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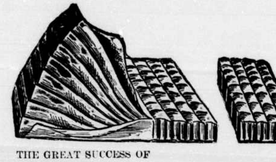

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No Walk Over.

It is clear that the Republicans no longer expect to have a walk-over in the presidential race. Their candidate finds himself very much handicapped by the strike of coal-miners in Pennsylvania. When the administration's stump-speakers get up and declaim about McKinley prosperity," and the "full dinner-pail," they tremble less the miners' strike should be "thrown up" at them.

That's a condition, not a theory, and it must be observed that the strike is in a boss-ridden Republican state, which has profited greatly by protection, and that the mine owners are, for the most part supporters of the administration, and are friends of McKinley, Hanna and Quay.

In dealing with this particular subject, the Republican orators must either confess that McKinley prosperity has not reached the coal regions, or else that the strikers have no grievances. There is no other course for them to pursue.

The Democrats are making a powerful fight in Indiana. Trusts and "combines," the latter especially, have thrown thousands of men in that State out of work, and the contemptuous manner in which Hanna has treated the subject has angered them greatly. If the vote were taken to-day, we believe Bryan and Stevenson would carry Indiana.

Illinois we regard as hopeful. Maryland is, too, but our friends there ought to make it certain.

One of the fiercest fights now going on is in West Virginia. While both sides claim that State, the Dispatch cannot but regard the Democrats' chance as the better. The Pennsylvania strike cannot help the Republicans; it may improve the prospects of the Democrats very much. Kentucky seems all right for our party. And in New York city and State the outlook appears to be improving steadily.

So we say McKinley and Roosevelt have no walk-over. That is admitted to be a fact, not only by numerous intelligent Republicans, but by many leily non partisan, but selfishly calculating operators in Wall street. Thus, it may be that Dick Croker's $40,000, which he has put upon the election of Bryan, may bring him in $100,000.—Richmond Dispatch.

Violating Revenue Act.

State Treasurer Worth receives at frequent intervals letters from business men making inquiry as to what sewing machine companies have paid the $35 license tax imposed by section 26 of the revenue act of last Legislature. It seems that a small number of companies which manufacture machines and have not complied with the law in the matter of license to do business will at intervals consign machines to dealers and others in different parts of the State and the consignors probably ignorant of the fact that the company has no right to do business in North Carolina, will sell them and the violation of the law is not discovered until the agent of some duly licensed company calls at a home where one of the machines has been sold and reports the violation which they invariably do. For the information of the general public Mr. Worth has had prepared the following list of licensed companies and the dates on which their licenses expire.

White Sewing Machine Co., Cleveland, Ohio, February 23rd, 1901.

Singer Manufacturing Co., Richmond, Va., April 18th, 1901.

New Home Sewing Machine Co., Orange, Mass., June 4th, 1901.

Wheeler & Wilson Manufacturing Co., Atlanta, Ga., July 15th, 1901.

New Domestic Sewing Machine Co., Newark, N. J., July 1, 1901.

Illinois Sewing Machine Co., Rockford, Ill., January 23rd, 1901.

Standard Sewing Machine Co., Richmond, Va., April 18th, 1901.

Household Sewing Machine Co., Richmond, Va., January 6th, 1901.

W. B. Belknap & Co., Louisville Ky., August 18th, 1901.

The license of W. B. Belknap & Co., covers the "Eldredge," "New England Queen," "Dixie," "Olympia," "Blue Ribbon" and "Excelsior." The license of the New Home Sewing Machine Co., covers the "New Home," "The Climax," "The New Ideal," and "Natural Hand." The license of the Standard Sewing Machine Co. covers the "Standard," "Paragon," and "Norwood."—Raleigh Post.

A 30-Ounce Mite.

The tiniest mite of humanity in New Jersy, perhaps, is tae newborn baby, boy of Mrs. William Leighman, of Cedar Brook. Though a physically perfect child with fully developed power to emphasize its feelings in the way that babies do, this newcomer weighed two ounces less than two pounds when he was ushered into the world.

The usual preparation for the coming stranger had been made with motherly care but the mite disappeared entirely in the immaculate white slips in which the nurse enfolded him. An ordinary tea cup engulfed histiny head, and his mother's wedding ring made him a bracelt which lay loose about his arm above the elbow. his tiny pink toes were like teaberries, and his wondering, dark eyes like glistened glass beads.

The little fellow quickly developed a normal appetite and is flourishing, but his fond mother says she cannot realize that he is a real, live baby. Both parents are of the average size.—Philadelphia Record.

For Union of Farmers.

Christian Becker in Southern Farm Magazine, of Baltimore, for October says:

Let the farmers stand in with each other and take care of themselves first. Business would then turn toward them, cotton would never sell less than ten cents a pound, the merchants would not need half their clerks, and a great many people would have to leave the town and go to raising their own bread and meet on the farm. If the farmers would stay at home and board at the same place they would have no mortgage forced on them; they would owe nothing; they would sell what they have to spare when prices suited; they would no more be indirect slaves to the merchant and the cotton buyer and would be bosses of the world, instead of its slaves, as they are today. The world does not care how the farmer gets along just so the world gets all the farmers make for as small a price as possible. That is the nature of people. But if the farmers live at home they need not sell cotton to pay for their bread and meat.

A SONG OF COTTON.

Mister Money wink he eye,
Knockin, at de do';
But Mister Cotton rise so high
He'll eat my quarantine sho'!

He tell me, "Kin you see me?"
En "Don't be po' no mo'?"
But ef he rise en hit de skies
He'll eat my 'quaintance sho'!

O cotton—Mister Cotton,
I hails you on de way;
Dixie ain't forgotten,
(Give dat mule mo' hay!)
—Atlanta Constitution.

A Tioga old maid says that a man who remains a bachelor must be ashamed of his ancestors.

No, Maude, dear, when a man boasts that he is a son of the soil it isn't equivalent to saying that his father's name is mud.

When a woman gets married she doesn't think so much about the past she is leaving behind as she does about the presents she is going to get.

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The Young Man's Manners.

Society asks little of a young man except to behave well. If he is manly in looks, if he has a good manner, is civil to his elders, if he has any little gift of entertaining—any "parlor tricks"—if he sends a few flowers occasionally, looks pleasant and is polite, his way will be smooth to success—always providing that he is really a gentleman.

He never joins her on a thoroughfare unless the friendship be an established one and only with her permission—nor will he stand and converse with her.

It is provincial to walk "sandwiched" between two women, to stare, or look after any one who has passed.

In public conveyances a man does not pay a woman's fare unless he is her escort except in emergency, when he must ask if he may.

Introductions are rarely made in public places or conveyances.

A man precedes a woman when entering a theatre or public place. In a church the lady goes first. He may precede her up a public staircase, but in a private house in ascending and descending, he follows,

In picture-galleries, elevators in public buildings, hotel and theatre corridors, they being thoroughfares, a man retains his hat. In a hotel he removes it if women are present.

If a lady bows to a man in a restaurant he rises slightly from his seat in acknowledgment. When he is with a party, if a lady with her escort stops to speak to his friends he rises and remains standing until she passes on. He also rises if a man is introduced to him when with a stag party.

If a bachelor shows some little hospitality it advances him much in favor. If he has attractive rooms, or has anything to show, he may give an afternoon tea or a chaffing-dish supper. Simplicity is in order A bachelor's entertainment is usually regarded in the light of a frolic and his efforts indulgently considered.

A bachelor may live where he likes without loss of social position, if he belongs to one good club, which he may only use for the address on his cards and note paper. —October Ladies' Home Journal.

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To show the increase in the price of white paper since the organization we may state that it is a tax of $6.60 per day on the News and Observer alone. All other papers are taxed in proportion.—Raleigh News and Observer.

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Having this day qualified before the Clerk of the Superior Court of Pitt county as Administrator of the estate of Henry Elmore deceased, notice is hereby given to all persons holding claims against said estate to present them to me for payment duly authenticated, on or before the 15th day of March, 1901, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate are notified to make immediate payment to me.

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For Congress, 1st Dist.,
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of Beaufort.

When Young Men Make Calls.

In making an afternoon call a man usually leaves his overcoat, umbrella or cane, hat and gloves in the hall before entering the drawing-room. He may if he chooses, carry his hat and stick into the room at a first or formal call if it is to be very brief, except at a reception. He removes his right glove before offering to shake hands.

He never offers his hand first, but waits the invitation of his hostess. If she is behind her table, she may not rise to greet him but gracefully includes him in the conversation and perhaps bows her adieu.

It is an evidence of good breeding to enter and leave a room unobtrusively.

It is not usual to introduce a guest upon his entrance to more than one other. He never shakes hands when presented to a woman, but alway when introduced to a man.

He may leave upon the rival of other guests after fifteen minutes, turning his back as little as possible upon the company and bowing comprehensively at the door.

A woman never accompanies a man to the vestibule, but takes leave of him in the drawing-room. It is no longer customary to press one's guest to call again.

The lady always gives the invitation to call. A man must not go beyond an evident pleasure in her society by wave of suggestion. Sometime a woman friend will exert herself for him. The sooner the call follows the invitation the greater the compliment. A fortnight is the usual interval.—Mrs. Burton Kingsland, in October Ladies' Home Journal.

A Sad, Sad Sight.

No stronger argument was ever advanced for the establishment of reformatory in North Carolina than a spectacle witnessed at the depot yesterday morning. A young boy 16 years old, with handcuffs on his wrists was in the custody of Deputy Sheriff Leatherwood, of Haywood county. The boy was arrested some time ago for larceny and the burning of some hay stacks and after being found guilty was sentenced to a year in the penitentiary. The boy had none of the hardened lines of the criminal in his face. It was an open, frank face. He was merely attired in overalls and a dirty shirt with a down split in it. He gave his name as Jesse Spiven and seemed to feel his position keenly. The State sends him to Raleigh and imprisons him with hardening criminals, probably resulting in making a criminal of him. A reformatory might make a man of him.—Salisbury Truth Index.

The thinest suffer from the extreme heat can gain flesh easily at the butcher shop.

Duel With Pistols.

Atlanta, Ga., Sept. 18.—After a quarrel which has extended over two weeks, two young men of prominent families, of East Point a suburb of Atlanta, met this evening and fought with pistols. One of the men, Sheffield Harrington, was shot in four places, and the other Walter Hudson, wounded once. Both are believed to be fatally wounded.

It is asserted that both Walter Hudson and another man fired at Harrington. As a result of the meeting George Hudson is in jail. The specific charge against him, however, is not made public Four bullets struck Harrington, one entering the thigh from the back. Harrington tried, time after time, to fire the second shot, but each time the hammer of his revolver failed to explode the cartridge. Hudson, it is alleged, was in love with Harrington's sister and there were reports that they were to be married. These reports were accepted as true for a time, but finally Hudson denied the truth of the rumor. A few days ago the young lady left for Waynesboro. Harrington, it is said, stated at that time if Hudson did not go there and marry his sister he would kill him. Matters stood in this position as far as reliable information is obtained until to day.

A Glut of Cotton.

The shipments of cotton for this port are very heavy now. Yesterday the freight yards of the Atlantic Coast Line were strung with cotton, awaiting to be discharged. Altogether there are 1,100 cars of cotton in the yards and at sidings along the railroads bound for Wilmington. The railroads are holding back the cars as the yards are already glutted, but it is expected they will be brought in by tomorrow or next day when the cotton receipts will take a big jump.

This great movement of cotton and the opperation of both compresses give employment to all the surplus labor about the city and there is consequently a great scarcity of labor. The naval stores men find it impossible to get hands to load their vessels, and several ships now taking on cargoes of spirits turpentine, rosin, tar, etc., are detained by the slow process of loading them with the few hands that can be picked up. One naval stores man said yesterday that it was impossible to get hands.

With the city needing from 80 to 100 laborers at good wages and permanent work, and with the naval stores people anxious for hands, there is plenty of employment for men who can come here now.—Wilmington Messenger, 30th.

A Case of Hoodooing in Durham

There are some colored people still left who believe in "hants," "conjuring" and "hoodooing."

A case has just come to light in this city. A colored man who was sexton at Trinity church lost his job and another man got it. The new man, so the story goes, on several occasions found the door knobs of the church whitewashed. He came to the conclusion that he was conjured or that something would befall him, and he threw up his job and quit.

Another man then took his place. The same thing was attempted on him as on the previous one. He concluded to watch and catch the conjurer. His efforts were rewarded by discovering that the first mentioned ex sexton was the party, and he at once proceeded to turn the tables and do a little "hoodooing" with a club.—Durham Sun.

Farmers, Merchants, Bankers.

It is to the interest of farmers, merchants, bankers, mechanics, etc., to pull together.

The foundation of our business in this country lies in farming. Merchants should encourage farmers, for if farmers fail to make good crops how can they buy from the merchant and pay him? They should pay the farmer a good price for his products.

Bankers should also favor the farmer all they can in advancing him money. Any combination to break down the price of cotton is hurtful to the country. It is to the interest of all classes of our people for cotton and other farm products to sell well. Manufacturers seek to beat down the prices of cotton, tobacco, etc., that they may gain. But suppose cotton and tobacco should sell so low that there is no profit for the farmer, how can he buy the products of the factory, or pay his merchant, or pay his bank debts?

The price of cotton is much better than it was twelve months ago, but the crop is short, and the supply is now limited and will continue to be so.

If farmers would not rush their cotton into market so rapidly they would obtain better prices.

There has been and is now a combination of cotton manufacturers to beat down the price of cotton. These manufacturers have made very large profits the last few years. Now when they are not making so much they seek to break down the price of raw cotton to the loss of the farmer. Why not pay the farmer a good price for his cotton, and then he will be better able to buy the cotton goods when manufactured?

Let banks help farmers out, and let merchants do likewise, and all will be benefitted.

P. D. GOLD.

—Wilson Times.

The national election is an after thought. "Who are you for for Senator?" is the paramount issue in North Carolina. I have been out of Charlotte ten days. The day I left four buttonholers, two for Carr and two for Simmons, crossed the square as I was waiting on a street car. Each had his grip and was on the run, like Colonel Bennett's shot steer going through the cane thicket. At Concord I saw the same kind of men bearing grips and on the go; and at Salisbury, High Point, Greensboro and Winston. Colonel Waddell and Governor Jarvis will not get an apron full of votes a piece, unless the tide turns, though many people are certain that either would make a better senator than Mr. Carr or Mr. Simmons. Mr. Waddell is popular with the most intelligent class. His superb learning combined with his splendid native ability make him the fittest man for the place.—H. E. C. Bryant in Charlotte Observer.

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From Our Regular Correspondent.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 1st.

There will be a democratic majority of not less than ten in the next House. That is the way the Democratic Congressional Campaign Committee figures it out and in doing the figuring allowance has been made for every reasonable contingency. Republicans privately admit that these figures are very conservative, and that they have almost given up hope of retaining control of the House, unless there is a change in public sentiment amounting almost to a stampede before election day. Even the Republican Congressional Committee has not been putting out any claim, except in the most perfunctory way, of a republican majority in the House. On the contrary its chairman, Representative Babcock, has been preparing his party for defeat. Among the contingencies allowed for by the Democratic committee are loss of seats in New York and Pennsylvania, which the party managers in those states are confident of saving.

Mad as the republican leaders are with the just of power and conquest, and as determined as they to try to turn this liberal-loving republic into a world conquering empire, founded on no higher principles than that which dominated the dark ages of youth—"might makes right"—they do not dare to publicly propound that purpose as plainly as Ex-Congressman Dungan of Ohio, once a democrat, did in a speech made in Washington, in which he attempted to justify Mr. McKinley, and his imperialistic policy in the Philippines. The following sentence from Mr. Dungan's speech reveals the tone in wardness of a republican policy, which they have been so anxiously trying to conceal by general talk about bettering the condition of the poor natives and improvement in American commerce: "In my opinion, title is fixed only by the survival of the fittest, and that is why America is going to rule the earth." In other words, no people's title to their own country is good against the greed and avarice of a stronger country. Surely a majority of Americans are not willing to enter the 20th century championing such a document.

Representative Livingston, of Georgia, thus sums up the attitude of the two parties towards trusts: "In a recent speech made by Senator Beveridge, this statesman says that the Republican party, is opposed to trusts, while the democratic party would do nothing. Now, this statement was made to intelligent people. If this is so how could Mark Hanna go to Baltimore and get from the trusts of that city alone $80,000, while Bryan, even had he tried could not have got 50 cents. Senator Hanna has said there are no trusts. He knows and so does every thinking man or woman that this is false. Here is an evidence of the trusts. This year it takes 50 per cent more wheat to buy a plow than it did last year. It takes 20 per cent more corn and it takes from $4 to $4.50 a month more to live now than it did a year ago. Why is this? It is because of the trusts.

How desperate the republican managers are getting may be judged from their having ordered the party press to try to make political capital out of the experience of Teddy in Colorado.

Lookout for preposterous republican claims. Orders have gone out from Republican National Headquarters to the party news papers to print continually and conspicuously during the three weeks previous to the election paragraphs claiming states enough to give McKinley 25 or 30 more electoral votes than he had in 1896. The idea is still to be that such wholesale claims persistently made will catch voters who wish to be on the winning side.

Many of the characters in the Chinese language are very suggestive of the relationship between husband and wife, and leave no doubt as to the subordinate position which the woman occupies in Chinese domestic life. The part which the Chinaman plays in securing his bride is vigorously illustrated in the world to seize, the character for woman crouching under the Chinese symbol for claws, while the character for wife, indicated by a woman placed beside a broom, is evidence of the Chinaman's opinion with regard to the proper position of his helpmate in his household.—October Ladies' Home Journal

There are four good habits—punctuality, accuracy, steadiness and dispatch. Without the first of these time is wasted. Without the second, mistakes the most hurtful to our own credit and interest and that of others may be committed. Without the third, nothing can be well done, and without the fourth opportunities of great advantage are lost which it is impossible to recall.

There is a big persimmon crop in Durham county, which according to the recognized weather prophet, is a sure sign of a hard Winter. In Person county, near by, the persimmon crop is poor, which must indicate a mild Winter. We have an assortment of climate in our bailiwick.—Wilmington Star.

It is reported that J. Q. Holton, Republican nominee for Congress in Seventh district, will be pulled down, before Klutz gets a chance to pull him down. They will doubtless promise him something "equally as good," which wouldn't be hard to find in his case.—Wilmington Star.

Two boys near Charlotte were bitten by a mad dog Tuesday.

Catarrh Cannot be Cured

with Local Applications, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrh is a blood or constitutional disease, and in order to cure it you must take internal remedies. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces. Hall's Catarrh Cure is not a quack medicine. It was prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years, and is a regular prescription. It is composed of the best tonics known, combined with the best blood purifiers, acting directly on the mucous surfaces The perfect combination of the two ingredients is what produces such wonderful results in curing Catarrh. Send for testimonials free.

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National election just five weeks off today, and such little interest in it down this way.

There are 8,000 people in Galveston who are homeless, and help is still needed in that city.

At a recent meeting of the directors of the Atlantic and North Carolina railroad, the building of a branch road from LaGrange to Snow Hill was authorized. That was a good decision for the road.

The mine owners in the Pennsylvania district where the strike prevails, have agreed to give the miners a 10 per cent advance in wages. The miners will hold a convention to consider the proposition.

The North Carolina car "City of Charlotte" that contained agricultural exhibits of this State and has been taken nearly all over the United States, was destroyed by fire at Kingston, Ohio, on Monday. The loss is estimated at about $18,000.

Mr. Bryan is making a tour of the west in a special car, from the platform of which he speaks to the great crowds who go to hear him. He spoke for six hours Monday. His speeches always make him friends and his prospects of election as President grow brighter every day.

Judge A. C. Avery suggests that the Senatorial primary be called off until the first Tuesday in December. He says that interest in the Presidential and Congressional elections is overshadowed by the interest in the Senatorial question and he thinks Mr. Bryan and the Democratic nominees for Congress will suffer if the voting for them and the Senators comes at the same time.

It appears on paper every few days that the war in the Philippines has ended. Then have come reports that the Filipinos have broken out fighting in a new place. And so it goes, first one way and then the other. The latest is that they have become unexpectedly very active in another quarter, and that an entire company of United Statessoldiers has been captured. In the company captured were several North Carolinians. It is feared many of the company has been killed

No one else has expressed his views about it in print yet, but on the street we hear people talking about electric lights, water works, better streets and graded schools. While all these are needed, the two first mentioned are discussed most, and they are talked about as though the time fixed for getting them was next year. In fact it is nothing unusual to hear some one say Greenville is going to put in lights and water works next year. We take this sentiment to mean that application will be made to the next General assembly for an order for an election to vote on the question of issuing bonds to provide these needs of the the town.

He Prints a Paper Now.

When we were young—very young—we used to thing that everybody was honest and sincere and that what they said was always true. We regret to say that we are not so young now.—LaGrange Sentinel.

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS.

Proceedings of October Meeting.

The Board of County Commissioners at their October meeting, besides issuing the usual pauper orders, and allowing and paying claims against the county, transacted the following business:

O. W. Harrington was appointed a committee to look after bridge across Chicod creek near W. H. and J. B. Galloway's.

The sum of $10 was appropriated to J. A. Williams to lay out the Black Jack and Clay Root road.

Charlotte Anderson was added to the pauper list to receive $1 per month.

Tom Williams was added to the pauper list to receive $1.50 per month.

A petition was presented from citizens of Falkland township asking for a public road from a point near B. P. Smith's to near W. F. Moseley's, across the lands of B. P. Smith, J. T. Corbett, W. C. Moore, R. E. Cotten, I. N. Moore and A. M. Wooten.

The following jurors were drawn for December court:

First week—M. M. Ewell, C. E. Fleming, B. A. Tripp, Z. V. Hooker, W. B. Greene, Lunford Fleming, Wiley Brown, W. G. Gurganus, Alfred Moore, W. C. Jackson, Sr., J. B. Whitehurst, Allen Jackson, B. F. Wooten, D. M. Edwards, J. C. Cook, Josephus Moye, Ivy Smith and D. H. Allen.

Second Week—W. A. Teel, Ed Dixon, Sam Flake, Elisha Laug, C. M. Ross, C. E. Johnson, H. B. Harris, A. F. Pittman, W. R. Horne, W. E. Barnhill, C. T. Kittrell, Joseph Cox, D. J. Bibb, A. B. King, W. H Garriss, S. T. Ross, C. L. Barrett, J. H. Cobb.

Several delinquents were allowed to list taxes for 1900.

Resolutions of Respect.

To the W. M. Wardens and Member of Greenville Lodge No. 284.

The committee appointed to prepare and submit suitable resolutions regarding the death of Bro. B. J. Wilson, report the following:

Whereas, sudden death has removed from Greenville Lodge No. 284 A. F. & A. M., our Bro. B. J. Wilson, on Thursday the 13th day of Sept. 1900, who was a good and true Mason,

And whereas, he has been transplanted from this imperfect to that all perfect and glorious Lodge above, it is proper that we should reverence the memory of our deceased brother who exemplified in life so many of the virtues of our ancient and honorable order. Therefore be it resolved:

1st. That while we bow in humble submission to the loss sustained by his departure from among us, we will ever cherish his memory and remember him as a worthy member of Greenville Lodge.

2d. That we will throw the mantle of charity over any faults that he may have had and will cherish and emulate his virtues.

3rd. That a blank page of the record book be dedicated to his memory; that copies of the these resolutions be sent to the Greenville papers and Oxford Orphan's Friend for publication and a copy to the family of our deceased brother with the assurance of the sincere sympathys of this Lodge.

J. M. RICHS, P. M.
R. WILLIAMS, P. M.
O. W. HARRINGTON,
Committee.

States will now be Announced

Washington, Sept. 29.—The Census to day finished the enumeration of all the cities in the United States of over 25,000 inhabitants, with the exception of Los Angeles, Portland, Ore., Seattle and Tacoma. The work of announcing the States will come next beginning with Arkansas probably next Monday or Tuesday. The States will be announced in short bulletins giving the total population, the increase over the two preceding census reports, the population by counties and the population of each of the cities under 25,000, including all the incorporated towns within the limits.

So far as the work has progressed it appears likely that the present census will cost in the neighborhood of $15,000,000.

POLL HOLDERS.

For Senatorial Primary Election.

The Democratic Executive Committee of the county, met in Greenville Monday and selected the following poll holders for the several precints to conduct the Democratic primary election for United States Senator, to be held on Tuesday, November 6th.

Beaver Dam—Ivey Smith and Edgar Ballard.

Belvoir—W. W. Bullock and Olen Warren.

Bethel—E. A. Cherry and Caddie James.

Carolina—W. J. Little and J. R. Congleton.

Chicod—N. T. Cox and W. L. Smith.

Contentnea, No. 1—William Worthington and J. J. Stokes.

Contentnea, No. 2 J. R. Johnson and J. F. Harrington.

Falkland—A. M. Wooten and F. G. Dupree.

Farmville—W. A. B. Hearne and W. E. Barrett.

Greenville No 1—J. C. Lanier, and W. J. Briley.

Greenville, No 2—Paul Harring. ton and C. D. Rountree.

Pactolus—H. M. Jones and M. T. Spier.

Swift Creek, No. 1—W. J. Laughinghouse and M. C. Smith.

Swift Creek No. 2—N. H. Whitford and J. A. Hardee.

Mayor's Court.

Mayor J. G. Moye has dispcsed of the following cases in his court since last report:

William Moye, drunk and disorderly, fined $2.50 and costs, total $4.70

A. E. Smith (alias Curly Smith) drunk and disorderly, fined one penny and costs, $1.96.

James A. Sutton, drunk and disorderly, fined $2 and costs, total $4.60.

Samuel Bryant, allowing stock to run at large in town, fined $1 and costs, total $6.05.

The letter of Ex-Governor T. J. Jarvis, of Greenville, announcing his candidacy for Senator, appeared in the Greenville REFLECTOR of last week. His letter is addressed to the Democratic press and voters. In it he acknowledges the high offices of Governor, Senator, etc., he has already held, and implies that the experience he has had fits him for the position. On the whole, it is a frank discussion of his reasons for urging his candidacy, and will make him friends wherever read.—Wilson Times.

Anniversary and Reunion.

Next Sunday will be the anniversary of Rev. J. N. Booth's pastorate of the Greenville Memorial Baptist church, and the morning service of that day will be made the occasion of a reunion of the church. The roll of members will be called and every one who can is expected to be present and answer. Absent members have been written to and asked to send a letter to be read when their names are called if they cannot be present in person. There will also be reports of all departments of the church work for the past year.

Didn't Know It Was Loaded.

An 11-year-old negro boy accidentally shot and killed himself Friday afternoon in Swift Creek township. His name was Bright Tucker and he was a son of William Tucker. The boy stole the pistol, which had only one loaded chamber, and carried it into near by cotton field where the fatal accident occurred. The ball took effect in the boy's forehead. He was alone at the time and the body was not discovered for several hours afterward.—Raleigh Post.

Public Speaking.

Hon. John H. Small, Democratic candidate for Congress, and Mr. I. M. Meekins, Republican candidate for Congress, will speak in joint discussion in Pitt county, as follows:

Ayden, Friday, Oct. 12th, 1 P. M.

Bethel, Saturday, Oct. 13th, 1 P. M.

Mr. C. R. Abernethy, Democratic Presidential Elector, will speak in Pitt county as follows:

Greenville, Friday, Oct. 19th, 8 P. M.

Ayden, Monday, Oct. 29th, 12 M.

WINTERVILLE DEPARTMENT.

NEWSY HAPPENINGS AND BUSINESS NOTES.

WINTERVILLE, N. C., Oct. 3rd.,

Any and every one who is in need of a first class cart, wagon, cart wheels or cart saddles and back bands, if he will call on the A. G. Cox Mfg. Co., can be satisfied both as to quality and prices. The demand for the goods they manufacture has made it necessary for them not only to increase their capital stock but to add to their force of employes and each individual member of this firm feels a just pride in the success of their undertaking. With their motto "honesty is the best policy" they can never do else than succeed.

The Hausucker Carriage Co., is not only compelled to supply a large demand for their work here at home, but are constantly receiving orders by telegram from a distance for their buggies, which naturally takes wherever seen and used. They are not only beauties but very durable.

Our town was honored on last Saturday morning by the arrival of two charming Misses, one at the home of H. M. Dixon and the other at the home of Elbert Smith. We presume they will remain with us a while. We sincerely hope their stay among us may be pleasant.

W. J. Wyatt, J. B. Carroll, Prof. G. E. Lineberry and Elder W. L. Bilbro returned from the Union meeting at Spring Garden last Sunday. They report a very pleasant time as well as a good meeting.

The Winterville Cigar Co. is increasing the force of its hands. Their patronage demand it.

The High school is still booming. Five new boarders came in Monday and several pupils from the surrounding country.

A. G. Cox is still paying highest cash prices for cotton seed.

J. E. Green, who has been on a visit near Williamston, returned Monday.

Peyton Mayo who has been attending the depot left for Ayden the same evening.

Master Bennit Sheppard was in to see us yesterday. He has grown to be quite a man since we last saw him.

"Passed Over the River."

Mr. Jesse Barnhill died on Friday afternoon at his home in Carolina township, and was buried Saturday. He was 79 years old, and a good and true man, and one of the county's landmarks. "Uncle Jesse" as everybody called him, was one of the three old men in his neighborhood whose names have been frequently mentioned in THE REFLECTOR. He was a man who loved his home and paid close attention to the business of his farm, and made a success of his work. He only came to town about once a year, his last visit here being two months ago, and he never came without spending a short while in THE REFLECTOR office. His name was on the first page of subscribers the paper ever had.

Mr Barnhill was a man whom everybody liked, and his life was blameless and above reproach. He was a consistent member of the Primitive Baptist church, and passes from this life to wear the crown of the faithful in the life beyond.

A negro broken out and suffering with smallpox came in Sunday night from Petersburg, Va., and was at once taken out to the pest house. He went direct from the train to City Physician McGee, who had him taken to the pest house at once. The negro gave his name as Robert Green and said that there was much smallpox in Petersburg.—Raleigh News and Observer.

Strange as it may seem, a thin man may be very thick with his friends, while you may only know a fat man slightly.

Some people are so constituted that they go looking for vice with a telescope and can't see virtue with a magnifying glass.

When a man dyes his hair he eyes unhonored and unsung.

ALMOST OUT.

Jail Delivery Prevented by The Guard.

There came very near being another jail delivery Sunday night, but it was prevented by the vigilance of the guard. There were so many prisoners in jail awaiting September court, that a month ago the County Commissioners deemed it prudent to have the jail guarded at night. Mr. Edgar Burk was employed for that purpose and has been keeping guard around the jail at night. It has been Mr. Buck's custom while on duty to walk around the jail about every fifteen minutes and then station himself about the front until time for him to make another round. He had just got out from one of these rounds Sunday night when he heard a noise behind the jail. Thinking it was dogs, as they had been prowling around there much at night, he picked up some brick bats and started to drive the dogs away.

Getting behind the jail instead of finding any dogs Mr. Buck saw that several bricks had fallen outside from the wall and there was a large hole where the bricks came from. He was just in time to prevent the prisoners from getting out, as one of them had started to crawl through the hole when he heard the guard approaching.

An examination inside the jail showed that the bolt and lock had been broken off of one of the lower cells and four negroes in it had come out in the corridor and cut a hole through the wall at the same place where all the other escapes have been made. How they managed to break off the bolt that held the lock outside the cell door is a mystery, but it is supposed they persuaded a crazy negro who was kept in the corridor to break it off for them. The prisoners make so much noise in the jail that any work they might be doing inside could not be heard.

Capt. Hawks' Mother Dead.

Mrs Julia A. Hawks, mother of Capt. G. D. Hawks, of Kinston, died yesterday morning, at 8:12 o'clock, at her home in Petersburg, Va. Mrs Hawks was about 74 years of age. She had been in feeble health for several years—her death, however, was not expected so soon. She leaves four children—two sons and two daughters, and a host of relatives and friends, to mourn their loss. Capt. Hawks left yesterday afternoon for Petersburg.—Kinston Free Press.

The News has received a copy of the Greenville REFLECTOR containing the announcement of Hon. T. J. Jarvis of his candidacy for the United States Senate. The article is too lengthy for reproduction in our columns but we give a synopsis of it elsewhere. He has been a hard worker for Democracy and his ability, patriotism and the service he has rendered the people of North Carolina will draw to his support a large vote throughout the State.

Purchase Taxes.

All merchants and dealers are required by law to give in their purchases for the year, to the Register of Deeds, during the first ten days of October. Register of Deeds T. R. Moore is now ready to receive these lists for Pitt County, and if you have not already given it to him it should be attended to at once.

Gone to Work Roads.

An officer from Tarboro took eight prisoners from here this morning to work on the roads of Edgecombe county. All these prisoners were sentenced at the last term of Pitt Superior court.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

The undersigned having duly qualified before the Superior Court Clerk of Pitt county as Executrix of the Last Will an Testament of W. R. Whichard, deceased notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to the estate to make immediate payment to the undersigned, and all persons having claims against said estate must present the same for payment on or before the 2nd day of October, 1901, or this notice will be plead in bar of recovery.

This 2nd day of October, 1900.

MARY A. A. WHICHARD,
Executrix of W. R. Whichard.

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WOMAN

IS LIKE A DELICATE MUSICAL INSTRUMENT

In good condition she is sweet and lovable, and sings life's song on a joyful harmonious string. Out of order or unstrung, there is discordance and unhappiness. Just as there is one key note to all music so there is one key note to health. A woman might as well try to fly without wings as to feel well and look well while the organs that make her a woman are weak or diseased. She must be healthy inside or she can't be healthy outside. There are thousands of women suffering silently all over the country. Mistaken modesty urges their silence. While there is nothing more admirable than a modest woman, health is of the 1st importance. Every other consideration should give way before it. Bradfield's Female Regulator is a medicine for women's ills. It is the safest and quickest way to cure leucorrhea, falling of the womb, nervousness, headache, backache and general weakness. You will be astonished at the result, especially if you have been experimenting with other so-called remedies. We are not asking you to try an uncertainty. Bradfield's Regulator has made happy thousands of women. What it has done for others it can do for you. Sold in drug stores for $1 a bottle.

A free Illustrated book will be sent to all who write for it.

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Atlanta, Ga.

Association.

The Tar River Association will meet with the church at Spring Hope, Nash county, N. C., on Tuesday after the second Sunday in October. We hope to see all the churches of the Association represented, and all delegates expecting to attend, and wishing homes provided for them, will please send in their names to me at once, as there will only be homes prepared for those who send their names. Those coming by railroad will come by the way of Rocky Mount. Spring Hope is twenty miles west of that point.

J. E. HOCUTT,
Spring Hope, N. C

NOTICE!

I have a new and well selected stock of **Millinery** and have secured the services of Mrs. Ella Greene, (formerly Sheppard) as assistant for this season. She is a skillful trimmer of long experience and I will guarantee to my customers **The Prettiest Hats at the Lowest Prices** EVER OFFERED.

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Misses ERWIN
GREENVILLE, N C

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500 CORDS OF

Dogwood AND **Persimmon**

Timber. Will pay from $5.00 to $10.00 per cord for same, F. O. B. Goldsboro, N. C.

THIS WOOD must be round, nearly free from knots, and sawed off at both ends. Will take 4 feet and 8 feet long and as small as 5 inches in diameter at small end, but no smaller.

J. H. Weeden,
9-7-2m. Goldsboro, N. C

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Jan. 1. J. C. LANIER.

How They Stood.

Mr. W. A. Bright says the jury that made a mistrial of the case against him on the charge of setting fire to his barroom, stood six to six instead of ten to two as published in THE REFLECTOR Saturday. We published the figures as given us by the solicitor and as also generally reported on the streets. The report was that only two of the jurors were for acquittal, and when they took the last vote it was two for acquittal, six for conviction and four not voting.

The First Blast

of Winter.
Its really time to think of

Winter Clothing

The putter off does not secure the cream of the stock, for the early buyer has the opportunity. Now the time is ripe and we invite you to inspect the most carefully selected stock in Greenville. Our tables are groaning under their loads of the best clothing ever shown in this city, and we propose to demonstrate that this is the place above all others that is intitled to your consideration when you are ready to buy your fall suitt.

Double and Single Breasted Suits, Fancy Worsteads, Cheviots, light and dark brown checks and plaids. OUR SPECIAL FALL OPENING PRICE on this well tailored suit will be Seven Dollars and Fifty Cents. Our price this season will fit your pocketbook exactly **$7.50**

FRANK WILSON,
THE KING CLOTHIER

EASTERN REFLECTOR.

NOTICE.

If there is a CROSS MARK in the margin of this paper it so to remind you that you owe THE EASTERN REFLECTOR for subscription and we request you to settle as early as possible. We need what YOU owe us and hope you will not keep us waiting for it.

This notice is for those who find the cross mark on their paper.

LOCAL REFLECTIONS.

Can you realize that the year is three-fourths gone!

Five Mondays, five Tuesdays and five Wednesdays this month.

Any one wanting a second hand, wood, heating stove can learn something about it at this office.

Horse shoeing by a first-class white workman, at W. O. Barnhill's shop on Dickinson avenue.

The man who sweats and cusses and gets sooty over the stove pipe that he can't make fit, will soon be on deck.

Greenville is not specially on a building boom, but you can hardly get on any street without seeing work progressing on houses.

The Osceola Band are in possession of the new instruments and the boys are making fine music again.

The Masonic Hall School began the second month with six new pupils, bringing the total enrollment up to 54.

You will find a complete line of Hats, trimmed and untrimmed, the newest shapes, at Mrs. M. D. Higgs.

Attention is called to the notice to creditors by Mrs. Mary A. A. Whichard, Executrix of W. R. Whichard.

Fresh Goods—Shredded Wheat Biscuits, Pancake Flour, Oat Flakes, Olives Evaporated Peaches and Apples at S. M. Schutz'.

Infant Cloaks, long and short, Infant Caps, white and colors, Children's Furs, Tam O'Shanters, and an assorted line of Walking and Soft Felt Hats at Mrs. M. D. Higgs'.

Two Brothers Fight.

We learn that on Thursday at Grifton two brothers, Messrs. Buck Bland and Kit Bland, became involved in a fight, and the former cut the latter so badly that it is not thought he can live. He received three terrible cuts, one in the abdomen, one in the back and one under the chin. The cause of trouble between the brothers was not learned. It was a tragedy much to be regretted.

Blood in the Old Man Yet.

Governor Jarvis is the latest addition to the Senatorial canvass. His card is in excellent taste. As Lady Macbeth said of Duncan, "Who would have thought the old man to have had so much blood in him?"—Morganton Herald.

Died.

Mrs. John S. Harris died at 8 o'clock this morning at her home near Falkland. She was 50 years old and a most excellent woman. The husband and five children survive her. The burial took place this afternoon.—Daily Reflector 1st.

Joint Discussion.

Hon. J. H. Small, Democratic nominee for Congress in this district, and Mr. I. M. Meekins, the Republican nominee, are making a joint canvass of the district. They will speak in Pitt county at Ayden on Friday, October 12th, and at Bethel on Saturday, 13th.

Long Distance Shipment.

Today Mr. D. D. Overton shipped a game rooster of his own raising to Canada. If this one proves satisfactory to the consignee the shipment is to be followed by a dozen more. This speaks well for Mr. Overton and for Greenville that he gets orders so far away.

Mail Carrier Strike.

The driver who has been carrying the star route mail between Greenville and Tarboro via Hill and Holland, has gone on a strike and thrown up his job. Postmaster J. J. Perkins is hiring the mail carried on the route until other arrangements can be made with the contractors.

Revival at Ayden.

Possibly the greatest religious revival that Ayden has ever had is now in progress. Rev. B. H. Melton of Wilson, N. C. is doing the preaching. The meeting is being held in the College chapel which was crowded Sunday night and many stood about the doors. There were five conversions at Sunday nights service and the meeting will continue through this week.

The Way to Help.

When THE REFLECTOR helps you you should help THE REFLECTOR. That is the way to enable the paper to serve you better and be a credit to your town. Don't be a borrower and read the paper somebody else pays for, but give us your subscription. We want your advertising and job printing too. All these help to give you a better paper.

HOWDY DO.

Some Speak to Me, Some to You

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 27, 1900.

MONDAY, OCTOBER 1, 1900.

W. H. Harrington went to Weldon today.

F. G. Whaley went to Halifax this morning.

N. H. Whitfield went to Kinston Saturday evening

Mrs. E. A. Moye returned this morning from Grifton.

Roy Evans is back to his gallery again after being sick for some time.

Mrs. Alice Harper and little son returned this morning from Kinston.

Owing to the sickness of Judge A. M. Moore he has not been able to hold some of his courts.

Miss Martha Dudley went to Ayden Saturday evening and returned this morning.

R. L. Humber left Saturday evening for Beaufort where his family are visiting relatives.

Graham Bond, of Edenton, who has been visiting his sister, Mrs A. M. Moore, left this morning.

Mrs. E. J. Hardee and Miss Sudie Hardee left this morning to visit friends in Martin county.

Miss Lizzie Hines, of Ayden, who has been visiting here, returned home Saturday evening.

Mrs. J. B. Cherry returned home Saturday evening from Baltimore and New York where she had been spending some weeks.

W. I. Pender who is chief machinist on the cruiser Kentucky, of the U. S. Navy, is home on a furlough while his ship is in the Brooklyn navy yard taking on stores. On the 24th the Kentucky will sail for China. Walter is looking well and says he enjoys life in the navy.

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 2, 1900.

J. Stroud went to Ayden Monday evening.

R. L. Smith left this morning for Richmond.

B. T. Bailey returned to Scotland Neck this morning.

G. W. B. Hadley returned this morning from LaGrange.

A. M. Perry returned from Scotland Neck Monday evening.

H. D. Drake went to Kinston Monday evening and returned this morning.

B. E. Patrick went to Kinston Monday evening and returned this morning.

Leon Smith has quit clerking and gone to the coachshop to learn a trade.

Mrs. R. H. Patterson, of Wilson, came in Monday evening to visit Mrs. W. A. Bowen.

Percy Carlisle, of Whitakers, came in Monday evening to visit his father J. C. Carlisle.

Rev. J. D. Waters passed through to Grifton Monday to conduct a meeting in the Christian church there.

Judge A. M. Moore, accompanied by Mrs. Moore, left this morning for Baltimore where he goes for treatment.

Sheriff G. M. Mooring and O. W. Harrington left this morning for Raleigh to take several prisoners to the penitentiary.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 3, 1900.

John Lamb, of Williamston is in town.

W. T. Hemby went to Washington today.

Miss Mary Benard left this morning for Wilmington.

H. M. Hardee and G. M. Tucker went to Norfolk today.

Rev. F. H. Harding returned Tuesday from Washington.

W. M. King returned Tuesday evening from Rocky Mount.

W. H. Harrington returned Tuesday evening from Weldon.

S. R. Ross, of Robersonville, is visiting relatives and friends here.

Miss Bertha Patrick left this morning for Greensboro to attend College.

J. L. Humber and family returned this morning from Beaufort where they have been visiting.

Miss Julia Shackelford, who has been visiting Miss Mary Bernard, left this morning for Baltimore.

H. W. Wheelbee and F. G. James returned Tuesday evening from Bethel where they had been on legal business.

Mrs. W. H. Renfrew and granddaughter, Emma Bullock who have been visiting relatives at Robersonville, returned Tuesday night.

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58-inch extra heavy unbleached German Damask	23c	Children's extra heavy 20c Hose	10c	Fancy Foulard Silk, worth 75c	25c
Children's Fast Black Hose, worth 12½	5c	Silk Windsor Ties, worth 50c	23c	Fancy Dress Sateens, worth 19c	9c
Best Linen Canvas, worth 19c	8c	Boys' Laundered Shirts, worth 50c	25c	Nottingham Lace Curtains worth $1.25 pair	49c
Best Feather Bone, all colors	5c	Honey Comb Towels, good ones,	4c	6-4 Imported Irish Damask, worth $1.25	69c
Knitting Silk, all colors, worth 10c spool	2c	Stockinet Dress Shields	8c	Fancy Stick Pins, worth 10c	4c
Men's Collars, worth 12½	5c	English Woven Bed Spreads, worth $1.25	69c	Men's Colored Shirts Collars and Cuffs	25c
Silk Elastic Webbing worth	2c	40 inch Percaline Lining, worth	9c	Silk Pulley Belts, all colors	19c
				Embroidery Cotton, worth 5c	2c

Side Combs, worth 25c	4c	Best Corset Steels	4c
Fancy Stripe White Lawns	5c	Box Fancy Stationery	5c
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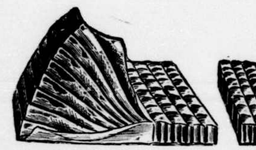

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OUR RALEIGH LETTER

Who Does the East Prefer.

Special Correspondent of Reflector.

RALEIGH N. C., Oct. 1st, 1900.

A very interesting conversation between several prominent Democrats took place in the lobby of a Raleigh hotel a day or two ago, the subject of comment being the Senatorship, the race for which has become so interesting already and is getting to be more so daily. The principal speaker was a prominent politician from the western part of the State, and as his remarks brought out a new phase of the case, which may have an important bearing with many electors, I feel that I should reproduce them here, as well as those which followed by others who were parties to the conversation—as a matter of general interest to the Democrats of the State.

WESTERN DEMOCRATS EMBARRASSED.

"We people of the west," said he, "feel considerably embarrassed over this senatorial contest. The unwritten law of the party for many years has been that the east should have one Senator and the west the other Senator. We recognize the fact, of course, that the senatorship this time belongs to the east, and that we will select the Senator two years hence. Our people of the west, therefore, are disposed to favor and support at this time that man from the east whom the majority of the eastern Democrats prefer. We feel that this would be the proper course. It is the course we should expect the west to follow in 1902. We would not relish having our favorite turned down at that time because the east should prefer another, and we want to guard against setting such a precedent this time by not disappointing the east in its preference. But the trouble with us just now is that we do not know which candidate the east prefers, and possibly we may not learn the fact until after the day of election, definitely, and then it would be everlastingly too late. Suppose it should develop, when the senatorial returns are sent in and printed, that the most popular candidate in the east had been defeated by the west. Such a result would not only be unfortunate, but unjust to the east and generally unsatisfactory—not to say that it might react upon us of the west when we come to select our Senator. Besides, it might be productive of dissensions and other bad results. Our people, the great majority of them, are very anxious to avoid such a condition; the great majority with whom I have talked (and I have canvassed the sentiment of the west pretty thoroughly) feel this way, many being pronounced in the statement. But they don't know today which man the east prefers—whether it is Simmons, Carr, Waddell or Jarvis. And that is why I we are greatly embarrassed. As far as I am individually concerned, I intend to inform myself on this subject and then vote accordingly, whichever of the four gentlemen named he may be."

WHO IS THE CHOICE OF THE EAST.

Those present seemed to recognize at once the force of the above sentiment and one gentleman (also from the west remarked: "I agree with you that it would be very unfortunate if the most popular man in the east should be defeated by the western vote, but how are we to avoid this danger? I think further, that all things being equal, and with no special or personal reason to interfere, the Democrats of the west should give preference to that one preferred by the east."

An eastern man then spoke up. He has a wide acquaintance, and is said to be one of the best posted men on the political conditions in his section. Said he:

"That can be easily shown. I do not think there is any doubt in the mind of any one who has taken the trouble to acquaint himself with the political situation in the counties east of Raleigh that Mr. Simmons will lead by a large majority in nearly all of these counties. My honest individual opinion is that Mr. Simmons will get three votes to one for either of the other candidates in the east.

This statement was not denied by any one, although there were several eastern men present.

"Well," replied the original speaker, "if that is the case I shall certainly vote for Mr. Simmons. I think it will be the duty and the pleasure of most western Democrats to inform themselves, as far as they can, as to the choice of the east and then act accordingly—unless there is somestrong personal reason to interfere, and I feel sure they will take pains to acquaint themselves of the real fact and be governed thereby. Such action would insure a result that would be satisfactory to all, and would avoid the dangerous consequences of an opposite termination of this friendly political family contest and its bad effect on the future of the party."

The other western man, already alluded to, observed as the crowd broke up: "I shall pursue the same course, and I will vote for Simmons, Carr, Waddell or Jarvis just as I am satisfied which one of them is the strongest man in the eastern counties. I have no prejudice or attachment against or for either to interfere with that course, which I take because I know, it will be for the good of the party."

LLEWXAM

It is wrong in the Filipinos to continue killing and capturing American soldiers after the war has been declared ended. They seem determined to force us to continue the warfare whether we will it or not.—Durham Herald.

One of the greatest gushers for an oil well yet struck is in West Virginia. It began operations the other day with an estimated flow of 8,000 barrels a day. most of which goes to waste because they can't catch it.—Wilmington Star.

The Tarboro Southerner says Rev. J. B. Morton is sick. His Greenville friends sympathize with him and wish he may have a speedy recovery.

A Little Study in Anatomy.

How many bones in the human face?
Fourteen, when they're all in place.
How many bones in the human head?
Eight, my child, as I've often said.
How many bones in the human ear?
Four in each and they help to hear.
How many bones in the human spine?
Twenty four like a climbing vine.
How many bones in the human chest?
Twenty-four ribs and two of the rest.
How many bones the shoulders bind?
Two in each, one before, one behind.
How many bones in the human arm?
In each arm one; two in each forearm
How many bones in the human wrist?
Eight in each, if none are missed.
How many bones in the palm of the hand?
Five in each, with many a band.
How many bones in the fingers ten?
Twenty eight, and by joints they bend.
How many bones in the human thigh?
One in each, and deep they lie.
How many bones in the human knees?
One in each, the kneecap, please
How many bones in the leg from the knee?
Two in each, we can plainly see.
How many bones in the ankle strong?
Seven in each, but none are long.
How many in the ball of the foot?
Five in each, as the palms are put.
How many bones in the toes half a score?
Twenty eight, and there are no more.
And now altogether these bones may wait!
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A man may wear whiskers and still be a bare-faced liar.

Even the church choir singers is not averse to a game of chants.

The full dinner pail isn't to be mentioned in the same breath with the full coal bin.

The man who wears his religion on his sleeve sometimes finds himself out at the elbows.

When a man never gives a thought to charity he can't be expected to give anything more substantial.

It's a poor rule that won't work both ways, but some men are even poorer because they won't work either way.

The accepted definition of a rug is something to stop the mouth, but the perpetrator of staff jokes doesn't see it in that light.

The fellow who raises a row because dinner isn't ready the minute he gets in will often spend half an hour on his way home watching a dog fight.

The average girl rather admires extravagance in a man, until she marries him.

The woman who marries for revenge may discover that revenge is not always sweet.

The person who always tells the truth gets himself into an awful lot of hot water.

The men who participate in a six-days walking match should be entitled to some of the gait receipts.

The "angel" who backs a theatrical enterprise sometimes realizes that riches take unto themselves wings.

No, Maude, dear we do not believe that the hanging gardens of Babylon were used to dry clothes in. You have evidently been misinformed.

A person may fall into money without hurting himself, even if it's hard cash.

The literary tramp probably refuses to cut wood because he dislikes hack work.

Some men don't realize that they need a rest until they come home from their vacations.

When a man takes too much rock and rye to break up a cold it's the rye that makes him feel rocky.

The woman who is continually giving her husband a piece of her mind is not conducative to his peace of mind.

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If silence is golden, how many women are worth their weight in gold?

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If the farmer sells his cotton for less than it is worth, his loss is complete and he is a permanent loser. If the cotton mill man has to pay what cotton is worth, he may be troubled for a few weeks, but he and his associates can put up the price of the product of the mill and suffer no permanent loss.

It is to the interest of the south to have this small crop of cotton bring its full value to the men whose toil has made it. Comfort at home and the education of the children are absolutely dependent upon this. It is to the interest of the south for the mills to do well, to pay good prices for cotton and get good prices for their product. The motto is "Live and let live."

Farmers: Hold part of your cotton if you wish to get its value.—Raleigh News and Observer.

Tit For Tat.

A red-haired boy and a companion his own age sat in a secluded corner of a ferry boat and prepared to shorten their lives by indulgence in the cigarette habit.

"Please gimme a light, mister!" said the red-haired boy to a facetious man who sat near by.

"You don't need any light," was the reply, with a significant glance at the boy's top dressing.

With a scornful toss of the head the boy with the scenic hair promptly retorted: "Yes, an' dis boat don't need no bellows nor no hot air long's you're aboard."

The facetious man sought a seat elsewhere.—San Francisco Wave.

The McKinley Minstrels.

Uncle Mark, what am de difference between man and de trusts?

I can't say, Theodore; what is the difference between man the struts?

"Man wants but little here below,
Nor wants that little long;
De trusts wants all de people's dough
'Till Gabriel bangs his gong."

Our genial interlocutor will now give his side splitting stump speech entitled, "There Are No Trusts."—New York Journal.

How to Save School Children.

In the October Ladies Home Journal Edward Bok takes up the cudgel against the cramming methods inflicted on school-children, and urges as a step toward a reform of the abuse "that every parent who has a child at school will send a note to the teacher that, under no circumstances whatever, will the father and mother permit any home study by the child.

"This may seem to be a very simple thing to do," he contends, "but often the simplest things are the most effective. If the teachers of this country should, within the next month, receive thousands of notes from parents to the effect pointed out, which they could—and I can speak for hundreds of teachers when I say that they would gladly do so—hand to the heads of their schools, it would practically mean a readjustment of the entire system of study. This may be better understood when it is realized that the entire system of study during school hours in many of the schools is so arranged as to allow for some of the work to be done by the pupils at home. Let this taken for granted home study be stopped, and a change would at once have to be made The stud es at school cannot be increased in number, for already there are too many. The school hours cannot be lengthened because the tide has set in to shorten them. Hence some studies would have to be thrown out, if home study were eliminated. And this is the result desired."

The Woman On The Throne.

The literary people speak of our times as the Victorian age. Queen Victoria has thus put her impress on the times we live in. Since the assassination of the King of Italy, His royal widow, Margherita, is said to be the dominant force in Italian politics, and will mould the new King, her son, with her maternal will. Spain, what there is left of it, is ruled by a woman, the Queen Mother, during the boyhood of the King. The fair little Queen of Holland, Wilhelmina, is a strong force in governing the men of her realm. She is said to have put her neat, small foot down firmly on every proposition for her marriage until a good Prince was picked out for her—the kind of youth who doesn't drink, say bad words or smoke cigarettes, etc. Her mother, before her attainment of her majority, was Queen Regent of Holland. One of the conductresses of a woman's department in a big New York newspaper comments on these facts and then asks why it is that the men raise such a racket if a woman is elected mayor of some little town out West where female suffrage goes. Perhaps the men think the women ought to be satisfied with home rule and not want to run the town or the State or the government besides.—Charlotte Observer.

Special Sale.

Announcement appears today of the third annual bargain sale of Higgs & Taft which will begin at 10 o'clock next Tuesday morning. They will keep their store closed on Monday while going over and marking down everything in their stock from 10 to 33⅓ percent. The prices they are quoting are worth careful attention. Rember their store will be closed Monday to make ready for starting the big sale Tuesday.

"Clear out now," commanded the housewife, "or I'll set the dog on you." "He wouldn't hatch nothin', lady," shouted back the tramp. "I'm er bad egg."

Letter to tell the Truth.

The Washington Post is entirely right in its declaration that there is no reason, in either morals or political expediency, why the administration should persist in its efforts to deceive and mislead the American people with regard to the condition of affairs in the Philippines. It is not succeeding and the effect is worse than if the whole truth was confessed. The report if the Philippine commission was flatly contradicted by Associated Press dispatches from Manilla which appeare, in the same papers, along side of it, and since then still worse reports have been received. The administration has all the while, in the face of perfectly well known facts, persisted in giving out stories to the effect that the war is practically over and the islands are being rapidly pacified, and accompanying these or following on their heels are reports of engagements in which the American troops are worsted, and which show a high degree of insurgent activity and organization. These come from MacArthur and other generals in the field, and are conclusive as to the facts. There would be a shadow of excuse—though the immorality would not be lessened—if the fables with which the White House and the War Department furnish the people fooled anybody or subserved any good purpose; but they do neither, and thus for every reason it were better if the simple truth about the situation in the Philippines were told.—Charlotte Observer.

Origin of "Dixie's Land."

The original song. "Dixie's Land," was composed in 1859 by Daniel Emmet as a "walk-around" for Bryant's minstrells. Mr. Emmett frequently heard the performances in a circus music the remark "I wish I was in Dixie," as soon as the Northern climate began to be too severe for the tent life which they followed. This expression suggested the song, "Dixie's Land" It made a hit at once in New York and was speedily carried to all parts of the Union by numerous bands and wandering minstrels. In the fall Mrs. John Wood sang it in New Orleans in the burlesque of "Pocahontas," and before a week had passed the whole city had taken it up. A New Orleans publisher saw possibilities in the music, and without the authority of the composer had the air harmonized and rearranged, insuseing it with words embodying the strong Southern feeling then existing in New Orleans.—October Ladies' Home Journal.

Robbed of $120

Miss Lizzie Lawrence, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. N. M. Lawrence, who lives at 900 South Tryon street, discovered Sunday that she had been robbed of $120 in gold.

This money, together with $40 in silver and bills had been placed in a box in a closet in Miss Lawrence's room. About ten days ago she missed the key to the box and dilligent search has not enabled her to find it. Sunday she picked the lock and found that the top had been wrenched off and that the $120 in gold had been taken. The $40 is silver and bills were not stolen.

The matter has been reported to the police, who are at work on the case.—Charlotte Observer.

The War Department issued an order to General Chaffee designed to prevent looting, abuse of the Chinese, and to enforce the same discipline in China as is maintained in the United States.

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A highway robber met death quickly Saturday in Wayne county. He was a young white man named Herring, who with two negroes, waylaid a farmer, James Taylor, who was on his way home with several hundred dollars. Herring and the negroes sprang at Taylor, the negroes taking hold of the horse and buggy, while Herring attacked Taylor with a bludgeon. Taylor drew a knife and cut Herring's throat. The robber fell and his accomplices fled.

The State Board of education have just sold 1,000 acres of school land in Onslow and Jones counties for $26,500 to Charles Vedder of Philadelphia. The land has been in dispute between Vedder and other alleged heirs and the State, and the sale is virtually a compromise of the suit. It is swamp land and contains little timber. What use the purchaser will put it to is not known.

SEEN AND HEARD IN WASHINGTON.

WASHINGTON, N. C., Oct. 4th

Rebuilding a part of the burnt district has been commenced.

E. M. Short Lumber Co., Eureka Lumber Co., and Kugler Lumber Co. have started up, but the purchasers are not moving lumber on account of the congestion of their yards and should this continue for long it will necessitate another long period of shut down. The surviving partner of A. S. Kelly & Co. has bought the stock, name and good will, and will continue the business.

The sheels on main street are to come down. Public opinion appears to be divided on the question. The order seems from one standpoint to be a good one, and from another it seems to be working a hardship.

Rumor has it that Mr. J. R. Bishop, of Bishops, and Miss Gradeless, of Pantego, were married on last Sunday, or that they will marry on the next, the 7th inst. Mr. Bishop is on the shady side of sixty, and she on the sunny side of 25. It is also reported that his son will marry her sister.

The Alleghany Co. have moved their store back from the street at Belhaven and the little "city by the sea" is taking on airs. Its growth is rapid and phenomenal. It is possible that another planing mill may go up at that place. Very many buildings are going up.

The Hyde Union of the Disciples church was held near Leechville on the 29th and 30th of September. Quite may were in attendance. T. L. and Leroy Satterthwaite, of Brunswick Co. made their many friends glad by their visit to their old home. The preachers present at the Union were C. L. Davis, H. S. Davenport, W. Davis, Greene, A. Latham and Smith from Baltimore, Md. The next session will be held at Scranton, Hyde county.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Latham, Jr., are quite ill at their home in west Second street.

Rev. J. D. Waters will begin on Sunday next, a series of meetings at the Christian church in this town.

Seth Bridgman and wife are spending a few days at Ocracoke.

The negro woman who was charged with killing her infant babe was too ill to be jailed, and she has taken "French leave."

The Freeman & Hodges Lumber Co. will erect a saw mill on the Bryan property near Kugler Lumber Co's. mill.

We would say something of the fire in Hyde, but prudence forbids my saying more than that the smoke is so dense at times that objects cannot be discerned at a distance of 200 yards. This is no estimate of pecuniary loss.

This country was settled a good deal earlier than is generally supposed They are discovering in Long island and thereabouts implements used by human beings, who, they say must have lived 40,000 years ago or thereabouts. These were the original Tammany fellows. —Wilmington Star.

The Southern Tobacco Journal says that one factory in Winston works 200 to 225 white girls in a plug factory packing leaf at wages of $3 to $5 week. That whites will have to take the place of colored labor in factories has been long coming, but it has come to stay.—Richmond Tobacconist.

It looks like good work the telephone people are having done to their system here. The exchange will be greatly improved.

Oscar F. Williams, who was Consul General of the United States at Manilla when the Filipino insurrection broke out, says that in the maps of Europe which were used in the Filipino schools under the Spanish regime a large place in the centre of that Continent, usually occupying more than one half the page, was marked Spain; all the rest of the countries were scattered about the edge. Thus the young Filipino came to have a very distorted idea of the magnitude of the country of his oppressors. Even Aguinaldo was surprised to learn that America overs a greater area than Spain

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A Wake grand jury has indicted State Senator Franks for perjury, in that he went on the bond of one Justice, an Asheville lawyer who was arrested for stealing law books here, and who jumped his bail. Franks swore he was worth $50 above homestead, etc., but the return of the execution sent to his county (Swain) states that he is not and the bond money cannot be collected. Franks has been a prominent "fusionist" for several years.

In 1790 North Carolina had ten representatives in Congress. In 1800, it had twelve; in 1810 20 and 30, it had thirteen; in 1840 it was reduced to nine; in 1850 to 8; in 1860 to seven; in 1870 it had eight, and in 1880 and 1890 it had nine. If it had the number to which it is really entitled it would have had ten during all the past ten years.—Raleigh News and Observer.

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British May Seize Oom Paul.

London, Sept. 30th.—President Kruger is packing his possessions at Lourenzo Marques, preparatory to going to Europe, whither he will sail next week on the Dutch cruiser Gelderland.

Mrs. Kruger is very feeble, and probably will not accompany him. Admiral Harris, with a British fleet of swift cruisers, is waiting in the harbor, and there is much speculation as to what he will do when Kruger sails.

The six big armored cruisers for which bids have been invited by the Navy Department will compare favorably in magnitude and engine power with most modern ocean passenger steamships. A ship 502 feet long, 70 feet beam, 13,500 tons displacement and 23,000 horse power in her engines is bound to be a flyer, and no mistake. With such an equipment the speed limit of 22 knots per hour assigned to these vessels should be surpassed without much difficulty. These fast cruisers will also carry unusually heavy batteries, beginning with eight inch guns, and this armament will be protected by Krupp armor ranging from three and one half to six inches in thickness. Pamphlet like battleships, the new cruisers will sail like modern steam packets, and need fear no attack of an enemy on the high seas. These ships will represent the latest achievements and last work of science is applied to modern vessels of war.

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