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WINTERVILLE DEPARTMENT

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Fresh drugs just in. Harrington Barber & Co. Dr. B. T. Cox was with the other candidates at Stokes yesterday. He reported a large number present to hear the speakers.

time to have your painting done. We have the best, with large assortment of colors. A. W. Ange & Co. Winterville and four miles from Ayden. For terms apply to E. J. Dail, Winterville, N. C.

DEMONSTRATION FARMS FOR PITT Our Farmers Should be Glad to Get the Benefits of This Work. Mr. C. R. Hudson, special agent of the United States department of agriculture, was here Monday making arrangements to have established about twenty-five demonstration farms in this county.

Tutt's Pills

FOR TORPID LIVER. A torpid liver deranges the whole system, and produces SICK HEADACHE, Dizziness, Constipation, Rheumatism, Sallow Skin and Piles. There is no better remedy for these common diseases than DR. TUTT'S LIVER PILLS, as a trial will prove. Take No Substitute.

Hallowe'en Party. Reported for Reflector: Friday evening Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Tunstall entertained at a Hallowe'en party in honor of Miss Mamie Ruth Tunstall and about fifty of her friends. A ghost met the guests at the door and ushered them into the hall where fruit punch was served.

SENSATION OF THE CAMPAIGN. BUNCOMBE COUNTY'S FEARS.

James S. Sherman Exposed in Big Land Fraud. W. E. Gonzales, editor of the Columbia State, wired his paper from New York last night as follows: "New York, Oct. 26.—The World sprang the sensation of the campaign this morning when it devoted two and a half pages to exposing the connection of James S. Sherman, Republican vice-presidential candidate, with a land company that proposed to secure a great block of public land from New Mexico at 3 to 5 per cent. of its value. The company first planned to buy 150,000 acres by means of "dummy" applications for 160 acres each. Workers in a Milwaukee brewery were the dummies.

WITH THE ALDERMEN.

They Have Lengthy Session Thursday Night. The Board of Aldermen met in regular monthly session Thursday night with all the members present, and the meeting was prolonged until midnight owing to the amount of business before them.

PITT COUNTY'S VOTE.

Totals as Shown by the Returns of Tuesday's Elections. The official returns of Pitt county show the following total vote for the different candidates. For president, Bryan electors 2421, Taft electors 889. For governor, Kitchin 2500 Cox, 811. For congress, Small 2563, Meekins 779.

AMERICA NEEDS THE GIFT

In the Wake of Strong Drink Follow Countless Miseries. If I had the power to give this country the one thing that I think it most truly needs next to the religion of Jesus Christ, and which in my judgment would be most conducive to the industrial education and moral upbuilding of the nation, I would unhesitatingly give it a strong national temperance law, and compel its enforcement by the proper officers, says R. B. Glenn, Governor of North Carolina, in a symposium, "If I Were a National Santa Claus," in the December delineator.

CRAWFORD AND BROOKS LEFT.

Republicans Get Three North Carolina Congressmen. It was known early that Hackett had been defeated by Crawfords in the eighth district, and official returns show that the Republicans also carried the fifth and tenth districts. Asheville, N. C., Nov. 5.—John G. Grant, of Henderson county, has been elected to the National Congress of the United States from the tenth North Carolina district by a majority of 355. The official returns from all the thirteen counties in the district with the exception of Clay, have been received at Republican Congressional headquarters here, and estimating Clay for Crawford by a majority of 38, which the Democrats claim, Mr. Grant has carried the district by 355. The greatest surprise to the Democrats today was the official return from Cherokee, giving that county to Grant by 419 majority.

ASSAULT ON HIS OWN COLOR.

Charge Against Nat Laws, Under Arrest in Durham. Durham, N. C., Nov. 10.—Nat Laws, negro, was arrested this morning about eight o'clock on the charge of criminally assaulting a colored girl, Vella Williams, last night out near the George Lyon Park, where the carnival is on. The story told in the court this morning was such that Mayor Graham excluded every one from the room with the exception of the defendant, witnesses, officers and newspaper men. That tells the story. It was such that it has not and will not be printed.

TRIBUTE OF BOYHOOD COMPANION

When the news of the death of Ola Forbes was announced it sent a shock of surprise to his many friends and acquaintances throughout the country. In perfect health a few weeks ago he was stricken with fever, but no one dreamed it was to be his fatal illness. After battling five weeks he was finally overcome and in exhaustion fell peacefully to sleep to wake no more. I stood at the bedside of this young man, who only yesterday was so strong in the prime of vigorous manhood and watched the life-light gradually fade, and as I realized that his vision was becoming obscure and saw the gathering of the cold death dew on his brow, my tender recollections of happy bygone days crowded to memory. There I had trod together the happy pathway of boyhood, and together we had shared each other's joys and each other's sorrows. Together for three years we had walked from our country homes and attended school in Greenville. He was a few months older than I and he was married and engaged in the tobacco business here a few months before I married and entered the same business. Our lives for twenty-five years have been nearly parallel and as I watched his life pass away a feeling of awful sadness came over me. He was a big, noble hearted man, who loved his friends and in turn was loved by them, but the most beautiful affection I have ever known that lived and has eternal existence among the parents and children of this family, who until this death had known no such bereavement. To them the grief and sadness over his death is doubtless anguished. To his wife and children, the consolation of his death brings grief and sorrow that knows no comfort. Light hearted, jolly playmate of my happy boyhood and affectionate friend, farewell. O. L. Joyner. 'Willingham will treat you right'

We have just received a new lot of salt. A. W. Ange & Co. Rev. W. A. Forbes, who assisted in the series of meetings at the Methodist church here, preached some excellent gospel sermons while here. The meeting closed Sunday night. While there was not much interest manifested, yet we feel that there was some good accomplished. Hummocker bugs are still flying, if you want a nice outfit, the date must be before...

The Pitt Co. School Desk are still going. There is a very large order for one of these desks. There is no better and more comfortable desk on the market. See your order to A. G. Cox Manufacturing Co., Winterville, N. C. Go and look at that pretty display of ladies and gents' shoes and hosiery at A. W. Ange & Co. They are selling them low. Prices right.

The young men of Ayden certainly have a good band, and considering that they have been organized only a few months their music is remarkable. At seven places in the county during this campaign, they have performed music for the speaking and singing. In Greenville they were invited to sing at the home of Mr. Evans and their performance was most satisfactory. The Reflector corner, and the crowd that gathered around greatly enjoyed their good music.

Bees Laxative Cough Syrup always brings quick relief to coughs, colds, hoarseness, whooping-cough and all bronchial and throat troubles. Pleasant taste, quick relief. Sold by Jno. L. Wooten, druggist.

MR. ELLSWORTH HERE. Inspecting Sites Offered for Public Building. Mr. G. D. Ellsworth, representative of the treasury department of the government, arrived here today to inspect the sites offered for the location of a public building in Greenville. At the last session of Congress an appropriation of \$10,000 was made to purchase a site here, and in response to advertisement several sites were offered. While here Mr. Ellsworth will carefully inspect all of the sites offered and make his recommendation to the government as to which location is most suitable for the building. In the event none are found satisfactory he will solicit and receive other proposals. Mr. Ellsworth will be at the Hotel Bertha to-day and to-morrow possibly Wednesday and will be glad to talk with any citizen regarding this matter of such vital importance to Greenville.

Marriage Licenses. Register of Deeds R. Williams has issued the following licenses since last report: WHITE E. C. Tingenard and Tavia Mosley, E. C. Hughes and Lila E. Fields. J. H. Harris and Lula Crawford. J. J. Turnage and Lennie Fleming. COLORED John Cherry and Maggie Lee Outerbridge. Jacob Sutton and Mary J. Mayo. William Moore and Susie Sheppard. Anderson Dixon and Harriet Chapman.

Teachers' Association. Programme for Saturday, November 14th, 1908. 10:30 A. M.—Devotional exercises, Rev. B. F. Huske. 10:45 A. M.—Reading of minutes. 10:50 A. M.—Literature and its importance in our schools, Supt. E. M. Rollins. 11:05 A. M.—Literature in the fifth, sixth and seventh grades, Miss Nannie E. Richardson. 11:20 A. M.—High school English, Supt. W. H. Cole. 11:35 A. M.—Essay Work and Manner of Correction, Supt. H. B. Smith. 11:50 A. M.—Address, Hon. Jno. H. Small. 12:30 P. M.—Adjourn. It will be seen that Hon. Jno. H. Small will speak to the teachers Saturday. This fact together with an interesting program ought to insure the presence of every teacher in the county. We also cordially invite everybody to be present and hear Mr. Small.

Two Small Farms for Sale—One 80 acres, other 87 acres, as part of the McGowan land owned by M. B. McGowan, about three miles from Greenville. F. M. Wooten, Trustee, 1111 d & w l w k

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Satisfied Policy Holder. Williamston, N. C., Oct. 28, 1908. H. Bentley Harris, Greenville, N. C. Dear Sir: I beg to acknowledge receipt from you this date of dividend statements on three policies I hold in The Mutual Life of New York, amounting to \$121.05 or \$40.35 on each policy. My husband, the late John D. Biggs, carried insurance in this company and all our transactions have been satisfactory. Fannie L. Biggs.

Tuning. Our Mr. W. H. Daniels is now in Greenville. Mr. Daniels is one of our factory tuners and can give your piano a thorough overhauling. We guarantee his work or will refund your money. If your piano needs attention apply to Chas. M. Steff or G. G. Fineman box 261 Greenville. Do not phone but write your order. Respectfully, G. G. Fineman 10 24 2 t d 2 w

Will Preach in Greenville. Rev. J. N. H. Summrell, who once served the Presbyterian church here, was recently installed as pastor of the Presbyterian church in New Bern. We understand that Dr. Summrell will again devote one Sunday in each month to the Greenville church, and this gives pleasure to our people.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE Bank of Winterville. AT WINTERVILLE. In the State of North Carolina, at the close of business July 15th, 1908.

For Sale—Fine male calf s& D. D. Hassett. 10 26 1 t d 2 w

Chapped Skin. Chapped skin whether on the hands or face may be cured in one night by applying Chamberlain's Salve. It is also unequalled for sore nipples, burns and scalds. For sale by Jno. L. Wooten and Coward & Wooten.

Jurors for December Court. First week—R. B. Hynum, J. M. Edwards, W. B. Harper, G. R. Dixon, J. T. Hart, W. L. Brown, King Sutton, W. A. Cox, G. E. Jackson, Joseph Lang, J. M. Wooten, J. A. Harrington, S. A. Jenkins, W. A. Gaskins, L. H. Stokes, J. L. Patrick, J. A. Williams, Thos. L. Williams. Second week—B. T. Skinner, C. S. Forbes, P. T. Anthony, James A. Stokes, J. E. May, M. M. Stokes, J. McDixon, W. F. Harding, F. D. Foxhall, W. J. Crisp, W. C. Mewborn, Gray Moore, R. L. Jefferson, A. J. Hardee, Zeno Allen, Jacob McCotter, J. R. Highsmith.

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time to have your painting done. We have the best, with large assortment of colors. A. W. Ange & Co. Winterville and four miles from Ayden. For terms apply to E. J. Dail, Winterville, N. C. Our immense fall and winter stock of dry goods, shoes, notions, clothing, hardware and crockery is coming in every day. Give us a call. We are prepared to give you a first class article at living prices. Harrington, Barber & Co. For sale—One good second hand buggy cheap. C. T. Cox, Winterville, N. C. We are running a first class market now at the Cooper store. Give us a call. Dail & Sutton. The sunshine is not so oppressive now but the showers will be coming. Get you one of those new umbrellas just in at Harrington, Barber & Co. A large lot of best flour just in at Harrington, Barber & Co. The Pitt Co. School Desk are still going. There is a very large order for one of these desks. There is no better and more comfortable desk on the market. See your order to A. G. Cox Manufacturing Co., Winterville, N. C. Go and look at that pretty display of ladies and gents' shoes and hosiery at A. W. Ange & Co. They are selling them low. Prices right.

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GREENVILLE, NORTH CAROLINA, FRIDAY NOV. 13 1908. Lets try and forget it. Wonder how the North pole went. Get in the habit of talking for Greenville. No doubt Mr. T. Roosevelt is delighted. Wonder how long Maryland is going to doubt. Mr. Taft is heavy enough to hold the chair down. Be glad that another election does not come soon. We had rather hear business talk now than politics. How much have you seen cotton go up since the election? Now get as much interested in Greenville as you have been in politics. The turkey is also worried over the approaching lark 'in the neck'. The fellows who said North Carolina would go for Taft will have to guess again. Yes, the fellow who knew it was coming out that way is making himself heard. The returns from the almanacs tell us there will be another year after December. As the Republicans won out all right you will not hear much more about reforming the tariff. No use of arguing how it happened. Take the result and go to work, is the best thing to do. They have commenced naming the babies for Taft, the first being reported from Philadelphia. North Carolina elected all but one congressman. Mr. Hackett being defeated in the eighth district. They are talking a plenty about returning prosperity, but we had rather see it than to hear of its coming. If Greenville is to keep up her pace for progress and improvement, the people should be up and doing. Those factories that were going to resume operations as soon as Taft was elected should be getting a move on. Yes, it was a 'landslide' on the presidential vote, but it went the other way from what our folks hoped for. Do not trouble yourself about Mr. Taft's cabinet. Leave that to him, or at least to Mr. Roosevelt to select for him. The Wilmington Dispatch thinks our admonition to try and forget it would be difficult without the aid of chloroform. Go fishing, brother.

ized by a negro, shot and killed the intruder. Examples of that kind go a long way in deterring burglary. However much any of us might desire to see a change in the national administration, it will be four more years before there can be another big agitation over it. The fellow who said Meekins was going to defeat Small for congress in this district is possibly bulging his eyes worse than ever at Mr. Small's 7,000 majority. The Republicans are asked to send along their promised prosperity. The country needs it, but so far only the trusts and protected monopolies have been getting it. Several of them are trying to explain how it happened, but we don't see any good to come out of that. Just as well accept the result and go to talking about something else. As Taft is elected, we cannot hope for much light to be thrown on that \$10,000,000 canal deal from which his own and the president's relatives are said to have been large beneficiaries. The Republicans are always going to do something after a while. Their past election talk is that they will carry North Carolina next time, but there is more in that than in their promise to reform the tariff. Mr. Briggs, postmaster at Raleigh, ran against Mr. Pou for congress in the fourth district. Mr. Pou's majority of 1,500 is sufficient notice to Mr. Briggs that he can continue his job of licking stamps. The Manufacturers' Record is among the last we would have thought guilty of being a beneficiary of a corruption fund, yet it seems that paper received a check for \$2,000 from Rockefeller for a year's subscription. We had rather not hear any more about politics in a good long time. Turn your attention to Greater Greenville and push for development and it will put more money in your pocket than all the politics in the country. The postmaster of New York was shot and perhaps fatally wounded, Monday morning, by a man who had been disappointed in getting a position in the post-office. After firing the shot at the postmaster, the assassin killed himself. When you consider the falling off in some other districts, the way the first district held her own with 7,000 for Mr. Small is something to feel good over. And the part Pitt took in this puts her at the head of the list. At New Bern on Wednesday the governor of Massachusetts accompanied by his staff and a large number of the members of the G. A. R. will unveil a monument in the national cemetery there dedicated to the soldiers of Massachusetts. The Republicans did not make public their campaign contributions before the election, and there is hardly any use of doing so now. But they may

give some sort of a garbled report, keeping hid what the trusts and big corporations did. Mr. Taft will receive a considerable majority of the electoral vote, but when the actual votes of all the States are computed and the popular vote Mr. Bryan received is made known, it will be seen that the Democratic party in the nation is by no means dead. One thing the next legislature should do, is to abolish the home-stead law. That law once served a good purpose, but its day of usefulness has long since passed and it has become a refuge of wrong behind which men can avoid meeting their just obligations. It works more injury than good, and should be removed from the statute books or greatly modified. Though it may not have been intended that way, the Greensboro News came right close to the truth when it said Mr. Bryan "is the best friend the Republican party ever had." The Republican has indeed found much to imitate in the principles and policies advocated by Mr. Bryan, and but for the adoption of many of these principles by the Republicans that party would not have had such a sweeping victory on Tuesday. It is well known that President Roosevelt adopted some of Mr. Bryan's leading ideas as his own. It will be noticed from the program of the meeting for next Saturday of the Pitt County Teachers' Association, that Congressman John H. Small is to deliver an address before the association. Not only the teachers, but the people of the town and community also should show their appreciation of Mr. Small's coming by being present to hear him. Not since Mr. Small has been in congress has he ever missed an opportunity to do what he could for Pitt county, and no call is ever made upon him by our people to which he fails to readily respond. Mr. Bryan in Defeat. The case of Hon. William Jennings Bryan is one full of pathos. From whatever motive, whether selfish ambition as his enemies assert, or an unselfish desire as he claims, to be in a position to serve the interests of the people, there is no doubt that he was recently anxious to be elected president—never so anxious as this year, nor so confident as in the campaign just ended. His disappointment, therefore, in the result of yesterday's election must approach anguish of mind, and be the keener by reason of the fact which must be perfectly apparent to him that his last opportunity to be president has passed. Men have run for this office three times but none four, and Mr. Bryan's name will now be dropped, no doubt at his own instance, from the list of the available candidates of the future. Clearly in the last moments of the campaign he realized that his star was about to set, one reading his speech at Marysville, Kan., Monday night, could detect between the lines that he had seen the finger of fate. Every man with a heart in him must feel very sorry for this man, whose hope of twelve years has been dashed. But he made a magnificent fight. He spoke splendidly with fine ability, with imperturbable good temper, and under such physical strain as no other man could have endured. From

East to West he traveled in whirlwind fashion, making speech after speech daily, his physical energy unabated, his superb nerve unshaken. He went down but went with his face to the foe and his flag flying. So then: "The harder you're thrown, why the higher you bounce." Be proud of your blackened eye. It isn't the fact that you're licked that counts: It's how did you fight—and why? "And though you be done to the death, what then? If you battled the best you could, If you played your part in the world of men, Why, the critic will call it good. Death comes with a crawl or comes with a pounce, And whether he's slow or spry, It isn't the fact that you're dead that counts. But only how did you die?" —Charlotte Observer. Chairman Eller. The Democratic party in North Carolina owes a debt of obligations to Hon. A. H. Eller, the State Chairman. Mr. Eller has given all his life to the work since his election and the big victory in North Carolina is largely due to his wise generalship. In nearly every other State the Democrats lost heavily, but in North Carolina the losses were not large and the victory is one that shows the tide against Democracy made little headway in North Carolina. Mr. Eller is the best type of the militant Democracy in North Carolina. He has the confidence of his home people, has represented them ably in the senate, and when chosen State Chairman undertook the difficult task and has devoted his every energy to securing party success. He found not a few factional troubles in the counties, there were differences to adjust, and so confident were Democrats of victory that even in the counties that were doubtful it was not easy to arouse them. But he did so, and with the efficient assistance of Mr. Fields, Mr. Myers, Mr. Maxwell, Mr. Gardner and others of the headquarters force, he organized the forces that brought out a big Democratic vote—probably the largest that has ever been cast. This called for ability and devotion and zeal, as well as tact and capacity for leadership. All of these he displayed and called to his assistance men of all sections and all differences of view. He has grown in public estimation as a man of affairs and as a man fit for leadership in the great Democratic party of North Carolina. —Raleigh News and Observer. AN APPRECIATED LETTER. Raleigh, N. C., Nov. 4th, 1908. Mr. D. J. Whichard, Editor, Greenville, N. C. My Dear Sir: The editors of the Democratic newspapers have, as always, again contributed more to the success of the party than any or all other factors concerned. I am impressed with the fact that you have displayed during the campaign just ended even greater interest and wielded a wider and more potent influence than ever before. As chairman of the executive committee, I would be remiss in my duty to close this campaign without a grateful acknowledgment. Knowing, as I do, the many dangers that beset us, I am able to say that the party may well feel proud of the general result in the State. We have polled our vote, and have said emphatically that North Carolina is and shall remain Democratic. Again thanking you personally and assuring you of my high esteem, I am, Sincerely yours, A. H. Eller, Chm'n.

Happy Times Coming. Since the politicians have come down from the clouds and room has been made up there for the airship people again, they are arranging to renew their aerial performances. What is known as the Aerial Navigation Company has been formed in Boston to operate a line of airships between that city, New York, Philadelphia and Washington, from which latter point a branch line will be later extended to Charlotte. The first airship will have a capacity of seven passengers. We are told it will be equipped with double motors capable of attaining a speed of 30 to 40 miles an hour. It will be similar to the United States government dirigible for 1900, which will be built along the same lines and capacity. The airship line is to be started as soon as the first ship can be built. And we have been thinking. Does the Inter-State Commerce Commission, that heartless organization that took up the railroad passes, have dominion over the birds of the air and the airships thereof? If not, then joy be. When we can fill our pockets with airship passes, we will sail and revel in the delights of travel far above and out of the way of the tribulations of railroad bulletin boards. We will be independent of these slow crawling creatures of the earth. We will be at last—high flyers. —Charlotte Chronicle. It is worth noting that Judge Parker gives no countenance to the claim made by the Republican press that the election of Democratic governors in several States which Bryan failed to carry is evidence of Bryan's weakness. It is evidence of his strength as the opponent of the corrupt men who have the nation by the throat. Every one knows that the predatory corporations care nothing about the complexion of the State officials. Their bribe money is concentrated upon the election of the national officials, for under the usurpations of the federal judiciary, these corporations find a refuge in the particular national government which has been put in power by them. On the contrary, Judge Parker declares that, because Bryan has reunited the Democratic party, "we should therefore congratulate Mr. Bryan and ourselves upon this improvement of general party conditions under his candidacy." —Fayetteville Observer. Do not forget that Dr. S. H. Arnold's Bile Beans is the best known remedy for all Bowel Complaints. Warranted by J. L. Wooten.

Nervous Break-Down. Nervine energy is the force that controls the organs of respiration, digestion and elimination. When you feel weak, nervous, irritable, sick, it is often because you lack nerve energy, and the process of rebuilding and sustaining life is interfered with. Dr. Miles' Nervine has cured thousands of such cases, and will be believed benefit if not entirely, cure you. Try it. "My nervous system gave away completely, and left me on the verge of the grave. I tried many physicians but got no permanent relief. I got so bad, I had to give up my business. I began taking Dr. Miles' Nervine. In a few days I was much better, and I continued to improve until I was entirely cured. I am in business again, and thank you for an opportunity to recommend this remedy." —Myrtle Creek, Oregon. Your druggist sells Dr. Miles' Nervine in the form of a bottle. It is a sure cure for all nervousness. Price of one bottle (only) if it fails to benefit you. Miles Medical Co., Elkhart, Ind.

OUR AYDEN DEPARTMENT. IN CHARGE OF J. M. BLOW.

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