte, Atlanta and all points South and Southwest. Dining cars serve meals. Connects at Charlotte for Columbia, Augusta, Savannah, Jacksonville, Tampa, Palm Beach, Fort Myers, Naples, and Miami. Pullman Buffet Sleeping Cars New Orleans, New York, Jacksonville to New York, Birmingham, Richmond. Dining cars serve all meals.

7:30 p. m.—No. 109 daily for Winston-Salem, Goldsboro and local points. Close connection at Goldsboro for Newbern and Morehead City.

9:55 p. m.—No. 12 daily, for Raleigh, Goldsboro and local points. Pullman Sleeping Cars to Baltimore and New York. This train consists of Pullman equipment exclusively.

11:45 p. m.—No. 34 daily, Florida Express north for Washington, D. C., and Jacksonville to New York, Charlotte to Richmond, and Charlotte to Norfolk.

12:01 a. m.—No. 14 daily, for Raleigh, Goldsboro and local points. Pullman Sleeping Cars to Baltimore and New York. Close connection at Goldsboro for Newbern and Morehead City.

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WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 4, 1901.

## Coal Mines Closed Down.

Oliver Springs, Tenn., Sept. 2.—Union coal miners of this district are out, owing to their failure to reach an agreement with the operators for a new scale. The scale for the past year expired Saturday night. No disorder is anticipated. Number of men out 1,000.

A few men are at work in the Tennessee Coal Company's and the Knoxville Iron Company's mine, but the Coal Creek Company's and the Black Diamond Coal Company's mine are completely shut down. The Royal Coal and Coke Company is operating with its full force of men, having entered into arbitration with the miners, as did the Jellico operators.

## Ate Poisoned Cabbage.

Newton, N. C., Sept. 2.—News has reached here of a strange occurrence below Maiden. A family, whose name was not given, had boiled cabbage for dinner. The heads of cabbage had been cut in halves and put on to boil. After dinner the family became sick and finally a doctor was sent for but he could do them no good and they died. Then the doctor searched for the cause and in the bottom of the pot in which the cabbage had been cooked were found three small green snakes. They had, by some means, been put in the pot with the cabbage and the poison from them had proven fatal.—Raleigh Observer.

## Mighty Wicked Place.

New York, Sept. 2.—Mrs. Carrie Nation, the joint smasher, arose this morning and announced that she had recovered from her arduous labors of yesterday and was ready to move on Coney Island. "I hear it's a mighty wicked place," she said, "and if it is, I am needed there. I will take a hatchet with me—I may need it." Mrs. Nation says there are too many saloons in New York for her to fight them single handed, but she declares that if she can interest the women in her work she will close the saloon factories in short order.

## Monthly Cotton Report.

Washington, Tuesday, 3.—The monthly report of the statistician of the Department of Agriculture issued to-day shows the average condition of cotton on August 24th to have been 71.4, as compared with 67.2 on the 25th of July, 68.2 on Sept. 1, 1900, 68.5 on Sept. 1, 1899, and a ten year average of 74.9. State averages: Virginia 82, North Carolina 72.

## The Strikers Depressed.

Pittsburg, Pa., Tuesday, 3.—The American Tin Plate Co. has succeeded in introducing thirty-two additional skilled workmen from Philadelphia into the Star Plant. The managers expect seven of the eight tin mills to be in operation by tonight. The strikers are depressed.

## What Not to Wear.

White petticoats on muddy days.  
Cheap jewelry at any time.  
Bright red with a florid complexion.  
Conspicuous bicycle costumes.  
A broad belt on a stout figure.  
A plain basque on a slim figure.  
Cheap trimmings on a good dress.  
Cheap lace on anything.  
Diamonds in the daytime.  
Linen collars with dressy frocks.  
Picture hats with outing costumes.  
Theatre bonnets with street suits.  
Soiled white gloves on a shopping expedition or any time.  
Worn shoes with an elaborate toilet.  
Dotted veils with weak eyes.  
A linen collar that is not immaculately fresh.  
Gloves with holes in or boots with buttons missing.  
Hair dressed high with a snub nose.  
Hair in a psyche knot with a Roman nose.  
Pointed shoes when bicycling.  
Gaudy colors in cheap materials.  
The new tight sleeve on a long, thin arm.  
Tan shoes in midwinter.  
A long, dragged skirt on a rainy day.  
Lace frills or chiffon ruffles for work or school.  
Elaborate toilets for church.  
Untidy frocks for breakfast.  
Horizontal stripes or tucks on a stout figure.—Leslie's Weekly.

Col. W. C. P. Breckinridge, former member of congress, has accepted a professorship in the law department of Central University, located at Danville, Ky.

The Pittsburg Labor World, which is controlled by several leaders of organized labor, demands the impeachment of Theo. J. Shaffer, leader of the steel strike.

## Additional Correspondence.

### German Items.

Master Ralph T. Beck left Monday to re enter school at Salem.

Mrs. J. H. McIver and children left Monday for her home in Sanford, after spending the summer at her old home, the Chaffin homestead.

Mrs. Chalmers Small has returned to her home in Raleigh, after spending several months with her father at the old homestead in German.

Miss Hattie Bynum, sister of Judge W. P. Bynum, Jr., of Greensboro, left Monday for Baltimore to take a course at the hospital for a trained nurse. We wish her success.

Miss Anna Vaughn left on Friday, August 30th. After spending several days with her sister in Greensboro, Mrs. George E. Phoenix, she will return to school in Richmond, Va., where she will finish her education next year.

Travel on the Mt. Airy branch of the Southern Railway is very uncertain these days. On account of grass on the track with some very heavy grades, the train is often locked up from a quarter to three quarters of an hour. It seems from the earnings of the Southern, as published, the company might furnish more than two section hands for eight miles of road. Then we learn, too, that their pay to such men is 70 cents per day against \$1 on most other roads.

### Hilltop Items.

Cornfield beans are plentiful here at present.

Mr. Fred Jones paid us a flying visit Thursday.

The continued rains are a great hindrance in making hay.

Mrs. Edward Henry, of McLeansville, was a recent visitor here.

Mrs. Wesley Ledbetter, who has been indisposed for several days, is out again.

Mr. W. H. Jones, who is just back from Asheville, reports a delightful time.

Misses Oma and Daisy Gray were the guests of Miss Ida Jones last Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Will Montgomery, of McLeansville, passed through Sunday on his way to Jamestown.

We are much in need of a local side track at this place, as quite a lot of lumber is to be shipped soon.

A goodly number from this place attended the burial of Mrs. Robert Leonard, at Red Hill, last Monday afternoon.

We are sorry to note the death of Mr. Henry Suits, an aged citizen, which took place near here last Wednesday.

The protracted meeting begins at Red Hill the second Sunday at 11 o'clock a. m. Hope for a great revival is manifested.

### Milboro Items.

President C. L. Whitaker preached at Bethany Saturday evening.

Miss Irena Foust spent the latter part of last week visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Pugh, of Greensboro, spent Sunday night in town.

Mr. J. F. Greeson, of Brick Church, a representative of the PATRIOT, passed through last week.

Mr. W. R. Taylor, our agent, has resigned his position and will pursue his education and graduate. Mr. I. Free is our new agent.

Our town is on a boom. Mr. W. G. Aldridge has commenced his store. He is going to erect a large one. Mr. R. W. Pugh is erecting a handsome barn.

### Westminster Items.

Farmers are not through threshing wheat yet.

Miss Pearl Thrift visited relatives in Greensboro last week.

Mr. R. O. Horney will attend school at Guilford College again this term.

A number of people from here attended the protracted meeting at Jamestown last Sunday.

Farmers are very busy now making hay. On account of the continued rains there has been but very little mowing done so far.

Mr. Calvin Osborn has sold his farm to Mr. Welborn, of Randolph county, and expects to leave for Indiana about the 19th of this month.

Eleven persons are dead, four are missing and more than a score are injured as the result of a boiler explosion on the steamer City of Trenton, opposite Torresdale, Pa.

Margaret Lyler, a seven-year-old girl said to be an heiress to \$100,000, was kidnapped a few days ago from the home of Mrs. M. E. Greene, of Chicago, where she had been staying since the death of her mother.

## GENERAL NEWS.

The mail service in the Philippines is proving expensive.

Mormon missionaries have begun an active campaign in Japan.

The world's visible supply of cotton is reported at 1,571,676 bales.

Discontent with the Brazilian government is becoming threatening.

William H. Hunt, of Montana, has been appointed governor of Porto Rico.

A census bulletin shows women to be in a majority in New York and New Jersey.

The Cripple Creek gold district broke all records in August by producing \$2,558,000 worth of gold.

Plow manufacturers who have been conferring in Chicago decided upon a 10 per cent. increase in prices.

A Turkish court condemned to death Georges Dorys, who wrote a book on "The Private Life of the Sultan."

The engagement is announced in London of Miss Helen, daughter of Hon. Levi P. Morton, to Count Boson de Perigord.

Vice-Admiral Marakoff has abandoned his intention to break his way to the North Pole on the Russian ice breaking steamer Ermak.

Nine gushers were "brought in" in the Texas oil fields last week, making the largest number in any single week in the history of that locality.

President McKinley will visit the Buffalo Exposition next Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, Thursday being set apart as President's day.

Through the work of the United States military authorities, Santiago, Cuba, so long the stronghold of yellow fever, is at last free of that disease.

Close political friends of Governor White, of West Virginia, state that he will be a candidate for the United States senate to succeed Senator Scott.

Commander Nathan Sargent, of the United States gunboat Machias, now at Colon, says that American interests on the Isthmus are not at present endangered.

A Havana paper says that Upmann & Co., German bankers of Havana, have been robbed of \$28,000 by the same man who recently robbed the Spanish bank. Mr. Upmann refuses to say anything regarding the affair.

## THE COTTON MARKET.

The following are the latest spot quotations on middling cotton:

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New Orleans	8 9-16
Charlotte	8
Raleigh	8
Greensboro	8

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Beeswax	25
Chickens—old per lb.	6
Small spring chickens lb.	8-10
Eggs	11
Butter	15
Feathers	10
Hides—dry	10 1/2
Green	5 1/2
Wool—washed	
Unwashed	
Wheat	
Oats	
Sheep Skins	15@40
Tallow	4
Corn, new	
Rags—Cotton	1/4
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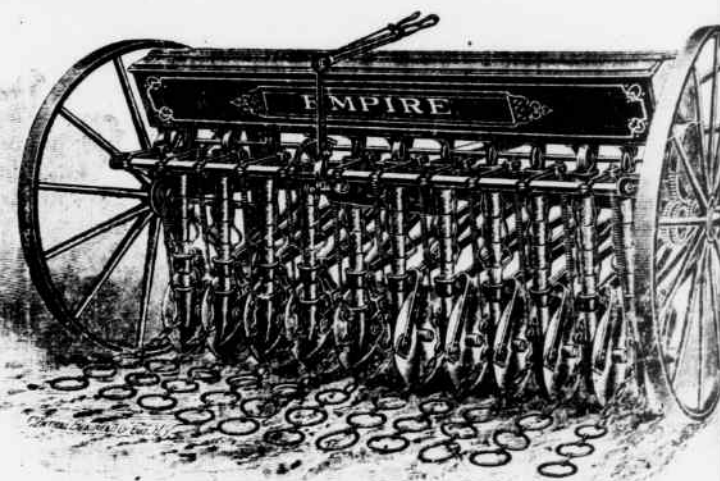
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## THE WEEK ABROAD.

### The Varied Happenings of Many Foreign Lands.

#### FRANCE GROWS.

The whole of the official returns of the census taken throughout France on March 24 have now been received and classified. The total population of the country on the date mentioned was 38,641,333, as against 38,228,969 in March, 1896. The increase during the last five years was, therefore, 412,374, whereas in preceding period of five years, from 1891 to 1896, the increase had been only 132,419. It is the towns which show an increase of population, since 1896 the population has increased in Paris by 148,604; in Marseilles by 47,428; Nice, 18,543; Havre, 11,067; Brest, 9,524; Angers, 7,130.

#### GERMANY.

At Berlin Prince Chun's visit is awaited with some impatience in the hope of seeing the Emperor of the oldest empire in the world humble himself by proxy before the Emperor of the youngest empire. The Prince comes to make amends for the murder of the German Minister at Peking, but loiters at Basel, not relishing the humiliating obeisances that are prescribed for him at his reception by Wilhelms II. He plays sick to gain time, and if the bows and bumps on his program are not eliminated, or mitigated, he may return to China without making his apologies. He thinks William is "rubbing it in" too hard, the latter being, after all, in Chinese opinion, only a "foreign devil" and a barbarian anyhow.

#### CHINA.

China does not put her signature to the treaty embodying the claims of the foreign powers, various excuses being made. There is a hope entertained, it appears, that the foreign troops will be got out of the country without having enforced their terms. Guilty Boxers will not be punished, for example. Hence the peremptory demand of the British Minister and the call for more British troops. It is not clear that the date of the evacuation of Peking and Pechili, the composition of the Whangpo Commission and the punishment edicts have been fully agreed upon. The Imperial edict forbidding the importation of arms and munitions of war is not satisfactory to the foreign Ministers, inasmuch as the edict ignores the vital fact that the prohibition applies to the government, and is part of the Chinese armament.

#### RUSSIA.

Russia is reported to be threatened with an extensive famine, comparable with the famine in India in which the Indian government spent \$75,000,000 for relief, supporting for a time over 7,000,000 persons. Semi-official Hungarian papers—believed to be inspired by Count Goluchowski—warmly protest against Russia's intrigues in the Balkans. These protests are based on rumors that Russia is sending troops on the Roumanian frontier and sending torpedo boats to the Black Sea, an arm of the Danube.

#### TRANSVAAL COLONIES.

Farther north the war continues on a small scale. In the Transvaal and Orange River Colony there are now not over 9,000 Boers in the field, but with long lines of railway to hold every yard of which has to be defended, both to secure military and civil supplies, and to prevent the enemy from obtaining necessities by the capture of trains, the employment of large numbers of troops continues to be a necessity. Mobile columns are also required to operate against the scattered bands of the enemy and complete the exhaustion of his resources. As in all guerrilla warfare this is a slow process. But the frequent captures of prisoners continues to constitute a steady drain on the numbers still remaining in the field. The loss of women has seriously affected the Boers' mobility and supply arrangements. Between August 19 and August 20, 32 Boers were killed, 100 were made prisoners and 185 surrendered, including Kruger, a nephew of the ex-President. The aggregate of Boer losses now averages, it is said, some 1,500 a month. There are like losses also on the British side. Recently 300 men and 65 men north of Ladybrand, in the Orange River Colony, were surrounded on unfavorable ground and captured by a superior force.

George Berryhill, a Charlotte negro, solicited funds to bury a dead wife once too often. He approached a man who had recently contributed to the same purpose and his effort followed. On the trial it was proven that the negro had never been married. George is now doing time on Mecklenburg's roads.

### 36 People Killed in a Wreck.

KALIASPEL, Mont., Aug. 31.—Thirty six lives were lost and many persons injured in the wreck on the Great Northern Railway passenger train No. 3, at Nyack, 30 miles west of Kaliaspel, last night. None of the passengers was injured, the fatalities having been confined to employees of the railroad company. The wreck was caused by the breaking in two of a freight train on the steep grade of a Rocky mountain foot hill. The rear end of the freight tore loose from the head end, dashed backward down the mountain and crashed into the rear end of the passenger train, which was just pulling out of the station at Nyack. The car attached to the rear end of the passenger train was the private coach of Superintendent Downs. He and his son, Kirk, and their cook, Henry Blair, were instantly killed. The car just ahead contained 46 Scandinavian laborers en route from Duluth, Minn., to Jennings. They were killed wholesale. Only 13 were taken from the wreckage alive.

Fire immediately following the collision quickly destroyed the private car, cremating the bodies of these within. The flames were quickly communicated to the car ahead, or rather to what remained of it, and the bodies of 28 of the unfortunate laborers also were cremated. The third car from the rear also was burned, but those within managed to escape when the collision first occurred. The fire continued to spread through the mass of wreckage caused by the destruction of the dozen or more freight cars and their contents of valuable freight.

Finally the passenger train was cut in two between the third and fourth cars from the rear and the balance was taken to a safe distance from the fire. All telegraph wires on the poles alongside the track were soon melted and communication was thus cut off soon after the collision. Physicians were taken to the scene from this city and all traffic was for a time suspended while the wreck and train crews endeavored to rescue the bodies of the dead and clear up the debris.

### South American Revolutions.

The New York Herald advises the South American countries to devote more time to agriculture and less to revolution. Commenting on the uprisings in Venezuela and Colombia the Herald says:

"The troubles are largely due to needlessly expensive and corrupt administrations and accumulated foreign debts that necessitate excessive taxation and consequent popular discontent, aggravated by currency disturbances due to the fall in silver and the coincident phenomenal decline in the great exportable product, coffee. Underlying all these is the broad fact that the expenditures for armies and navies and armaments contribute to the impoverishment of the people, and the frequent revolutions and wars create a feeling of instability that prevents free ingress of capital which would develop great resources and enrich the peoples."

### A Dying Miser's Secret.

ASHEVILLE, Aug. 31.—Jonathan Newman, an old and respected citizen of Henderson county, died yesterday at his home on Mud creek. Ever since the war, Newman, who was eccentric in some respects, was known to have had a considerable sum of money. He has several times added a lot to his sum of late years by the sale of land. When he had but a few hours to live, Newman revealed places where he had money hoarded.

Part of his story was verified today when more than \$4,000 in greenbacks was found between the ceiling and the weatherboarding. He said a bucket of gold was buried in the garden, and today all his relatives, of which he has a host, wielded picks and shovels with Klondyke assiduity. At last accounts, however, they found nothing more valuable than Irish potatoes.

### Cleveland Disturbed Fishing.

PITTSFIELD, Mass., Aug. 30.—The arraignment of Cassius Scranton, of New Marlboro, in the district court today on a charge of fishing for bass less than eight inches in length, brought out the announcement that deputy fish and game keepers had interrupted a fishing party composed of ex-President Grover Cleveland, Dr. Bryant, of New York, and Mr. Scranton, on Lake Garfield, Wednesday. The deputies found a short bass in the boat and upon being informed by Mr. Scranton that he had taken it, he was summoned into court today and fined \$2. No complaint was made against Mr. Cleveland.

It is said that the continuous rain cut the wheat yield in Randolph county in half.

### ARGUMENT FOR LOW TARIFF.

Cuba Cited as an Example—The Country's Growing Foreign Trade.

Correspondence of the PATRIOT.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 2.—General Wood's report as governor general of Cuba has just been made to the War department. It reviews the administration of the affairs of the islands during the past fiscal year, paying attention to resources, education, the judiciary, the steps taken for a new civil government, etc. But the most significant portion of the whole document contains an unconscious arraignment of the high tariff policy of the United States government. He said that the present system does not favor good commercial facilities on account of unfavorable duties on tobacco and sugar. They keep the prices up in this country and if they are persisted in in regard to Cuba it will mean that development of Cuba will be slow if at all, as the changed conditions in commercial relations since the time of the Spanish war make her now market her principal products in the United States, and she must have lower duties "if she is to live and prosper." Comments like this are the best arguments that low tariff can have, and they are particularly forcible when they concern the vital welfare of an island that our promises and our national honor compel us to foster and protect.

The summer is Uncle Sam's house-cleaning time, when there is nothing else in Washington of sufficient importance to distract his attention from this imperative task. During the hot months the annual renovation takes place, and about the first of September sees the work completed. This year the changes have been particularly sweeping; almost all of the interior of the capitol building is being repaired and made modern.

The Schley Sampson controversy is attracting but little attention now, and everybody is letting it drop for a breathing spell until the court of inquiry convenes at the navy yard on September 12th. On account of the dearth of news just now the yellow journals are trying to keep the feud alive, but the public is apathetic.

The politics of Virginia are attracting some local attention, for one of the candidates for lieutenant governor, Mr. Willard, who is furnishing the campaign "bar" is a business man of this city and the owner of the historic Willard's hotel. He gained a legal residence in the Old Dominion, it is said, for the express purpose of getting into politics, and seems to have succeeded.

The Treasury bureau of statistics and the other departments of the government service continue to receive proofs of the growing foreign trade of this country, and of the increase of cordial relations between this and other nations. This neighborliness is shown particularly in regard to the adjacent islands of the West Indies. Information from the Treasury department shows a growing disposition on the part of the island of Jamaica to trade with the United States, until now we have the bulk of the island's commerce. The facts and figures given out have an added interest because Jamaica is a British colony, and the data comes from the British colonial report. The value of exports shows a constant increase from the island to the United States, and where Great Britain had almost a third of the Jamaica exports in 1896 she gets now less than one-fifth, Americans taking the rest. Her imports to the island are also decreasing steadily in proportion to the volume of trade, while the United States gain.

Another trade gain for this country is shown in the latest advance sheets of consular reports, obtained from the State department. One of them shows the largest single item of trade between our country and Korea is kerosene, which for the past year amounted to almost a million dollars. The Americans have lately been annoyed by the importation of inferior oil into Korea, in the tins and cases in which their own product had been imported into Japan. Orientals have no respect for unregistered trade marks or laws against adulterations, so the only redress is to employ reliable agents and to maintain a strict surveillance over them. The imports of kerosene other than American amounted to about \$100,000, or a little more than one-tenth of the American trade.

Mr. Okey Biggerstaff and Miss Lydia Washburn, of Rutherford county, were married on horseback a few days ago.

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## A Little Chat About Fall Goods

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### Call For an "International Good Roads Congress."

The National Good Roads Association of the United States here by calls the International Congress for Good Roads, to be held in the city of Buffalo, state of New York, United States of America, September 16-21 1901.

The subject of highway improvement is demanding the best thought and action throughout the nations of the world. The National Association, recognizing the great importance of arousing attention, promoting discussion, stimulating scientific investigation, making practical demonstrations, collecting and disseminating information relating to the best methods of road construction and maintenance, respectfully invites the general governments of the United States and of the various other nations of the world, the governors of the several states of the union, mayors of all municipalities, presidents of boards of trade and road associations, and all other societies and bodies working for the improvement of the common roads, to appoint delegates to said congress.

All sessions of the congress will be held during the Pan-American exposition. It is designed to devote a portion of the time included in the dates above named to demonstrate the scientific methods of modern road construction by building sections of the various classes of roads, including earth, oil, gravel, stone, tar macadam, vitrified brick, etc. A splendid railroad train equipped with modern road-making machinery will be on exhibition, and practical road experts and engineers will have charge of the work.

The scope of the deliberations of the congress will include general discussion and exemplification of the science of road construction and maintenance, together with experimental tests and experience of the several countries of the world and the states of the union, and the solution of the problems of road making. Addressees will be made by prominent statesmen and officials, competent engineers and scientific road experts from the various nations of the world.

This will be the first International Good Roads Congress ever held. It is designed to have an interchange of knowledge and experience between the old and the new worlds on this important subject, and thus attract universal attention to road improvement.

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N. B.—The basis of representation should not exceed one delegate for each 2,000 population. Reduced rates to delegates will be made over all railroads.

#### Local Option in Mississippi.

A dispatch from Jackson, Miss., says: "The local option fight in Monroe county is the most spirited that has taken place in Mississippi for several years, and present appearances indicate that the saloon men are having a hard fight to hold their own. An interesting feature that has been injected into the fight is a letter written by Jefferson Davis, in 1887, in which the illustrious Confederate chieftain declared that local prohibition is 'a wooden horse in which a disguised enemy to state sovereignty as the guardian of individual liberty is introduced.' Mr. Davis stated in the letter that 'the abuse, and not the use of stimulants, is the evil to be remedied, and if drunkenness be the cause of crime, why not pronounce drunkenness itself to be crime and attach to it proper and adequate penalties.' Mr. Davis was a prominent factor in some of the memorable local option fights in Mississippi a short time prior to his death."

#### More Women Than Men.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 29.—Census bulletin, No. 88, issued today, gives the population of North Carolina by sex, general nativity and color. In the state there are 955,133 females and 938,677 males, 1,263,603 whites and 630,207 negroes, under which class 5,687 Indians are placed, and 1,889,318 native born and 4,492 foreign born citizens. Of the native whites with native parents, 625,249 are males and 625,562 females. Of native whites with foreign parents, 4,194 are males and 4,204 females and of the negroes 303,624 are males and 320,845 females.

The white population of the state constitutes 66.7 per cent. and the negro 33.3.

#### Farmer Either Drowned or Murdered.

A special to the Charlotte Observer from Asheville under date of August 30th says:

"The body of Elbert Buckner, the young farmer who was drowned in the French Broad river last Friday, was found yesterday near Marshall, at a point a little more than a mile below where he is supposed to have fallen in the water. Mr. Buckner was drowned at a ford, and was riding towards his home, but many appear to believe that he was killed and thrown in the water. The body was found lying on some drift-wood, on the side of the river opposite Marshall, and in a place that was nearly inaccessible. Boats could not be gotten near the place, and it was late when the body was discovered.

"Passengers on the afternoon train from Marshall tell a remarkable story concerning this case. The body was not only allowed to remain on the drift-wood all last night, but all today, 24 hours after it was found. To keep it from washing away the body was tied with a rope, one end of which was attached to a near by tree. The people of Marshall considered this inhuman, but some relatives objected to removal till the coroner came. It is said that Senator Pritchard wanted this statement made to avoid reflection on the people of his town. The coroner was out of town and some question is raised as to his right to hold an inquest when he does get there, as his qualification papers were never made out properly. It is not known here whether the body was taken out tonight or not."

#### Strange Phenomenon in Ashe.

Ashe county has the strangest phenomenon yet reported as a supposed result of the continuous rains. On Phoenix Mountain, four miles from Jefferson, crowds have been gathering for several days to see the openings in the sides of the mountain. There are three of these openings, varying in width from two to nine feet and of a depth of from two to six feet. There are no slides of earth at the points, but a sharp division of the soil and the rocks imbedded therein. The dead trees which are lying on the surface are dragged to one side

of the opening, or left spanning them; the rocks, which lay upon the surface, are upon one side or the other of the openings, with their edges suspended over the cavity. Strangest of all, the trees, which are growing at the place of the cracks in the earth, are split at the bottom and now span the opening in the earth, one half the tree on one side and the other half up on the other. Where the edge of a tree just touched the point of division in the earth, that edge is shaved off and the tree left standing. — Jefferson correspondence Charlotte Observer.

#### Catawba's Wheat Yield.

From statistics of this year's wheat crop, Catawba can boast of producing the largest yield of any county in the state. From the threshers' tallies and from the wheat in the sheaves under shelter, which will be threshed within the next fortnight, this county will make between four hundred and four hundred and fifty thousand bushels, making about one-twelfth of all the wheat produced in the state—the average per acre being greatly in excess of that of any other county, some of our farmers producing forty five to fifty bushels per acre. Many of the farms are equipped with the most modern seeding and harvesting machines, the planters sparing no expense for equipping their farms for the cultivation of small grains. — Hickory special to the Charlotte Observer.

#### The \$50,000,000 Plow Trust a Sure Thing.

CHICAGO, Aug. 29.—Nearly 30 plow manufacturers of the United States were in session here today, discussing plans for a consolidation of all of the plow interests in the country.

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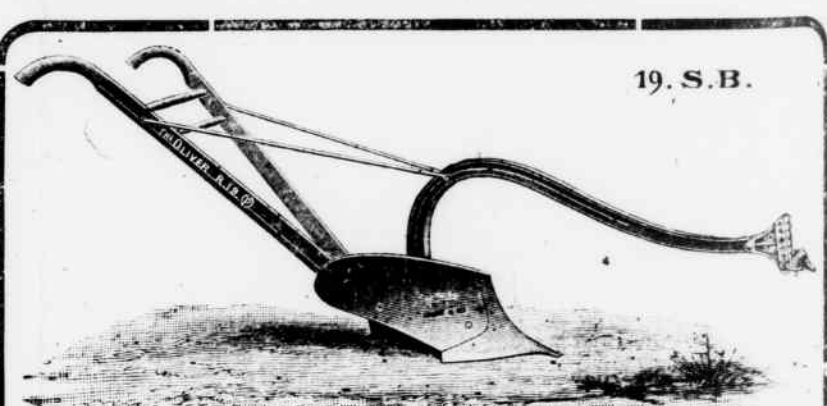
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A RAGING FLOOD.  
Worst Storm in Forty Years Breaks  
Over Cleveland.

Cleveland, O., Sept. 1.—With the breaking of dawn this morning the citizens of Cleveland awoke to look upon a scene of unparalleled devastation and destruction caused by a raging flood. While the entire city was more or less affected, the great volume of raging water vented its anger over miles of the eastern portion of the city and caused an amount of damage approximated at \$1,000,000. The appalling overflow was caused by a terrific rain that commenced to fall shortly after 2 o'clock. It turned into a perfect deluge between the hours of 3 and 5, and then continued with great force until nearly 10 o'clock. The storm, according to the weather officials, was the heaviest that ever swept over Cleveland since the establishment of the government weather bureau in this city, over forty years ago. That no lives were lost is nothing short of a miracle, as the number of thrilling escapes from the water on several of the principal streets of the city are told. The surging waters spread over an area in the East End nearly eight miles long and a mile and a half wide.

Great volumes of water poured over from Giddings and Doan brooks down Quincy street, swamped Vienna street, rushed over Cedar avenue back over on East Prospect street, rushed like a mill race down Lincoln avenue to Euclid avenue and then on to Glen Park place, where houses were undermined as though built of straw and almost irreparable damage was done to streets and property.

Over a large share of this exclusive residence territory the water rushed with terrific force, varying in depth from one to six feet. Culverts, trestles and bridges were torn down and for hours nothing seemed capable of stemming the tide of rain.

Hundreds of residents who were imprisoned in their beautiful homes like stranded islanders were almost panic-stricken, expecting to be called upon to wade out into the swirling waters at almost every minute. Danger signals were flashed about the city as speedily as the disabled telephone system would allow, and the work of rescue was commenced. Row boats went back and forth assisting whole families from perilous positions, but these proved pitifully inadequate and it was soon found necessary to go to the extraordinary precaution of calling on the life-saving crew from the river, a distance of seven miles.

The life boats were quickly loaded and hurried to the scene of destruction. The torrent surged with awful force for hours in a stream from Fairmount to the boulevard and over a dozen families were penned in like rats in a trap with water five and six feet surrounding their homes. At this point the life-saving crew worked valiantly and assisted by squads of firemen and policemen finally succeeded in landing the terror-stricken people in places of safety. The fear was greatly enhanced by the momentary expectation that the great Shaker Heights dam would break loose and send forth terrible destruction.

On that street, a short thoroughfare between Bolton avenue and Oakdale street, was practically washed off the map of Cleveland. The large sewer in the street, caved in, taking with it the entire street and sidewalks. A number of railroad washers at near-by places are reported, and the street, which runs parallel to Euclid avenue, was a scene of indescribable excitement. The lower end of the street was completely flooded. The swirling waters which came down from the heights in the East and the boulevard tore in torrents around the frame buildings. The upper windows of the houses were filled with frightened men and women, who were in a state of approaching panic. To-day's rainfall amounted to 4.28 inches, the greatest in the history of local weather statistics.

CAPE COLONY INVADIED.  
Sheepers' Command Enters—More  
Vigorous War Measures Needed  
by Great Britain.

London, August 31.—Some interesting side lights are thrown on the South African war by advices published to-day. A dispatch from Cape Town to The Daily Mail indicates that Scheepers' commando has moved to the southwest and invaded a part of Cape Colony previously undisturbed by the Boers, while more severe restrictions have been imposed with the object of preventing communication between Cape Town and the newly-disturbed areas. The Cologne Gazette's correspondent in Cape Town declares that the entire Cape Colony is a boiling mass of disorder and confusion. He asserts also that the Boers are receiving support from the natives.

General Wallace, writing to The Daily Mail, expresses a decided opinion that Lord Kitchener's ban on the surrender of a single Boer without penalties are needed, and that a useful policy being vigorously carried out. In the early part of August a correspondent of The Morning Post had a long talk with Lord Kitchener, in which he expressed that "it is not Lord Kitchener but the government that is the cause for many of the present Boer troubles. It seems, com-

plained that the home government continually worried him about trivial details, "merely to reply to parliamentary heckling," and that this compelled him to enforce a strict censorship over telegrams, although personally he objected to the present system. He said he thought correspondents ought to be given greater liberty and to be made responsible for their statements. He avoided expressing any opinion about the "approaching end of the war," and dissuaded the correspondent from speaking concerning it.

Both the Morning Post and the Standard give information as to the concentration camps and confirm the reports of very heavy mortality there, especially among the children. This is said to be largely due to the increase of inhabitants, but the conditions are rapidly changing. At the beginning of August there were 100,000 persons in the concentration camps. A correspondent of the Morning Post asserts that the Boer refugees get 18 pounds in rations per head as against 12 pounds per head given to British loyalists and he recommends as politically and economically advisable that the Boers be removed to the coast.

Successful Negro Farmer.

Scotland Neck, N. C., August 30.—"I wouldn't give a chew of tobacco for politics," This was Mike Hardy's answer to your correspondent when asked if he has ever taken any interest in politics. Mike Hardy is a colored man, who lives three miles from Scotland Neck. In 1872 he bought fifty acres of sandy land several miles from Roanoke river, and built a comfortable home. He cultivated his little farm faithfully for a number of years and was so encouraged that in 1878 he bought 240 acres of land on Roanoke river. This venture was so satisfactory that in 1880 he purchased 375 acres, and in 1897 135 acres more. Mike has thus in round numbers 800 acres of valuable land. When asked by your correspondent about the value of it, he said, "I would not like to take \$10,000 for it." He expects to finish paying for it this fall. He is sixty-two years old and labored hard himself until five years ago. Now he rents out his farms and says his annual income is about \$1,000. He has reared a family of four children and has given them all a fairly good education. He sent one girl to Richmond and one boy to Raleigh. The other girl and boy he sent to school around home.

Mike is a plain man in manner and talk, being unable to read much if any. He has paid no attention to politics further than to vote.

Mike is a good citizen and is respected by all the white people in the community.—Raleigh Observer.

Admiral Howison Will Not be a  
Member of the Court.

Washington, D. C., Aug. 31.—Schley's counsel will challenge the fitness of Admiral Howison as a member of the Court of Inquiry. The challenge will be made as soon as the formal sessions open. This will be the first business and will inevitably delay the proceedings from one to ten days.

Despite the long letters of Admiral Howison, made public yesterday, in which he disclaims responsibility for the interview derogatory to Schley, the latter's counsel are not satisfied. They claim they have affidavits not only supporting the Boston interview, which he disowns, but showing that he has been almost ardent partisan of Sampson and has expressed his conviction in terms that could not be misunderstood.

The Dream of Socialists.

"The more advanced advocates of socialism," declares the Philadelphia Record, "recognize in the formation of great combinations of capital the last stage of progress toward the time when all wealth will be arbitrarily divided among the masses of mankind. As greed becomes organized and more and more grasping, it is the theory of these levelers that counter organization will be made inevitable, and that as a result of it the many must crush the few."

"But the Socialist philosophers leave out of consideration the inevitable conflict of combinations against combinations. The monstrosities cannot satisfactorily divide their spoil. They will tear and rend each other. While there is no such thing possible as an equality of distribution of talents or wealth among all the sons of men, there is an eternal competition which enforces the only practicable equalization."

"If the Socialists could create an enforced equality on one day of the week, the next day their labor would have to be gone over again. There is, as asserted in the Declaration of Independence, an equality of inalienable natural rights; but, starting from that basis, every man must strive for himself according to his strength and opportunity."

George Howard, a prominent farmer of Wetumpka, Ala., recently led a mob that lynched a negro who had shot a white man. Last week he was tried and convicted of murder in the first degree and sentenced to life imprisonment.

So terrible is the prospect of famine in Russia that it is believed the coming winter will be the worst in her history.

SOME INDIAN MAGIC.

QUEER FEATS THE FAKIRS PERFORM  
IN BROAD DAYLIGHT.

A Fire and Water Trick That Is Pretty Hard to Explain and an Apparent Display of Strength That Passes Understanding.

The question of how the fakirs of India perform their wonderful tricks is a matter that has for centuries interested scientists, and the best explanation that has yet been offered of the matter is that it is done by hypnotic power—that is, that the fakirs simply hypnotize the entire audience and make them think that they saw trees grow out of the ground in a second. Libraries have been written on the subject. In his book entitled "Quaint Corners of Ancient Empires" Mr. Michael Meyers Shoemaker deals in an interesting manner with the Indian fakirs.

In writing about the fakirs he says: "The statement has been made by such prestidigitators as Herrmann and Keller that they had never seen any tricks by these men of India which they could not explain. Be that as it may, these common street magicians of India do some very clever things."

"Certainly the performance before the Grand hotel, Colombo, this morning, under the blazing sunlight and not three feet from the looker on was remarkable. As to the mango tree trick, there appeared a strong resemblance between a tree grown yesterday and the one produced this morning. But it was in the other performances that the observers were most interested."

"In one instance the fakir took a small jar of metal and handed it around to show that it was empty. Then, placing a copper coin between his teeth, he began to blow, and smoke soon issued from his mouth and nostrils. The jar, which was held aloft all the time, was found filled with water, which commenced to boil furiously."

"Passing it aside, he opened his mouth and ejected jets of living flame. Indeed the whole cavity of the throat appeared to be filled with fire, which ignited anything with which it came in contact. We all saw the empty jar, the filled jar, the boiling water and the fire, but the fire never approached the jar."

"Another trick consisted in causing a dead and dried up cobra to come to life, or so it appeared. The snake is usually kept in a small, round, flat basket with a closely fitting cover. This we saw was empty, and into it the fakir laid the flat, dried skin of a dead serpent."

"Placing it not three feet from our circle and in the brilliant light of the southern sun, he covered the basket with its lid and then made the usual passes with the inevitable cloth, about a yard square, which he held by two corners to show that it contained nothing."

"His costume consisted of one garment of the shirt order, the sleeves of which were tucked up at the shoulders, affording, it would seem, scant opportunity to hide anything, yet when, after a few waves of the cloth, he removed the lid of the basket the dead snake was gone and in its place rose the majestic head and neck of one of the largest of cobras."

"It must be remembered that when we see such work in England or America it is done at a distance and on the stage, with all the assistance of stage lights and shadows, but in this case we were out in the plain air and near enough for the serpent to have stung us."

"The last trick consisted of a display of apparently wonderful strength. A boy of 10 years of age was tied up in a large scarf, with its ends attached to two strong cords. At the ends of these cords were hollow brass cups about the size of an acorn. The fakir, raising the upper lid of each of his eyes, inserted these cups thereunder, with the hollow side next to the eyeball, after which he pulled the eyelids well down. "Then, with hands on hips and head well back, he arose to his full height, lifting the boy a foot or more off the ground and swinging him from side to side, the entire weight of course falling upon the brass cups. It seemed a marvel that the eyeballs were not destroyed."

"Perhaps those who understand these matters can explain all that was done, but certainly no magicians on our stage have accomplished similar feats, and yet these men are but common street performers."

Identified.

A richly dressed woman entered the office of a trust company in Philadelphia the other day to rent a box. "Have you any one to identify you?" asked the attendant.

"Certainly not," said the woman indignantly. "Everybody knows who I am."

"That may be," was the reply, "but I don't know that you are the woman of that name."

Just then another woman, who had been transacting some business, raised her head, and a frigid nod passed between them.

"Do you know this woman?" asked the bank official.

"I don't want to know her," snapped the woman. "She lives next door to me, and instructed her footman to kick my dog, just because it chanced to be on her step. You needn't ask me to identify her, for I won't."

"I wouldn't let you identify me," retorted the applicant for a box. "I think you have acted horribly about your old dog, and you left the Dorcas society, telling everybody you wouldn't belong as long as I was a member. A nice Christian spirit!"

In the meantime the bank official, entirely satisfied that the identification was complete, handed over the key to the box, to the ill concealed chagrin of the other woman, who had identified her against her will.

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Having this day qualified before John J. Nelson, clerk of the Superior court of Guilford county, as administrator of the estate of Mrs. E. H. Seales, deceased, I hereby notify all persons having claims against said estate to present the same to me on or before the 7th day of August, 1901, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery. All persons owing said estate are hereby notified to make immediate settlement.  
This 1st day of August, 1901.  
J. E. M. RAPER, Administrator.

**Executors Notice.**  
Having qualified before the clerk of the Superior court of Guilford county as executor of the estate of Mrs. E. H. Seales, deceased, I hereby notify all persons having claims against said estate to present them to me on or before the 7th day of August, 1901, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment.  
This 7th day of August, 1901.  
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## A BURNING QUESTION.

The Lynching of Rape Fiends and the Position of Governor Aycock—Outside Interference.

Correspondence of the PATRIOT

RALEIGH, Sept. 2.—The lynching of rape fiends and the demand in certain quarters for the "suppression of lynch law" (through the legal punishment of those who participate in this summary method of avenging assaults upon the virtue of white womanhood) has become a burning question in North Carolina.

The horrible and unprecedented record of criminal assaults in this state during the last few weeks, and the position which Governor Aycock has taken looking to the prosecution of the lynchers, especially in the Anson county case, has forced the question to the front, and caused considerable feeling to be worked up in some of the communities affected.

There are not lacking reputable and more or less influential citizens who take the position that the governor should not seek to send to the penitentiary at least some of the "honest and good citizens" who have taken part in lynchings, under great provocation and while laboring under the natural indignation and excitement some of these most aggravated and inhuman crimes have provoked. And some of the newspapers are saying as much, also. The Wadesboro Messenger and Intelligencer, for instance, says:

"A person who has not lived in a neighborhood where some good woman has been despoiled, and, perhaps, murdered by a black monster, is not in a position to criticize the summary action of those who knew and loved the victim, in ridding the earth of the vile beast who assaulted her. The writer can testify from experience that the nearer one is to the scene of a crime of this sort the less disposition does he feel to leave to the slow process of the courts its avenging, and he can easily conceive how impossible it would be for the neighbors and friends of the injured woman to restrain themselves.

"The negro at McFarlan was executed by as good men as there are in North Carolina and nothing is to be gained by inquisitorial proceedings by the courts with a view to their punishment."

It is reported here that a delegation of Anson county people is coming to Raleigh to consult with the governor and ask him not to offer a reward for the arrest of the participants in the lynching of the negro, Luke Hough, whose criminal assault and attempted murder of Miss Keith was one of the most horrible and revolting of crimes. One or two have already had a conference with him.

In the meantime, however, an alleged "reward" (\$500 for the "apprehension and conviction of each person") has been offered by outsiders—a so-called "National Council of the World," with headquarters at Seattle, in this Anson county case. So, if there were four hundred of the lynching party, this "Council" would be called upon to pay \$200,000 in this one case, provided conviction was secured.

Nothing is known here of the financial responsibility of this society, except that it is probably on a par with several others composed of theoretical visionaries with more tongue than practical sense or pecuniary foundation—and none of its advertised cash is likely to really and actually ever find its way to North Carolina, for more reasons than one.

Governor Aycock received notice of the "reward" last Friday, but was not favorably impressed thereby. He says this state is able to look after the execution of its own laws, and that he does not approve of such meddling by outsiders.

The next week or two will be marked by the opening of most of our colleges and schools for the session of 1901-'02—and it is a source of congratulation that we have such excellent educational facilities now in North Carolina, never before equalled. Talking today with a widely known and prominent citizen—himself one of the best educated men in the state and long connected with several institutions of learning, and therefore a competent judge—he said:

"I have two promising young fellows and two of the brightest and sweetest of girls completing their education. This year I send my boys to Trinity and my girls to the State Normal and Industrial, and I am glad to know they are the selection of my children as well as my own choice—no better in the South."

The Census Bureau figures promulgated last Friday show that North Carolina still contains the largest percentage of pure Anglo-Saxon blood—the most "American" of all the states. Out of a population of 1,893,810 there are only 4,492 foreign-born people, making a percentage of only one-fifth of

one per cent. We have with us, however, 630,207 "colored" people, of whom 51 are Chinese, 5,787 Indians, and 624,469 negroes and mulattoes. The negroes constitute exactly one-third of the population. There are 16,456 more females than males, altogether, but the negro women make up the female majority, there being 707 more white males than white females, 17,093 more negro women than negro men. In Raleigh, however, there are more white women and nearly 700 more negro women, making nearly 1,000 majority for the females. We can therefore, supply some of your eligible young men with a few mighty good wives—and pretty as peaches, all of 'em.

Insurance Commissioner Young on Saturday sent out notices to the county branches of the Farmers' Mutual Insurance Company that unless they co-operate with the state organization they must take out new and separate charters.

The new state veterinarian, Dr. Tait Butler, has gone to Hyde county and contiguous counties, where horses have been dying by the hundreds from a disease which the local farmers have been unable to cope with.

Though more than five months have elapsed since its conclusion, the report of the impeachment trial of Justices Furches and Douglass has not been printed, as ordered. Clerk of the Senate Maxwell, however, says the printers now promise to get out the volume in about thirty days.

And now we are told that the new penitentiary management has "reduced expenses one half" and therefore has been able to get through the spring and summer without calling on the state treasury. It will be two months yet before the "experts" finish "untangling" the Day-Arendell management's books—so I was told Saturday.

The dispatches announce that the government is arranging to establish several thousand new free rural delivery mail routes this fall. Let every county in North Carolina wake up to the importance of securing as many of these as possible. If your congressman is not already active in the matter, put him to work on this job at once.

### North Carolina School Census.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 31.—The Census Bureau today issued a bulletin giving the number of persons of school, militia and voting ages in North Carolina for the census year 1900.

In North Carolina persons of school age are practically all of native birth, the foreign born element of this class constituting only one-tenth of one per cent. of the whole number in the state. Colored persons of school age constitute 34.9 per cent. of the whole number of persons of school age and comprise chiefly persons of negro descent. In North Carolina males of militia age are practically all of native birth. Males of voting age are substantially all of native birth, only six tenths of 1 per cent. of the whole number being of foreign birth. Among the males of voting age as a whole, there is a considerable proportion of illiterates, the percentage being 29.4. This somewhat large percentage is due principally to the presence among males of voting age of a large number of illiterate persons of negro descent.

The figures are as follows: Children of school age, 753,826, of whom 150 are foreign born; 263,044 colored, 377,611 males and 376,215 females. Males of militia age 326,202, of whom 1,340 are foreign born and 99,626 colored. Males of voting age, 417,578, of whom 2,530 are foreign born and 128,315 colored.

### Will Not Have Justice Done Him Until After He is Dead.

The historian of the present, or the next generation, is not likely to accord Gen. Ransom his proper place in history. It was so with his great kinsman, Nathaniel Macon, whom we regard as, perhaps, the greatest statesman North Carolina has produced.

After serving his state and country for nearly a quarter of a century with distinguished ability in the highest legislative body in the world Gen. Ransom retired to private life, on his farm, in debt and comparatively a poor man; while many others, in like condition when then entered, and with the same opportunity, became millionaires. This speaks volumes for Gen. Ransom's honesty and devotion to duty. Since his retirement to private life he is rapidly accumulating a fortune by farming, and at a time of great agricultural depression. He is now the largest cotton farmer in the state.—Roanoke Chowan Times.

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## STATE NEWS.

A national bank is to be organized in Newton.

Montie Jennings has been appointed postmaster at Cedar Falls.

The boll worm has appeared in growing cotton in some sections of the state.

North Carolina gets \$23,366 from the government for the support of the militia in this state.

The hogs from Vanderbilt's Biltmore estate took the first premium at the Buffalo exposition.

State Auditor Dixon says 100 corporations have failed to send in the appraisements of their capital stock.

Senator Pritchard will go to Ohio to speak during the state campaign which will open there on September 21st.

The North Carolina Tobacco Growers Association will meet in Raleigh during the state fair, in October.

A few days ago two negroes in Concord were discovered to have smallpox. They had concealed the fact as long as possible.

Capt. E. S. Latimer, said to be the wealthiest citizen of Wilmington, died of dropsy last week. He was forty-four years old.

A negro woman has been put in Richmond county jail for placing her infant in a well. There was no water in the well, the child was not killed, but died from neglect, says the coroner's jury.

A negro named Garner from South Carolina has been put in jail at Gastonia for pursuing a girl. Bloodhounds tracked him and he was found in Crowder's creek hiding in water up to his arms.

Whooping cough is raging at the Thomasville (Baptist) Orphanage. Superintendent Boone hopes no children subject to it will come or return to the orphanage until all danger of taking it is over.

The gain in taxable valuation of property in the state under the new law will perhaps be larger than was generally believed it would be. Some of the estimates are that the increase will amount to \$40,000,000.

The Supreme court has made a new rule, requiring that when the justices enter the court room, at the opening, the members of the bar in the court room rise and remain standing until the justices take their seats.

A movement is on foot to have the cotton farmers of the state hold meetings on the 21st and arrange for a state meeting in Raleigh on the 25th. The purpose of the meeting is to take steps to secure higher prices for cotton seed.

An organization in Seattle, Wash., has notified Governor Aycock that it offers \$500 each for the arrest of persons implicated in lynching Luke Hough, an Anson county negro rapist. Governor Aycock resents this outside interference and says the people of North Carolina are able to manage their own affairs.

The Dowie form of the divine healing craze has struck Reidsville. Webster's Weekly says: "This divine healing business strikes us as being one of the silliest crazes ever turned loose upon the country. It is surprising that intelligent people should be taken in by it. Five Reidsville people have joined the Dowie crowd, viz., Rev. Frank Royall and wife, Dr. C. A. Rominger and wife, and Mrs. H. D. Gardner. The craze (or craziness) has cost the life of one sweet and promising girl in our town and it does seem that that lesson ought to have been sufficient." The young lady referred to was a daughter of Dr. Rominger. She died several months ago. It is claimed that the girl asked for a physician, but she was refused, and died for lack of medical aid.

### Wears a Policeman's Star.

St. Paul, Minn., Aug. 30.—Mrs. C. A. Severance, wife of C. A. Severance, the law partner of the late Senator Cushman K. Davis, was today appointed a special policeman and invested with authority to arrest malefactors.

Mrs. Severance is one of the leading society women of St. Paul and is greatly interested in improving the condition of dumb animals, and secured the authority to enable her to carry out more effectively the aims of the Humane Society. Mrs. Severance's commission was made out today and delivered to her, accompanied by the regulation police star. She said today that members of the Humane Society had often been defeated because of the slowness in getting police in making arrests and that she will regularly visit the wholesale districts, where heavy loads are imposed on horses, and make arrests herself.

Following the deficit in the French wheat crop, the price of bread has been raised in Paris.

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### Found After Five Days.

WINSTON SALEM, Aug. 30.—The body of Mrs. Charles Wright, who was drowned in Stewart's creek, at Laurel Bluff, Surry county, on Thursday of last week, was found on Tuesday afternoon half a mile below the point where the drowning took place. Mr. and Mrs. Wright and a little nephew, of Little Fish river, were on their way home from Mt. Airy. They did not realize their danger and drove into the creek when it was already fast, fording and rapidly rising. The mule and wagon were washed down the stream, the occupants of the wagon being thrown out into the rushing waters. Mr. Wright and the child succeeded in making their escape, but Mrs. Wright was drowned.

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### LAND SALE.

By virtue of a decree of the Superior court of Guilford county, in the special proceeding wherein John McClintock and others are petitioners and David Fogelman and wife are defendants, for a sale of land for partition, the undersigned, as commissioner appointed by said court, will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash, on

MONDAY, OCT. 7, 1901,

at the court house door in the city of Greensboro, a certain tract of land situated in Jefferson township, Guilford county, on the public road leading from Greensboro by Alamance church to Mt. Pleasant factory, 6 1/2 miles from Greensboro and one-half mile from Alamance church, and on the waters of Alamance creek, adjoining on the north the lands of Riley Fogelman; on the east, William Hockett; on the south, Wesley Alred and Yemable B. Donnell; and on the west by Thomas Whiteley, and containing 42 acres.

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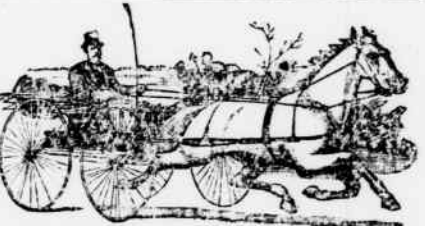
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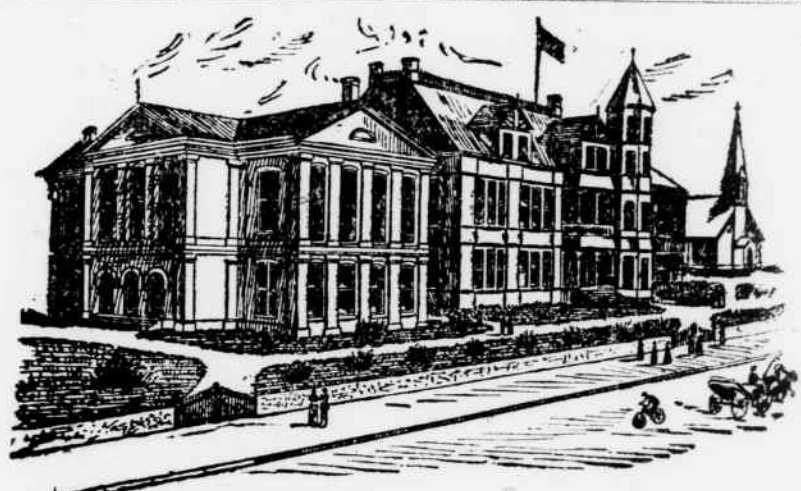
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## NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS.

Matters of Interest Reported by Our Corps of Correspondents.

### Brick Church Items.

Your Elberta correspondent was a welcome visitor last week.

Mr. Sid Clapp, of Mississippi, is the guest of Mr. W. H. Fogleman.

Mr. J. C. Clapp, of the Greensboro postoffice force, was here last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Stewart, of McLeansville, visited Miss Mattie Coble last Sunday.

Mr. John R. Stewart, a prominent Greensboro business man, was here last Sunday.

Mr. Thomas Low, formerly of this section but now of Greensboro, was a visitor recently.

Mr. Carey Glass and others of near Greensboro were down and heard two good sermons Sunday.

Mr. G. W. Davenport, a successful merchant of Whitesett, was a welcome caller one day this week.

Mr. Paul Hozier, of Burlington, was here last Sunday. He is a great leader in the fruit tree business.

Mr. A. H. Fogleman has lately made a visit to the springs in western North Carolina. He says the trip was a most enjoyable one.

Misses Espie Clapp and Hattie Greeson have entered school at Whitesett. About a half a dozen will enter from this section yet this term.

We were very much pleased to see our genial friend, Mr. Robert Stewart, of near McLeansville, among the congregation at Brick Church last Sunday.

Among the young men from here who are taking courses in college in North Carolina are W. S. Clapp at Catawba, and C. C. Barnhardt and J. B. Robertson at the State University.

Miss Hattie Greeson, although in school, will continue her work to some extent in the art of engraving pictures through the aid of H. P. Gripp, an experienced artist of Tyne, Pa.

Mrs. Maria Hoffman has moved to Whitesett to place her children in school. We understand that several good families are anticipating moving there soon, but cannot, because of there being no houses vacant. Prof. Whitesett should employ carpenters to build more dormitories and thus add several inhabitants to his village.

We mention with sincere sympathy that our genuine friend and good minister, Rev. H. M. Brown, is very sick and has been for some time. It was said in a previous writing that he would be able to hold protracted meeting at Low's church at the stated time, but his confinement to the sick room hindered him from doing so, and it is thought he cannot preach any in a month or more.

We don't know when there has been a larger crowd of people at Brick Church than last Sunday at protracted services. Our former pastor, Rev. J. D. Andrew, of Burlington, preached two sermons with force and eloquence. About two hundred partook of the holy sacrament. We are indeed glad to have Rev. Andrew with us on this occasion. The meeting will extend through several days.

### Whitesett Items.

Mr. Paul Grierson, of Mooresville, spent Friday here.

Mrs. Ida Holt, of Burlington, visited here last week.

Mrs. Nancy Clapp has returned from a visit to Newton.

The three literary societies began active work last Friday.

Mr. H. Brower-Smith will attend North Carolina College this year.

There will be preaching at Springwood church at 11 a. m. next Sabbath.

Miss Blanche Rankin has accepted a position as music teacher at Walnut Cove.

Numbers of parents have been here the past week to place their children in school.

Rev. C. A. Brown preached an interesting sermon here Sunday upon "Honoring God."

The Whitesett orchestra is being reorganized and will furnish music for public exercises, etc.

Mrs. Richard Thompson, of Davidson, spent the past week here with Mr. G. W. Davenport.

Mr. J. W. Summers, wife and daughter, of Sedalia, were welcome visitors the first of the week.

Miss Effie Tate, of Greensboro, and Misses Ida and Jennie Sockwell, of Frieden's, were here Sunday.

Messrs. J. A. Davidson, H. W. Steele, and H. B. Owen, of Gibsonville, were here for Sunday's services.

Mr. C. C. Barnhardt closed a successful school at Brookfield last week. He leaves for the University next week.

Mr. W. J. Thompson, of this place, has been elected to teach the Gibsonville school. Mr. J. R. Hoffmann will teach at Brookfield.

The Y. M. C. A. reorganized Sunday morning with Prof. J. H. Joyner, president; J. S. McNider, of Perquimans county, and G. T. Ayscue, Franklin county, vice presidents, and G. B. Martin, Charlottesville, Va., secretary and treasurer. The association enrolled a large number of new members.

The opening of Whitesett Institute has exceeded all expectations, and more students are now enrolled than ever before at this same date. They are still arriving by every train. The present arrivals represent more than twenty five North Carolina counties, a number of Virginia counties, South Carolina and Alabama.

### Elberta Items.

Little Garnet May, who has been sick, is improving.

Miss Nina Glass is improving after having a relapse of fever.

Miss Gertie Sharp will enter school at Guilford College this term.

Miss Jessie King, of Madison, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Hester, of Vandalia.

Mr. Troxler and cousin, of Benaja, visited at Mr. J. H. Weatherly's last week.

Mr. John Smith celebrated his ninety fifth birthday last week. He is in very good health.

Miss Virtie Sharp will leave today to spend a few weeks at the Pan American Exposition.

Mr. W. F. Low is in Lincolnton visiting relatives. He accompanied Misses Co. a and Clara Warlick home.

Mrs. Elvira Scott is in Greensboro attending her daughter, Mrs. Charles Glass, who has typhoid fever.

Mr. Ed Witty's eldest child was bitten by a horse some time since while playing where the horse was grazing.

Mr. W. C. Rankin received a shock of lightning last week during a storm. The family also felt the effects.

Mr. Julius Sharp has moved his family to the home he purchased of Mr. Waddell. This farm adjoins his other.

Your correspondent had the pleasure of attending services at Brick Church yesterday, also of spending a night with relatives.

Miss Mayme McKnight, Maggie Kirkman, Minnie Hardin, and Messrs. Robert Stewart, John Tucker, J. H. Gilmer and family, and Miss Gretter have been recent visitors.

We were glad to have Rev. J. E. Hartsell and son, of Lincolnton, also Rev. Cecil, of Flat Rock circuit, assist Rev. Hutton at Moriah. The meeting closed Thursday afternoon with five accessions to the church.

### Pleasant Garden Items.

Mrs. J. C. Kennett is on the sick list.

Mr. Ed McCulloch visited in the neighborhood recently.

Mr. and Mrs. John Riley visited near Vandalia recently.

Miss Bertha Gray has gone to Morganton to be a trained nurse.

Little Pearl Matthews is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Carl Riley, of Centre.

Mrs. Hollowell and daughter are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Fred Fen trees.

Miss Callie Wilburn, of High Point, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Dr. Gray.

There was a mad dog killed near here last Sunday. It was thought to have come from Greensboro.

Our pastor, Rev. Mr. Poe, closed his meeting at Bethlehem church, near Climax, last Friday night.

### Sedalia Items.

Fodder pulling is in order now. The Patriot did not reach us last week till Saturday.

Miss Effie Tate, of Greensboro, is visiting Miss Rosa Smith.

Mrs. R. B. Andrew left Saturday for a visit to her parents, at Catawba.

Rev. Leslie Wharton, of Cardenas, Cuba, visited in this community recently.

Miss Alice Dick, of Whitesett, visited Miss Rosa Smith the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Stewart, of McLeansville, spent Thursday at Capt. Dick's.

Mr. Giles Foushee, of Greensboro, was a visitor at Capt. Dick's Sunday last.

Mr. H. Brower Smith left Monday for Mt. Pleasant, where he will attend North Carolina College.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Ferguson, of Greensboro, are spending some time with her mother, Mrs. Boone.

Master Boyd McLean is spending some time with his grand mother, Mrs. Cobb, near Elon College.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. McLean entertained a number of the young people of this community at their pleasant home Wednesday evening last.

Messrs. Will May and Joe Fogleman, of Brick Church, and the Misses Shepherd, of Whitesett, visited Misses Cora Dick and Rosa Smith recently.

Among the visitors at Bethel Sunday we noticed Miss Minnie Stuart and brothers, of Alamance Church; Mrs. Zula Rankin and daughter, of Fayetteville, and Mrs. J. S. Ferguson, of Greensboro.

Mrs. E. Boone, of this community, celebrated her seventieth birthday Friday by a general reunion of the family. The number that were present, including children, grandchildren and great grandchildren, was forty-five. The day was spent pleasantly and will long be remembered by all present.

### Kimesville Items.

Miss Ixona Foster's school closed last Tuesday.

Mr. Robertson made a trip to Enterprise Saturday.

Miss Florence Smith went to Burlington Saturday.

Mr. John Curtis is able to be out again after an attack of fever.

Mrs. R. F. Amick and son, Clyde, went to Greensboro last Friday.

Mrs. William Layton, of Burlington, spent a week here recently.

Messrs. John Webster and Claude Fogleman were on the sick list last week.

Mr. H. E. Friddle and his daughter recently visited his sick father at Mt. Hope.

Miss Gertrude Fogleman spent last week with her brother, Mr. Collie Fogleman.

Miss Della May and her mother recently visited Mr. T. W. May's family at Mt. Hope.

Miss Lelia Wood and brother, Harry, spent Saturday with their sister, Mrs. Ada Amick.

Mr. John Shoffner, of Spray, is spending a few months with his father, Mr. George Shoffner.

Simpson Field's children are making their home with their grandmother, Mrs. Henry Wheeler.

Mrs. Lydia Girton, having spent a few weeks with her son, Mr. A. M. Girton, has returned to Burlington.

Miss Pearl Cheek, of Chapel Hill, visited Misses Mamie Amick and Nannie Causey during the special meeting.

Miss Grace Shepard, of Greensboro, spent the week visiting Misses Mary Smith and Berta Shepard during the special meeting.

It is announced that Mr. W. M. Hanner, of this place, and Miss Myn Reitzel, of Liberty, are to be married Wednesday, September 4.

### Ramseur Items.

A number of our citizens went to Asheboro Monday.

Miss M. J. Tate, of Pender county, is visiting her brother, Dr. C. S. Tate.

Ramseur Store Company received a large lot of notions and hardware last week.

Mr. and Mrs. I. F. Craven visited the former's parents near Coleridge last Friday.

Ramseur High School has 90 students enrolled and the cry is "still they come."

The Misses Alvie and Lydia Phillips visited friends in Chatham county last month.

The game of checkers is the pastime this season and Ramseur can boast of some good players, too.

Mr. J. F. Greeson, the clever representative of the Patriot, was in town last week. We hope he will come again.

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Rev. T. S. Ellington preached a very able sermon in the Methodist church last Sunday morning and Rev. R. L. Fruit filled the pulpit very acceptably at night.

The Alberta Furniture factory is running on full time and turning out some fine furniture these days. Mr. O. T. Leonard, the general manager, is an up to date furniture man and has built up a large trade for his factory.

### Oak Ridge Items.

September!

Golden rods and autumn splendor.

Farmers are busy in fodder saving and hay making.

People are getting educated in favor of good roads.

Lanier Donnell left last week for Wake Forest college.

Miss Mattie Baynes will leave soon for Oxford Seminary.

Earle Holt leaves this week for Chapel Hill to resume his studies.

Miss Blanche Holt goes to Salem Academy this week to resume her work.

Misses Lentz, of Concord, and Warren, of Durham, are visiting Miss Blanche Holt.

Prof. R. H. Wright goes this year to Johns Hopkins University to take a post graduate course.

Prof. J. T. Bennett, of Nebraska, will be physical director of the school and coach of football and baseball teams.

Rev. H. J. Hartsell, (Oak Ridge Institute '96 and Western Maryland College '99) has been elected to a position as teacher in the institute.

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### EXECUTORS' NOTICE.

The undersigned having this day qualified as executors of the last will and testament of Thomas W. Taylor, deceased, notice is hereby given to all persons holding claims against said estate to present them to the undersigned for payment on or before the 15th day of August, 1902, or this notice will be paid in bar of a recovery, and all persons indebted to said estate will make immediate payment. This 15th day of August, 1902.  
MINNIE MCADAMS, DELLA FLETCHER, Executors of the last will and testament of Thomas W. Taylor, deceased.  
Spencer B. Adams, Attorney. 34-6t

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## Vast Possibilities of the Great Dismal Swamp.

The Department of Agriculture is about to issue an exhaustive bulletin on the Great Dismal Swamp, its flora and its agricultural possibilities. There is, perhaps, no part of the United States which has been explored so little as the Great Dismal Swamp, unless it is the Everglades of Florida.

This great body of land, covered with forests growing in six to ten feet of water, extends over an area of about 2,400 square miles, its greatest width being 40 miles and its greatest length 60 miles. A botanical expedition under Thomas H. Kearney, Jr., spent six months in and about the swamp gathering material for this report.

The climate of the Dismal Swampy region is characterized by a mild winter, and by a long and hot, though not extremely hot, summer. The normal number of days in the year which have a temperature of above 43 degrees, which is generally regarded as the minimum temperature for vegetable activity in most plants of the temperate zone, is, at Norfolk, about five-sixths of the whole. About eight months in the year the region is free from killing frosts. The normal fall of snow is very small. Its climate is regarded as very favorable to the growth of normal plants.

Lake Drummond lies almost in the center of the swamp and is a body of water three miles in diameter. The water derives its brownish color from the quantity of finely divided vegetable matter held in solution. It is regarded by the natives as having excellent tonic properties derived from the bark of white cedar or "juniper" trees.

Lake Drummond contains a multitude of gray old cypress stumps worn by weather and water into a thousand fantastic shapes. A few small trees are yet alive, the remains of a noble forest. Large areas are covered with peat, the product of decaying vegetation extending over centuries. The peat in the Black Gum parts of the swamp contains more vegetable matter than other peat, and when cleared a fine top soil is left.

The soil is acid, however, and the application of lime is often necessary. It is doubtful if the swamp for the purpose of raising corn would pay in competition with the Ohio and Mississippi valleys, where land is easily brought under cultivation, but the swamp soils are capable of producing as large yields of corn as the prairie soils of the Mississippi valley and the climatic conditions are more favorable, largely owing to the invariable rainfall.

Gum trees, oak, beech, maple, elm, pine, myrtle and other trees are found in the swamp. Owing to the value of the wood the cypress has been cut until few specimens are left, although occasionally some are found with a height of 130 feet and four to five feet diameter above the base.

### Starvation in Texas.

San Antonio, Tex., Aug. 29.—Reports to-day from Zapata county there are news that the poor classes there are facing starvation. They must have immediate help in the way of food or the results will be terrible. Ranch water has failed and cattle are too weak to travel and are dying rapidly. The country is literally burned up by drought. There is not a green thing to be seen except cactus plants. Zapata county is 50 miles from the nearest railroad and whatever food is sent to the farmers in the famine stricken place must be hauled from Laredo, a two days' trip at best.

Mayor Hicks, of this city, has started a relief fund and has already sent a small sum of money to Laredo to be used in buying food for the sufferers, but what he has sent is barely a drop in the bucket. Relief work will be continued here. Nothing has been heard here from the War Department in answer to a request for rations sent by Congressman Kieberg.

Last week's Alamance Gleaner says: "Late last Sunday afternoon three young men, Billy McDaniel, Adolphus Moser and Jerome Clark, engaged in a fight when near the lower bridge over Big Alamance, a mile or more from Srepsenville. McDaniel was stabbed in the left side in the region of the heart. Dr. Geo. W. Long dressed the wound, but it is feared he will not recover. Moser was arrested and had a hearing Sunday before S. H. Webb, J. P., and was committed to jail. Clark escaped and has not yet been taken. We hear it stated that the young men were drinking."

Norris Silver, North Stratford, N. H. "I purchased a bottle of One Minute Cough Cure when suffering with a cough doctors told me was incurable. One bottle relieved me, the second and third almost cured. Today I am a well man." Howard Gardner.

## Pointer for Patient Wives.

August Rinke lives in Hoboken, N. J. He is 70 years of age and a shoemaker by trade, but has been unable to obtain steady work, and his wife, as many wives do, has helped to support the family by washing and ironing. Recently she was compelled to go to the hospital and undergo an operation for appendicitis, and there was danger that she would lose her customers. As a matter of fact, when told what was confronting her, she had refused to undergo the operation, saying that she could not afford to lose business and a vermiform appendix at the same time. Then it was that August Rinke rose to a height that shall warrant the placing of his name in the Hoboken Hall of Fame. August said that he would do the washing and the ironing if his good wife would consent to undergo the operation. She had more faith in him than some women who launder have in their husbands, and she believed him. She went to the hospital and August went to the washtubs. The operation was a success, and Mrs. Rinke will return home in a few days. She returns to a business that has grown since her departure. August has done all that he promised to do. Not one customer has been lost. The washing has been well done; the ironing could not be improved upon. This fragment of contemporaneous history is commended to scores of women whose husbands can't or won't find employment and who are compelled to wash clothes and iron them in order to make both ends meet. Let the women wipe the suds from their hands, go to the favorite loafing places of their indolent husbands and bring them to the washtubs and a sense of duty. Compel them to wash and rinse and wring if they would eat and smoke and argue. Firmness will do it, and firmness with the aid of a broomstick is better. There is no danger that the men will run away. They are too lazy to run, and there is no place to which they can run that will not welcome them with work. Let the name of August Rinke be an inspiration and a slogan for the worn-out slaves of curbstone orators.—Boston Journal

## Cured of Chronic Diarrhoea After Thirty Years of Suffering.

"I suffered for thirty years with diarrhoea and thought I was past being cured," say John S. Hallo-way, of French Camp, Miss. "I had spent so much time and money and suffered so much that I had given up all hopes of recovery. I was so feeble from the effects of the diarrhoea that I could do no kind of labor, could not even travel, but by accident I was permitted to find a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, and after taking several bottles I am entirely cured of that trouble. I am so pleased with the result that I am anxious that it be in reach of all who suffer as I have." For sale by C. E. Holton Druggist.

Mrs. Zeta Young, the first wife of Brigham Young, the Mormon leader, has gone to her old home at Salt Lake City to die. She sustained a stroke of paralysis some days ago at the home of her daughter, near the Canadian line. Mrs. Young is nearly 80 years old and for more than half a century has been prominent in the Mormon church.

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## A Dog and a Parrot Time.

"Two worthy wives mutually sued each other for what they called libel before the Correctional Chamber," says the Paris correspondent to the London Telegraph. "Plaintiff No. 1, being asked to state her case, said it all came about owing to a parrot. The bird had a vicious disposition, and its mistress (the defendant) egged it on to be even worse than it was by nature. The plaintiff could not put her head out of window without the bird shouting opprobrious epithets at her and generally libeling her character. Before deciding this case the judge said he would hear the other, and the second matron stated that what she had to complain of was her neighbor's dog. It had been taught to bark at her whenever she went out, and so maliciously clever was the animal that at the instigation of its mistress it actually threw stones at her window panes, by tossing them up with its paws. By this time the people in the court were convulsed with laughter, but the judge remained serious. In commenting upon the two cases he pointed out that neither action had been correctly described as a suit for libel. Then he rendered his decision, which was worthy of a Solomon. One of the plaintiffs, he said, should have prosecuted the dog, the other should have cited the parrot. Both actions having been wrongly instituted, he should, therefore, dismiss them both."

## How Things Grow in Hawaii.

How great are the possibilities of Hawaii as a fruit and vegetable growing country will be understood when it becomes known that four crops of potatoes have been produced in succession on the same piece of land within 12 months. Radishes become edible 10 days after sowing. Strawberry vines bear fruit all the year. The berries are of the finest flavor.

Cabbage grows all the year and it apparently makes no difference whether it is planted in the spring, summer, autumn or winter. Parsley once sown grows forever, apparently. Lima beans continue to grow and bear for over a year, and they have to be gathered every week after starting to bear. Cucumbers bear the entire year and so do tomatoes, which, with proper attention, bear for years. Raspberries bear for six months.

Pineapples come into bearing when the plants are four months old and bear in abundance for years. Lettuce can be planted at any time and it develops quickly. The same is true of celery.

## Slavery in Burke.

MORGANTON, Aug. 28.—A woman, giving her name as Lydie Masser, came to town today with a queer story. She says that fourteen years ago a man named Lane, who lives on the top of the South Mountains in Burke county near the Rutherford line, came to her father's house and threatening her life induced her to go to his home, where she has lived in a condition of slavery ever since. She says she has been forced to do a man's work on Lane's farm, and that she was afraid to leave or make complaint, fearing that she would be killed. Lane is preparing to leave the country, she says, and she came to town to bring suit against him for her services and for the possession of some personal chattels. The truth of her story may be developed on the trial.

Geo. W. Lane, Pawamo, Mich., writes: "Your Kodol Dyspepsia Cure is the best remedy for indigestion and stomach trouble that I ever used. For years I suffered from dyspepsia, at times compelling me to stay in bed and causing me untold agony. I am completely cured by Kodol Dyspepsia Cure. In recommending it to friends who suffer from indigestion I always offer to pay for it if it fails. Thus far I have never paid." Howard Gardner.

In the city of Manila there are now less than 1,000 effective soldiers and it has been decided to increase this number by four companies of infantry. The official reason for the increase is that the guard duty is too heavy for the present force. As a matter of fact, however, there is a feeling that although there is no apparent prospect of trouble, nevertheless, in the event of an uprising in the future, such as is always possible among the Malays, it would be better to have a sufficient body of troops available for such an emergency.

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In some of the drought stricken sections of Texas the poorer people are literally facing starvation.

## Norfolk & Western Excursions.

The Norfolk & Western Railway announces cheap excursion rates for the following occasions: Pan-American Exposition, Buffalo, N. Y., May 1st to Sept. 30th. Special excursions via Norfolk & Western Railway in connection with the Pennsylvania Railroad, July 5 and 18, August 1, 15 and 29, and September 12, 1901, to Atlantic City, Cape May, Ocean City, Sea Isle City, Avalon, Anglesea, Wildwood and Holly Beach, N. J. Tickets will be sold only for trains Nos. 4 and 28 on date of excursions, good on all regular trains north of Hagerstown, except Pennsylvania Limited, and valid to return leaving the seashore and Philadelphia within sixteen days, including date of excursion. A stop-over of ten days will be allowed at Philadelphia on the going trip, if passengers deposit their tickets with the ticket agent at Broad Street Station, Philadelphia, immediately on arrival.

W. B. BEVILL, G. P. A.,  
Roanoke, Va.

## NOTICE BY PUBLICATION.

NORTH CAROLINA. In the Superior Court, GUILFORD COUNTY.  
ORDER OF PUBLICATION.  
Cora D. Gibson, plaintiff,  
vs.  
L. P. Gibson, defendant.

It appearing to the court by the return of the sheriff that after due diligence the defendant above named cannot be found in Guilford county, or within the state, and it further appearing by affidavit that the defendant is living in the state of New Jersey, and that the defendant has separated himself from the plaintiff and that she has a cause of action for divorce against the defendant.  
It is therefore ordered that notice of this action be published once a week for six weeks in the Greensboro Patriot, a weekly newspaper published in the county and state aforesaid, notifying and requiring the said defendant to appear at the term of the Superior court of said county to be held on the 21st day of October, 1901, at the court house in said county and answer or demur to the complaint of the plaintiff, or the relief therein demanded will be granted.  
Witness my hand this 26th day of August, 1901.  
JOHN J. NELSON, C. S. C.

## SALE OF PERSONAL PROPERTY.

By virtue of an order of the Superior court of Guilford county, North Carolina, the undersigned, as executors of the last will and testament of Thomas W. Taylor, deceased, will, on

MONDAY, SEPT. 9, 1901,

at the residence of their testator, near Pleasant Garden, N. C., sell to the highest bidder for cash, 1 good work horse, 1 two-horse wagon and harness, 1 one-horse wagon, 1 mule, 2 dry cattle, 2 sheep, 4 hogs, 7 pigs, 1 mowing machine and hay rake, 1 cultivator, 1 sulky plow, and a lot of other farming implements, a lot of old and new wheat, a lot of corn, hay, etc.  
There will also be sold at the same time and place, by Mrs. Sarah Taylor, a lot of household and kitchen furniture.  
Sale to commence at 10 o'clock A. M.  
This 17th day of August, 1901.

MINNIE MCADAMS,  
DELLA FLETCHER,  
Executors of the last will and testament of Thomas W. Taylor, deceased.  
Spencer B. Adams, Attorney.

## EXECUTORS' NOTICE.

Having qualified as executors under the will of W. E. Smith, deceased, we hereby notify all persons having claims against the estate to present them on or before the 1st day of August, 1902, or this notice will be placed in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment.  
This 17th day of August, 1901.  
J. G. SMITH, Executor.  
S. L. SMITH, Executor.  
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### LOCAL NEWS ITEMS.

—Mountain seed rye for sale at Hiatt & Lamb's.

—Mrs. John Barker has about recovered from a month's illness.

—Mr. Joe F. Aiken is now employed by the Proximity Mercantile Company.

—Mr. S. W. Scarborough came up from LaGrange last week on a visit to his family.

—An interesting news letter from Gibsonville came too late for publication this week.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Montgomery, of Richmond, Va., are visiting the latter's mother, Mrs. P. F. Jeffreys.

—Mr. A. W. Jones, of Hilltop, brought us samples of 1901 crop of sweet potatoes last week. They were beauties.

—Bring your chickens, eggs, wax, tallow, and all produce to me for highest market prices. ZEN V. CLEGG

—The Bee Hive quotes some attractive prices on shoes, domestics and wash goods. Read the new ad. in this issue.

—Mr. Thomas P. Trueblood, a good citizen of Lego, will leave within a few days for Sheridan, Ind., to make his home with his daughter.

—For Sale.—A farm of 190 acres on railroad three miles east of Jamestown, known as the Jesse Lamb home place. Call on Chas. L. Lamb, Greensboro. 6-4

—See what Merritt, Johnson & Co. say in their advertising space concerning their new fall goods. They are still selling last season's clothing at reduced prices.

—Capt. C. E. McCulloch, of Sanford, a popular Southern Railway conductor, stopped off in Greensboro the latter part of last week on his return from the Buffalo exposition.

—Mr. John J. Wishart, a former resident of Greensboro, died in Charlotte last Thursday. The remains were brought here for interment. Mr. Wishart was a native of Randolph county.

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### A Night of Terror.

"A fearful anxiety was felt for the widow of the brave General Burhom of Machias, Me., when the doctors said she would die from pneumonia before morning" writes Mrs. S. H. Lincoln, who attended her that fearful night, but she begged for Dr. King's New Discovery, which had more than once saved her life, and cured her of Consumption. After taking, she slept all night. Further use entirely cured her." This marvellous medicine is guaranteed to cure all Throat, Chest and Lung Diseases. Only 50c. and \$1. Trial bottles free at C. E. Holton's drug store.

### A LETTER FROM MANILA.

**A Greensboro Boy's Experience in a United States Engineering School.**

Manila, P. I., Aug. 7, 1901.  
Some time ago while at Willets Point, N. Y., I wrote you an article telling how we were situated in a U. S. Engineer School.  
On June 17th at 6 a. m. the second battalion of U. S. Engineers were drawn up in line in heavy marching order and at 6:30 we were all on board the government boats Canby and Gen. Mieggs, which were soon puffing along up Long Island Sound, passing Ward's Island, and then came Blackwell's Island, which is worth seeing, then before we were scarcely aware of the fact we were passing under the new East river bridge; away up above us were the workmen at work on the bridge then under construction. Passing under the old Brooklyn bridge we turned into North river. Leaving the great sky scrapers of New York city behind us we headed across the channel and drew up at Weehawken, N. J., where we landed, and soon started on our journey across the continent from New York to San Francisco.

We passed over the lines of the New York Central and Hudson River, passing through Buffalo, N. Y., the Pan-American Exposition grounds to be seen in the distance. At New Haven, Ind., we left the lines of the N. Y. C. & H. R. for the Wabash R. R., until we reached Kansas City, Mo. There we stopped for some little time, when we again pulled out we were drawn by two big Sante Fe engines, for we were now entered on the Sante Fe route. We stopped at Atchinson, Kan., but the boys had to be contented with a milkshake or a glass of soda for surely Mrs. Carrie Nation did not spare her native town. We were told that Mrs. Nation was not in the town at that time, but she had left her mark nevertheless. We passed through the hot Arizona desert in which we encountered a severe sand storm. We passed out of this desert of sand and cactus, and entered the foothills of the Serrias. Before starting over the mountain our train was divided into two sections, each section having two great big engines to pull her over the mountains. I can truly say that I saw some of the finest I have ever witnessed while crossing these high, jagged mountains of the west. We passed through nineteen tunnels, twice going under the track where we had just passed over a few moments previous. We reached San Francisco on the 23rd of June. We went aboard the U. S. A. T. Hancock. We were towed out of the harbor by a small tug boat about 11 a. m. and by 12 m. the Hancock was under full steam plowing her way through the seething, foaming water of San Francisco bay. Just before entering the Golden Gate we passed Albatross Island from which a salute of thirteen guns were fired in honor of Adj. Gen. Corbin, who was on board the Hancock. This island is noted for the military prison on it where enlisted men and officers are sent who have committed some terrible crime. I was told that there was at that time hundreds of men who were serving out life sentences on the island. We passed out of the Golden Gate onto the bosom of the great Pacific, and when morning came nothing could be seen but green and blue waves meeting the horizon. It was on the 15th of July that we first could see a low blue line on the port side of the ship. This blue line proved to be one of the numerous islands that surround Luzon. Later in the day we came in sight of the coast of Southern Luzon. We kept along the coast all day of the 15th and on the 16th day of July about 1 p. m. we cast anchor in Manila Bay, the most beautiful bay I have had the pleasure to gaze upon. It is large, smooth and calm, surrounded on every side by high mountains, whose sides and tops are covered with beautiful palms.

When I write again I will tell you something about Manila and the natives. WM. F. HODGIN.  
—Daily Record.

—You are invited to list your money with the Southern Loan and Trust Company for investment. Every loan is guaranteed and interest is collected free of charge.

—For Rent.—300-acre farm, three miles south of town. Apply soon to W. R. Smith. 35-37.

—C. C. Townsend has a few 1900 Deering mowers that he is closing out at a cut price. Come quick and save money. 33-41.

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### The Peril of Pride.

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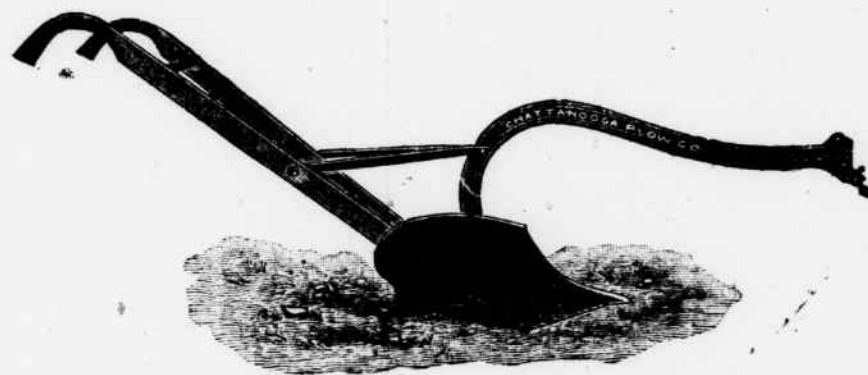
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