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BAPTIST YOUNG PEOPLE'S UNION.

Coming Convention Praught With Impo-rtance to the South.

In discussing the July convention of the Baptist Young People's Union of America, Mr. R. H. Edwards, editor of the Manufacturers' Record, is a member of the local executive committee, says:

"The full meaning of the great convention of the Baptist Young People's Union, to be held next July, is probably not appreciated as yet by many people. Looked at outside entirely of the influence which it is calculated to have upon this great denomination, which has an active membership of about 3,300,000 in the United States, there is a still broader interest in this convention in relation to the country at large. The members of the Baptist Young People's Union of America are mainly the active younger members of this denomination, although there is no restriction as to age, and many of the most prominent older men in the denomination are active workers in the organization. The plan of the Union and its aim are to inspire greater zeal and enthusiasm in religious work in the rising generation of Baptists throughout the country. The important feature of the convention in Baltimore, as it relates to the country at large, however, is the influence that it will have in bringing about a better acquaintance on the part of the people of all sections, and the breaking down of sectional lines that have to some extent separated the various denominations as well as the various sections of the country. The gathering in Baltimore will be composed of the active leaders in the denomination from every part of the country, North, South, East and West, as well as from Canada.

"There is already an assurance of at least 12,000 delegates being in attendance, which will be the largest Baptist gathering ever held in the world. Letters received by the Baltimore committee show that of the delegates who will come from the far North and Northwest and Canada, there are very many who are entirely ignorant of the Southern section of our country, of its attractions and advantages, and who when they come to this meeting, will for the first time in their lives, cross Mason and Dixon's line. The effect of such a convention as this, uniting this great denomination in a spirit of the closest fraternity, will be one of the potent forces that are now helping to unite our entire country in the broad spirit of Americanism. The Christian churches of the land have been too long separated on sectional lines, and it is gratifying to note the movement that is being inaugurated by the Baptists in this work. It is not proposed that this convention shall in any way whatever conflict with the work of established organizations in the Baptist denomination, but at large the regular church work of the denomination doing it through existing agencies, and bring together in a spirit of fraternity and friendship the rising generation of Baptists, the men and women upon whom the future of the denomination must rest.

"It is a great opportunity for the South and it is to be hoped that several thousand delegates from that section will be here to meet their Northern and Western brethren. Looked at only from the material point of view, this convention can be made of untold value to the South, and to Baltimore, because it will give to many thousands of Northern and Western people an interest in and acquaintance with the South and its people, which they do not now have. It is fortunate that Baltimore, the only common meeting ground of all sections—North, South, East and West—should have been chosen for such a convention as this, which is fraught with so much interest to the country at large."—Baltimore Daily News.

The Savannah News furnishes this bit of consolation: "The Southern people, despite the fact that cotton is only 5 cents a pound, are about as well off as the people of any other section of the country. They could be better off if they would profit by the lesson taught by their fathers in the years from 1861 to 1865. That lesson comprises self-reliance and economy. For nearly five years the farmers of the South fed, clothed and kept in the field a half million of soldiers and supported themselves. Cotton was grown in sufficient quantities to buy a few war vessels abroad, together with small supplies of arms and ammunition, but the main products of the South were corn and hogs."

A New Set of Worms.
Winston Sentinel: It is now said that English sparrows destroy a great many tobacco worms and that where they congregate in any numbers they keep the tobacco free of worms. The fear is expressed, however, that the sparrow may in time contract the habit of chewing, in which case he will prove to be a very destructive enemy.

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WHAT ONE MEN CAN DO.

Take an old speckled hen, for instance, that has been raising out of all, one that's been thrown out of the corn-crib, knocked off of the porch with a broom and chased out of the garden by a worthless pup. Just take that sort of an old-fashioned hen, and let's see: She lays at least two dozen eggs, and then goes to sitting on 13 of her eggs. The other dozen pay her keep while she sits on eggs into chicken and while she is scratching for them after they are hatched and before being weaned. That sort of a hen generally hatches 10 out of the 13 eggs and raises eight of them, that sell for \$2. But we must knock off \$1 for the raising and put only \$1 aside to the credit of old Spock, who looks about awfully, and then she lays another two dozen eggs and sits again on 13 and another lot of eight chickens, that sell for \$2 more, and so we pay off again and put another dollar to the credit of our old hen.

Well, then it's long toward dinner, and she's busy laying, and then she takes another laying spell, and lays another 25 eggs, and then sits again, and brings on a full brood that sells before, and we credit her with another dollar, the half of the produce of another batch of eight chickens, which makes \$3 to her credit over and above all expenses.

Then she lays a little more and shows her feathers and looks about and scratches for a living about toward the holidays, when she takes another spell of laying and lays a good lot of eggs by Christmas and gets, but doesn't set because it is too cold. But along about February she sets in again and lays right singly for a month or more until she is round to the time where she started in last year, and in footing up we find she has paid all expenses and \$3 besides in 12 months, a pretty good showing for a 25 cent hen.—Texas Farm and Ranch.

A Mouse Commits Suicide.

John J. Thaxton spent last Sunday at the residence of his father-in-law, Mr. S. J. Hester, near town. While walking about the place he noticed a mouse in a field, which had gotten away from the house and there was no place of refuge nearby. The mouse deliberately ran up in a small thorn bush, and after shivering on a limb for awhile stuck his head between the branches of the bush and threw his body off. He died in that position. This is so because Mr. Thaxton says he saw it.—Durham Sun.

There are people who think that the principal business of a newspaper is to take issue with other publications on political, religious and economic topics, and not only take issue but to abuse and defame such papers and their editors if perchance they do not agree on matters of general interest. Unhappily there are also many journalists who think it is a great part of their business to pick into their neighbors and use vile epithets because things don't go as they wish and dictate.—Durham Sun.

One reason why many a prayer is not answered is because there are too many articles asked for in one petition. If you want bread, pray for bread, don't wander around asking for plum pudding, a mortgage and a post-office. If you are lazy and waiting for somebody to take you by the hand and steer potatoes into your mouth, pray for common sense, energy and push. There is a sentence in prayer. A little work is good to throw in at times—enough to keep you from drying up.

The decision of Justice Gaynor of the Supreme Court of New York, that rubber stamp signatures are not legal has caused some consternation. It seems that Saragat Owen T. Coffin, of Westchester county, has for years signed his name on all official papers with a rubber stamp. Among the documents on which he has stamped his name are the wills of S. J. Tilden, I. M. Singer, Orlando B. Potter, and those connected with the Roosevelt estate, of Pelham.—Richmond Dispatch.

"I am not in favor of negro rule" is a common saying with the Populists. They will vote in favor of negro rule every time they change a city charter in Eastern North Carolina. They will be judged by their acts rather than by their professions.—Raleigh News and Observer.

AT CLOSE QUARTERS.

A Fight with an Angry Rattlesnake in a Dugout.

Our Hero Receives a Strange Promontion of His Danger—He Quits Himself Like a Man—Then Fights Like a Woman.

"A man I know," says a writer in the St. Louis Globe-Democrat, "had an adventure with a rattlesnake in a dugout once that wasn't funny. East—that's the man's name—was getting out timber during the high water, and was about two miles from camp in a submerged cane-brake. He was in the bow of the boat and stopped over to get a drink of water. When he arose he started backward toward the stern. What it was that made him turn and look behind him East never could tell, but he swears that something told him to do it. Anyway he did it, and he hasn't quit being glad of it yet, for, coiled up in the boat, about two feet in front of the stern seat, was a tremendous rattlesnake. East says it made a pile bigger than a bushel measure, and I guess it did, for it measured five feet nine inches and was as thick as the calf of my leg.

"East started to jump overboard, but it was early in the spring and he knew the water was cold. Besides, he didn't know but the blamed snake might take a notion to stay in the dugout all night. The snake had no notion of getting out and was singing its war song at a great rate and holding himself in readiness to spring as soon as East got within striking distance. Calling for help would have done no good, for there was no help to call within two miles. There was an ax in the bow of the dugout, and East grabbed it and prepared to strike one blow at the snake anyhow. Did you ever try to stand up in a sassafras dugout and fight an angry, six-foot diamond-back rattlesnake with an ax? If you ever did you know how East felt. I never did, and I don't know, and I'm not anxious to find out.

East knew he would have a chance to strike one blow, and that must be his chance and he waited till the snake was gathered for its spring; then he struck. The sharp steel met the serpent as it sprang and cleaved its body about six inches below its head.

"What happened for the next hour East never knew. As soon as he saw he had killed the snake he squatted right down in that dugout and fainted like a heroine in an old school romance. When he came around the snake was dead, and he was so weak and nervous that he could hardly paddle to the camp, where he told his story and showed the snake to prove it.

Hot-Water Wells.

There are wells which are veritable paradoxes in their nature, and which, says the St. Louis Republic, instead of giving forth a cooling draught to the tired traveler, give him water at the boiling point. One of these, on the premises of Dr. Lane, at Portland, Ore., in the language of the doctor, yields water "a thousand times hotter than boiling." At Pine Grove, Esmeralda county, Nev., there is a well (drilled in 1888) which furnished water for the miners to do their cooking with. Potatoes placed in the stone basin at the well will cook through and through in eight minutes. The water of one of the artesian wells at Pesh, Hungary, has an average temperature of two hundred degrees and seventy-five thousand gallons every twelve hours. At Ritzia, Australia, there is a boiling spring which Prof. Hilden avers is inhabited by millions of small red fish. If these little hot water denizens be scooped from their natural element and placed in a pail of common drinking water they die instantly, and the queer part of the story is that the scales and skin slip off, just as though they had been scalded!

Rights of the Sexes.

Mr. Ruskin, in one of his latest published works, has a word to say about the rights of men and women: "Quite one of the most important and necessary ones of man, he considers, is the right to have a good dinner well cooked, when he comes from his work, and 'quite one of the pleasant rights of women to have a pretty dress to put on when she has done hers. The first of the sciences, therefore," Mr. Ruskin concludes, "is that of cookery, and the signed of arts that of dress."

She Resented the Criticism.

A young man and a lady were walking in the lobby of the Herald Square theater, New York, the other night, discussing DeKoven's "Rob Roy." During their talk the words: "It is plagiarism, mere plagiarism," were spoken audibly by the gentleman. Straightway a lady behind him exclaimed: "I dare you to say that again!" The gentleman, surprised, looked around and ventured to remark mildly that he had a right to his opinion. "I dare you to say that again!" repeated the lady, with flashing eyes. "I am Mrs. DeKoven!" There was nothing more to be added, as the reader can imagine, and further criticism of "Rob Roy" was deferred until possibly under more favorable conditions.

ORIGIN OF CLYDESDALES.

One of the Dukes of Hamilton the First to Study Their Breeding.

The Clydesdales, perhaps the horses most highly esteemed by farmers, especially in the hilly countries, are bred in districts bordering on the Clyde, and owe their origin to one of the dukes of Hamilton, who crossed some of his best Lanarks with stallions he imported from Flanders, since the Nineteenth Century. This breed is conspicuous for its high courage, activity and endurance. Several years ago the late Gen. Peel told me how successful he had been in making his thoroughbred Toxophilite with Clydesdales.

"When you use," said he, "a thoroughbred for draught mares always use the biggest and best you have, and you will be sure to produce draught horses second to none. Horses good as Stockwell are not too good for my Clydesdales. What I have bred will go on their knees to move the heaviest loads. They won't be beaten."

This fact proves how beneficially a good cross of fresh blood operates, and particularly so when the new blood is obtained from the thoroughbred—not from inferior specimens of this breed, but from the very best—from "horses as good as Stockwell." The Clydesdale differs from the Shire horse in that it has a long, low back, short, flat ribs, good, hard legs and long pasterns, which would seem to have been derived from a cross with a half-breed or thoroughbred horse.

This certainly is not a desirable conformation, and our Scottish brothers have, for several years past, inoculated this breed by the introduction of the best Shire blood, both male and female, which has resulted in the production of animals with shorter and stronger pasterns.

This breed is in much request in England, and the best specimens are readily sold to Americans at high figures.

UTILIZING ODD ENDS.

Queer Ways by Which Many an Honest Penny Has Been Turned.

Where are we to look for new outlets? Inventors and discoverers are the saviors of society. The photographic art is modern enough to be a useful case in point. Photographers increased 41 per cent. from 1871 to 1881, and 59 per cent. in the following decade. New industries give rise to new wastes; and it was not long before it was discovered that the precious metal used in the developing solutions could be recovered, or that the yolk of eggs, whose white was employed in providing albuminized paper, need not be thrown away as valueless, but would realize handsome prices from pastry cooks. The history of waste products, indeed, is extremely instructive and very pertinent to this article. In some cases by-products have become the main products. Gas-tar, truly an unpromising material, now yields numberless products, as any science primer shows. From even more unlikely sources scents are obtained. As Lord Playfair once said: "Many a fair forehead is damped with the huile de mille-fleurs without knowing that its essential ingredient is derived from the drainage of a cow house." To the French belongs the greatest credit in discovering new means of making money. The Parisian chiffonnier is much sharper than his London brother, who does a queer trade in cigar ends and old hats, boots, etc., which are "faked" to look as good as new. It was a Parisian who first utilized old sardine tins, long regarded as worthless. He extracted the solder and utilized the tin in the manufacture of toys and for beating into furniture. Another Parisian, an old soldier, collected old crusts and made them into bread-crumbs for cooks, and in time started a place of business, whence were supplied croques au pot, so dear to the connoisseurs in soups.—London Exchange.

CHANGED HIS MIND.

Wanted to Be Shot Until a Pistol Was Pointed at Him.

Herman K. Abraham, an eccentric second-hand clothes dealer of the Heights, rang the bell at the county jail the other morning, and when the door was opened, forced his way in regardless of remonstrances. "What do you want?" asked Keeper Eltringham. "I want to die; shoot me," said Abraham, throwing open his coat. "Well, go and die," replied Eltringham, testily, "but don't do it here. This isn't a morgue."

"But I don't want to kill myself," said Abraham; "I want some one to do it for me."

"Do you want me to do the job?" asked Eltringham, and he opened a drawer in a big desk and took out a revolver. "Yes, aim right here," replied Abraham, placing his hand over his heart.

"Don't you want to say a prayer before you die?"

"No, I did that home. I am ready to go."

Eltringham pointed the revolver at Abraham's breast, but when the latter saw the gleam of the weapon he changed his mind and put himself outside the door at a bound. He was still running at the top of his speed when he turned into Oakland street and disappeared.

WASHINGTON LETTER.

(From Our Regular Correspondent.)

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb 22, 1895.

Whether intentionally or not matters little, but that President Cleveland has, by a few remarks made to several gentlemen who called at the White House to pay him their respects, badly frightened the Republican leaders in Congress is certain. The callers in question were Representatives elect Smith and Cobles, of Michigan, and Towne, of Minnesota. After chatting awhile the President significantly said: "How would you gentlemen like to begin your Congressional duties as early as March 15?" They declared they were perfectly willing to wait until December, and were told by the President that conditions must determine the time of the meeting of Congress. With an hour the conversation was known at the Capitol, and the Republican leaders in both Senate and House had their heads together. Although they have professed indifference, it is known that they dread an extra session beyond everything, as it will quickly demonstrate their inability to legislate upon financial subjects. They have been hoping that the gold received for the last issue of bonds, which they have loudly and hypocritically denounced, would enable the Treasury to pull through without an extra session and that by next December there would not be such pressing need for legislation. This scare is having one good effect. It is making the Republicans assist in pushing the appropriation bills through, because they have an idea that the President would not object to Congress forcing an extra session by failure to pass them all.

The bill for the unlimited coinage of silver did not reach a vote in the Senate, although it was supported by a substantial majority. When the bill was reported to the Senate it was understood that it was to be allowed to be voted upon, in order to put the Senate on record, but after trying to force a vote by a protracted session the bill was sent to the calendar, it having been shown that no vote could be reached.

The man who "objects" is now in his glory in both House and Senate. He can block small legislation at will, as unanimous consent is needed to get action upon any bill not having the right of way under the rules. There is little probability of any more important legislation, except the appropriation bills.

NEWS NOTES.

Rev. W. A. Wilson, formerly of N. C., is Presiding Elder of the Hiroshima District, Japan.

The Sultan of Turkey is sending out Mohammedan missionaries to Africa at his own expense for the avowed purpose of checking the Christian advance in that continent. Evidently he does not think Christian missions to Africa have been failures.

Japan is a member of the Red Cross League of Nations. Wounded Chinese prisoners, non-combatant foreigners who minister to the wounded, and the Japanese hospital and ambulance service are under the protection of the Red Cross. So much has the teachings of Christianity already done for Japan.

STRIKE IN THE KITCHEN.

The Lady of the House Takes a Lesson in Labor Troubles.

An odd thing happened the other day in a Brooklyn family, a something which the lady of the house isn't particularly anxious to talk about, especially when her husband is around. Not long ago the help in his factory went on a strike, and though they did not remain out long, the affair being mainly "sympathetic," yet it bothered him quite a bit, to the dislike of his wife. She remonstrated frequently over his silliness in allowing such a small thing to bother him, and grieved him still more when the affair ended amicably. A few mornings later the lady went into her morning-room and rang the bell to give the cook her day's orders, when, to her astonishment, the ring was answered by all the help in the establishment, including the scrub girl and the boy who walked errands. The cook was spokeswoman.

"If you please," she began firmly, but respectfully, "we've come to say that we're on a strike. We don't like what you did in taking away Charlotte's Saturday night out and giving her Mary's Friday. By Mary's having Charlotte's Saturday she gets a chance to meet Mrs. Smith's Henry, and as Mary's her rival, we don't think it's giving either of 'em a fair chance."

The mistress looked at the company, and saw that Charlotte and Mary were the only two absent; she reflected that she had by no means been aware of what affairs of state she was upsetting in changing the "evenings out" without any particular reason, and she decided that it was better to arbitrate than delay lunch, and possibly dinner, so she gracefully acceded to the demands of the assemblage, and restored Charlotte her Saturdays, and Mary her now she anyone says strike to her now she shivers. For—"What is that without a dinner?"

A philosopher who had married an innocent girl used to call her "brown sugar" because, he said, she was sweet but unrefined.—Texas Sittings.

Fred Douglas, the well-known colored orator, died suddenly at his home near Washington City.

Emmet Womack, of Georgia, has been appointed chief clerk of the Interior Department to succeed Joseph Daniels.

The Secretary of the Russian Legation at Washington committed suicide by shooting himself.

In a letter to a constituent Senator Vest, of Missouri, says the only hope for the Democratic party in 1896 is to stand firm by the doctrine of bimetalism.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report.



THE ARC LIGHT.

Photographers Prefer It For Its Cheapness and Quality.

Rankin Kennedy, in a paper on the use of the photographic electric light, says that, although the electric light has done good service to the photographer in the past, it will have to give way to the arc light in the higher fields of artificial light photography. Artificial light varies much in quality, and the photographer seeks, above all, to secure the greatest amount of photographic light at the lowest cost and with the least labor and trouble. It is a familiar fact that all ordinary lights are made up of seven or more different colored series of rays, some being bluish, some yellowish like gas and incandescent electric light. The arc light is very rich in the blue and violet rays on which the photograph depends so much depends to do his best work, while it is poverty stricken in reds and yellows, which, however, do not produce any effect on the photographic plate. The incandescent light has very little of the blue and the violet rays, and, according to measurements made by Mr. Kennedy, the arc light contains thirty per cent. more photographic or actinic rays than the incandescent light of the same illuminating power. To illustrate the value of the respective lights for this purpose, Mr. Kennedy took photographs, first of an object thrown on to a screen in the focus of an ordinary hand-fed lamp, and then of the same object under the illumination of an incandescent lamp run up in candle power far beyond the normal standard, as used in the incandescent photo apparatus. After exactly the same exposure the plate developed from the incandescent light was very faint, whereas the print taken from the arc light was distinct, dense and decided. Mr. Kennedy compared the cost of the respective lights, putting down the incandescent at about \$1.25 an hour for studio purposes and the arc at 35 cents an hour. The reason of the high cost of the incandescent is that they are necessarily heated to a high candle power, and this volatilizes the carbon, which forms a deposit on the globe and makes the light more dim every time it is turned on, so that a photographer can never count absolutely on the same light from incandescent, while from the arc light is always uniform, and an operator can count on giving exactly the same exposure in every instance. Mr. Kennedy holds that the incandescent photo light is destined to failure, first, from a commercial point of view, owing to the enormous cost for current and renewals, and secondly, from a photographer's point of view, as when heated even to the highest candle power it does not contain the necessary photographic rays in sufficient quantity.

Youthful Rulers.
Alfonso XIII., the eight-year-old king of Spain, is not the only ruler who is younger than Russia's new twenty-six-year-old czar. The little queen of the Netherlands is fourteen. King Alexander of Servia is eighteen, the khedive twenty, and emperor of China twenty-three. The sultan of Morocco is also a youth, but his exact age is a matter of speculation.

Dyspepsia seldom causes death, but sends its victim to the on in misery. Hood's Sassafras cures dyspepsia and all stomach troubles.

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WEDNESDAY FEBRUARY 27th '05.

The six per cent interest law is now in force. We state this that people may take notice and govern themselves accordingly.

The Senate refused to adjourn yesterday morning and go to the fair at Newbern. It would have been one day saved to the State if they had.

The whiskey bill failed in the Senate as predicted Thursday. The Boss did not say it should pass. Those who have been there in its interest would have done better if they had used their influence with the overseer rather than with the members of the Assembly.

The election bill as predicted has passed the house without amendment. It is astonishing how men can be told that they must do a thing and show no resistance. Every body knows that this Legislature is owned and controlled by Butler, so far as the Fusionists are concerned.

The election bill was discussed in the House Tuesday with much spirit Mr. Lusk was in charge of the bill. He said he had many hard things in his heart to say about the Democratic party but that he would not say them as the Democrats in their discussion of the bill had been so fair in what they had said. Messrs. Ray and Smith made the best speeches that were made.

Mr. Ray used the following language in reference to one of Pitt's Representatives in the House on Monday last:

"From what I see of the movements and actions of the gentleman from Pitt, I have thought it probably best that there was a man at his back with a whip in his hand, because if you will turn him and others like him loose to legislate for the people, under the effects of such legislation there will not be a flower left on the stump to tell where the garden has been."

Six per cent is the legal interest now. A bill reducing it to this has passed both Houses of the Legislature and is now a law. It was funny to see how the Populists fought every amendment that was offered whether good or bad. This was done to such an extent that it was suspected that the "overseer" had given orders that the bill must pass as it came from the Senate, and so it must be done. If there is anything that the Populists have pretended to hate and abuse it is the national banks, yet they voted down an amendment to make this law apply to these banks as well as to State banks and individuals. Many have wanted six per cent the legal rate for a long time and the bill came very near passing two years ago.

The farmers of North Carolina, and of the whole South, as well as have had an excellent example set them by farmers of West Tennessee, who met in convention at Jackson and resolved to cut the acreage of this year's cotton crop 40 per cent below the average of the crop of 1894. This is sensible. These farmers will reduce their expenses just that much and if the example is followed throughout the entire cotton belt this year's crop will bring just as much as the big crop now being marketed and it will cost only a little over one half to make it. The reduced acreage can be devoted to corn, oats, wheat and other food products, making the farmer self-sustaining. Then the whole cotton crop will be a surplus crop and the proceeds clear profit.

The liquor bill was the special order in the Senate Tuesday. After much discussion pro and con a motion was made to table it. The vote on this was a tie and Speaker Doughnut voted pro. A motion to adjourn was carried so the bill would come up again Wednesday. It will hardly be come a law, as the Boss will be afraid that it may operate against them in the next campaign. Mr. Ray said that the "Big Five" ought to be indicted for larceny and the Fusionist for receiving stolen goods, knowing them to be stolen. That a large part of the bill was taken verbatim from the present election bill. He was pretty severe in his denunciation of some features of the bill, showing it to be purely partisan. This bill will be sure to pass without dotting an "i" or crossing a "t." The Boss has so ordered.

There will be no silver legislation at this session Congress. The friends of the bill ask that it be laid aside that the appropriation bills may be considered.

The Populists are trying to deny that they refused to honor Lee and Washington and did honor Fred Douglas, but the record is against them and they must take the consequences. They added further infamy to their former conduct by refusing Saturday to lead ten thousand dollars to the Ladies' Memorial Association to complete the monument to our Confederate dead. May the time hasten when they will be known no more.

Senator M. W. Ransom on last Saturday was appointed Minister to Mexico. His salary is seven thousand five hundred dollars which in Mexico is equal to about thirty thousand dollars. As soon as the nomination was sent to the Senate, it went into executive session and the nomination was confirmed in ten minutes, every Senator, regardless of party, voting for the confirmation. Senator Ransom is one of the first men of the Senate. He has been Senator for over twenty two years and no man who has ever filled the place from North Carolina has been more deservedly popular than Senator Ransom. He is a born diplomat and this country will be better represented nowhere than in Mexico. We are glad that North Carolina has been thus honored by the appointment of her most distinguished son.

That was great honor paid to the memory of Washington by the House of Representatives on last Friday. They refused on Thursday to adjourn over Friday. That same day the House did adjourn in honor of Fred Douglas. All over the State a spontaneous expression of disgust and condemnation arose. This was published by the daily papers. They saw what they had done. On Friday Mr. Lusk had the effrontery to offer a resolution that when the House adjourn it do so in honor of the birthday of Washington, the same honor paid to Fred Douglas. Mr. Smith, of Gates, a Democrat, said he thought that they ought to honor Washington a little more than Douglas and offered a substitute that this House do now adjourn, etc. But in keeping with the previous day's proceedings they voted down the substitute and passed Mr. Lusk's resolution. They could not afford to honor the father of this country more than they did their lovable Fred Douglas. We pity the white men that hereafter has any respect for the men who have thus disgraced the great State of North Carolina.

The climax has been capped since the present Legislature met it has done many things to make the Fusionists subjects of ridicule throughout the State, but one act of theirs on Thursday makes all others pale beside it, and justly brings upon them the contempt of all decent people. That day a colored member of the House from Granville county introduced the following resolution, which was adopted by a party vote, the Democrats all voting against it:

WHEREAS, The late Fred Douglas departed this life on the 29th inst.; and whereas, we greatly deplore the same; now, therefore, Resolved, That when this House adjourn, it adjourn in respect to the memory of the deceased.

The very same day that this occurred a resolution was introduced to adjourn and hold no session on Friday in honor of Washington, that being the anniversary of his birthday, and was voted down. This recalls the fact also that early in the session a proposition was made to adjourn in honor of R. E. Lee on the anniversary of his birthday, a prior Legislature having already made it a legal holiday in this State, and that proposition was also rejected.

We ask the white men of Pitt county what you think ye of this? We don't care to what party you belong, if your skin is white and your heart not black enough to obliterate the distinction, what think you of a North Carolina Legislature refusing to adjourn in honor of Washington and Lee and then adjourning and causing a resolution to be spread upon the journal of the House for your children to read that they loved Fred Douglas more? If there is a white man in North Carolina who does not feel an utter contempt for the white members who voted for this resolution, then to call him such is a misnomer, and the man who even respects such men is unworthy the confidence of our race. For our part we denounce it as the most shameful disgrace that any body of men have ever put upon North Carolina. The memory of such men ought to be blotted from existence.

THE LEGISLATURE.

MONDAY.

The principal new bills introduced in the Legislature to-day were the following: To enforce the payment of taxes on installment debts; to incorporate the Morganton and Shelby railway; to incorporate the Roanoke Railway and Bridge Company; to regulate hours of labor in manufacturing; to provide for school taxes in each school district; to compel tax-payers to list their solvent credits; to incorporate the Carolina Mutual Fire-Insurance Company; to appropriate \$3,000 for the woman's exhibit at the Atlanta Exposition; to amend the Constitution by prohibiting any officials from taking free passes from railways; and to provide for a revision and digest of the public laws.

A bill to create another cause of divorce was tabled by the Senate. Interest to day centered in the great debate in the House on the bill to make 6 per cent the legal rate of interest. This debate lasted over four hours. The Fusion caucus had ordered that the bill be passed just as it came from the Senate. Nineteen amendments were offered, mainly by Democrats. Among these were the following: To put national banks on the same footing as individuals in regard to money; to make 7 per cent the legal rate; to except all loans; to except any counties which wish to refund their bonds; to except building and loan associations; to leave the question of interest to the vote of the people; to provide that the act shall not apply to commercial paper. Every amendment was voted down and the bill passed by a vote of 71 to 15. Of the fifteen nine were Democrats and six Republicans.

TUESDAY.

The chief new bills in the Legislature to day were to protect sheep and goats against dogs; to regulate taxes of property covered by fire insurance; to allow members of the Legislature to hold other offices; to require bicyclists to dismount when meeting vehicles. The House tabled bills repealing the charter of the eastern band of Cherokee Indians, and prohibiting county officers from holding office more than two successive terms. The House made special orders of bills to make seven years' separation of husband and wife additional ground for divorce, and also to create a Code commission.

Bills passed allowing pensions to widows whose husbands have at any time died of injuries or wounds received during the war. New bills introduced in the Senate were to allow persons to probate their wills before death, to amend insurance law, to stay execution of judgments for debts, equalize and reform taxation. Special order in the Senate was a bill to regulate liquor traffic. The amendment which crippled the bill was adopted 22 to 21 and the bill was finally tabled. The Senate refused to adopt the resolution with the House adopted to spend Friday at the New Bern Fair.

Bills were introduced in the House to incorporate French Broad Railway, to regulate sale of malt and fermented liquors; to allow Hyde county commissioners to make title to lands. First special order in the House was Senate bill to regulate charges of leaf tobacco warehouses. It was passed without amendment. The election law bill passed final reading by strict party vote of 74 to 31, Democrats voting nay.

THURSDAY.

The most important new bills introduced in the Legislature to-day were: To create the office of Commissioner of Public Printing, with \$1,500 salary; to provide additional buildings at the Eastern Hospital for the Insane; to allow holders of unregistered lands to register them to transfer Stokes county to the Eighth Congressional District. The joint committee nominated E. L. Frick, J. J. Long, and E. A. Aiken, all legislators, to fill vacancies on the Board of Agriculture. Bills passed: Giving the Farmers' Alliance insurance privileges; to prevent adulteration of food; to incorporate the Carolina, Tennessee and Ohio railway; to pay Rev. Solomon Pool \$2,254, money advanced to the State University.

AWAY DOWN SOUTH IN TEXAS.

FORT WORTH TEX., Feb. 14th '05.

If you will allow me a little space in your columns, I'll try and tell your readers something about the weather we are having way down here in the Sunny South. This has been a remarkable winter in Texas. Usually we have balmy days and green grass almost the year round but this winter has been quite different. Something over two weeks ago we had a fall of snow, and cold weather following kept some of the snow even up to yesterday, when the heavens became overcast with dull, leaden clouds and about noon snow again began to fall and continued until night.

About 3 o'clock the street cars stuck and school children and people living along the line had to "hoof" it under difficulties, and in a little while afterwards the merry jingle of sleigh bells could be heard all over the city. The fall of snow was about four inches and the sight this morning was a beautiful one. Sleigh riding and snow balling has been the order of the day. This is a novel scene for Texas, and the effects of the storm which

it may be heard on range, cattle, will be beneficial to the country in the long run. Nearly all the moisture will be absorbed by the earth and add to the good plowing season in the spring.

The oldest inhabitant always comes to the front in times like this and people who have lived in this country for the Lord knows how long, say that this is the coldest weather that he has ever seen. It must indeed surprise visitors from the land of ice and snow longing for the land of flowers and sunshine—Texas—to find a snow like this and the thermometer registering 24 below zero.

This has been a jolly day here, even the rejected lovers try to get over by sending his sweet heart a five cent valentine. Emigration still continues and home seekers are drifting westward to grow up with the country, and two cases of small pox believed to be in the city.

Yes, North Carolina has attractions. It is a lovely State and Oh! how I love it and the grand old county of Pitt.

W. H. FLEMING.

NEWS NOTES.

Thirty students were drowned while skating on Maseco river.

Six miners were killed by an explosion of gas in a mine near Pottsville, Pa.

Gen. John L. Swift a well known temperance and campaign speaker, died at Boston.

Four men while out hunting near New Orleans got in a snow drift and froze to death.

Rev. W. A. Wilson, formerly of N. C., is Presiding Elder of the Hiroshima District, Japan.

A fire destroying twenty-eight buildings occurred at Hot Springs Ark. Three women lost their lives.

The Indiana Legislature has passed a bill making it a crime to either engage in or attend a prize fight.

Fifty ballots have been taken by the Delaware Legislature without resulting in the election of a Senator.

The death of the father of Rev. Sam Jones is reported from his home at Cartersville, Ga. He was 90 years old.

The Norfolk & Western depot, four freight cars and three storage houses destroyed by fire at South Boston, Va.

Ex Gov. Pattison was defeated for Mayor of Philadelphia by Charles F. Warwick, his Republican opponent, by 10,000 majority.

Representatives of about thirty railroad and steamboat lines leading out of Baltimore, met in that city and formed a traffic association.

Saturday the President nominated Senator Matt W. Ransom to be Minister to Mexico. The Senate confirmed the nomination immediately.

A wreck on the Louisville & Nashville railroad near Montgomery, Ala., wounded thirty people. Only one was killed but others may die.

Deputy Sheriff H. C. Owen, of Rowan county, was shot and instantly killed by a desperate negro whom he and other officers were attempting to arrest.

John King, near Pollocksville, cut his wife's throat because she left him after an altercation and refused to return home with him when he went to carry her back.

Lieut. F. P. Peck was killed by the explosion of the breech of a Hotchkiss gun, which he was assisting in testing at Sandy Hook, N. J. Two or three others were injured.

The Sultan of Turkey is sending out Mohammedan missionaries to Africa at his own expense for the avowed purpose of clearing the Christian advance in that continent. Evidently he does not think Christian missions to Africa have been failures.

Japan is a member of the Red Cross League of Nations. Wounded Chinese prisoners, non-combatant foreigners who minister to the wounded, and the Japanese hospital and ambulance services are under the protection of the Red Cross. So much has the teachings of Christianity already done for Japan.

We have spent nearly \$470,000 in building churches in this land, and \$500,000,000 in building jails. It costs \$50,000,000 a year to run the churches, and \$400,000,000 to run the jails. We pay eight times as much for running our fellow men down and jailing them as we do in trying to make them better so that they will not need the jail.

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Pocomoke Guano.

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Local Reflections.

Moon changed Sunday. The streets have dried off very fast. You can pick out your garden seed. March winds will soon be on hand. Superior court in Greens county this week. Car load fresh Flour, just in D. W. HARDEE. Mr. James Brown lost a good horse Tuesday. Cotton Seed wanted for Cash at the Old Brick Store. An occasional bale of cotton finds its way to town. Thermometers have got able to lift themselves up again. Mr. Olin Warren reports plum blossoms at Riverside Nursery. Shad frogs have commenced their song. Now for the shad. No one from here went to the Mardi Gras at New Orleans. Handsome and cheap Oak Sets, up stairs, Old Brick Store. Mr. Bradshaw has sold out his stock of groceries to Mr. Charles Cobb. D. M. Ferry's New Garden Seed at the Old Brick Store. People are getting to work and pushing things since the weather cleared up. Remember I can take your measure and have you a suit of clothes made to order. Fit guaranteed, Frank Winslow. Potato talk is now topmost among the planters. A large crop is being arranged for. Buy Cotton Seed Meal and Bliss Triumph Potatoes at the Old Brick Store. Oia Forbes and Bob More went out hunting Friday and brought in 47 partridges, 3 rabbits, 1 dove and 1 squirrel. Remember I pay you cash for Chicken Eggs and Country Produce at the Old Brick Store. More new type and another good lot of stationery just in puts the REFLECTOR office in better shape than ever for first-class job printing. Just received car load of best Flour, lowest prices. D. W. HARDEE. The Washington birthday number of the 'Tenth's Companion' is a superb publication. We acknowledge receipt of a copy from the publishers, Boston. Bring your cotton seed to Henry Sheppard, and buy your Meal and Hulls. Car load of each just arrived for sale cheap. The Washington Messenger reports the death of Mrs. A. G. Connelly, (nee Miss Bessie Hatton). She was well known in Greenville and many here learn with regret of her death. A large stock of nice Furniture cheap at the Old Brick Store. A lady with a little girl 5 years old would like to get a home in a family where there are no small children. Her address can be learned at the REFLECTOR office. A. G. Cox has ordered a car load of Iron for Tobacco Flues and promises to make Winterville headquarters for best Tobacco Flues. Those in need of Flues this season will do well to remember this. No use pointing away back to before war or some other time in the distant past for a hard winter. For the next few years you just refer to February, 1895, as the record breaker. First of the season—New Spring Oats, Cheap at the Old Brick Store. The Lousiburg Times is twenty-five years old, and for eighteen years has been edited by Mr. J. A. Thomas. It is good paper, and we hope the paper and editor will live to celebrate their golden wedding. Plenty of land mortgage blanks at REFLECTOR office now, also chattel mortgages, deeds and crop liens. To get something for nothing is contrary to all the laws that govern mankind. But this is what you do, borrowing friend, when you habitually read your neighbor's REFLECTOR for which he has paid. Subscribe for it yourself. Register of Deeds King says that marriage licenses in this county being \$1.25 cheaper than in some of the neighboring counties, parties in these counties are taking their sweethearts with them and coming over here to get married. Dr. Phillips and three others, it is stated here, left on the day before the freeze the Club House at the Donnell Farm, for Brant Island in a small open boat, and they have not been heard from since. It is thought that they are lost.—Washington Progress. NOTICE.—As some incorrect blanks for crop liens, mortgages and deeds are being sold in Greenville, I would call the attention of persons using them to the fact that they can get correct forms either at my office or at the REFLECTOR office. Parties calling at my office for them will be supplied free of charge. W. M. KING, Register of Deeds.

FOLKS AND FACES.

Some Go This Way and Some That, but we Catch a Glimpse as they Pass. Mr. Frank Meadows, of Oxford, is in town. Maj. L. C. Latham is attending court at Snow Hill. Mrs. B. H. Sugg has been very sick the last few days. Mr. Isaac Hardy has moved over in Skinnerville. Mr. W. I. Boswell left Friday morning for Petersburg. Mrs. C. T. Munford has gone to Wilson to visit relatives. Miss Lucy Randolph is visiting Miss Adelaide Williams. Miss Mary Harris, of Falkland, is visiting Miss Bessie Jarvis. Mrs. Andrew Joyner has gone to Whitakers to visit relatives. Mrs. Murray was very sick Saturday but is now reported better. Miss Loraine Horne has gone to Black Creek to visit relatives. Today was a good day for bicycles and many wheels were out. Mr. E. H. Shelburn and little son John, left Monday for Richmond. Mrs. Susan Proctor, of Washington, is visiting her son, Mr. R. J. Proctor. Col. John Robinson, Commissioner of Agriculture, spent Wednesday here. Miss Fannie Higgs returned Tuesday night from a visit to Scotland Neck. Mrs. L. Heilbroner and little son returned to their home in Tarboro yesterday. Mr. Leggett has moved into Mr. Zeno Moore's new house on Dickerson avenue. Ex-Senator and Mrs. T. J. Jarvis reached home Monday morning from Raleigh. Jim Kramer has packed up his stock of dry goods and moved back to Baltimore. Misses Lillie Moore and Sadie Short returned Monday morning from a visit to Kinston. Mrs. M. M. Nelson, is spending some days at Newberne with her sister, Mrs. L. E. Cleve. Rev. R. D. Carroll, of Winterville, will preach in the Baptist church here Thursday night. Miss Jennie Williams returned to her school at Paeletus, Monday, after spending a week at home. D. W. HARDEE. Mr. D. W. Hobgood of Contentnea township died Monday. He was a good citizen and his death is regretted. Mr. W. B. Wilson left Friday morning for Baltimore taking his little son Walter to have the latter's eyes treated. Miss Clyde Moseley, of Ormondville, who was visiting the Misses Wilson, returned home on Friday evening train. Mr. W. S. Rawls returned Monday evening from Ivor, Va., where he had been to attend the funeral of his mother. Mr. W. S. Rawls left Friday morning for Ivor, Va. He was summoned by the death of his mother which occurred Thursday. Mr. Whitley, Coast Line agent at Parmele, and Miss Dora James, of Grindool, came in on the train Monday night to attend the theatre. Mrs. Allen Warren returned Monday morning from a visit to Washington. She was accompanied home by little Linda Moore. Mr. Z. F. Highsmith was summoned home Friday morning by the death of his father, Mr. J. H. Highsmith, which occurred Thursday night near Oakley. Mr. Highsmith was a good citizen. Mr. A. H. Eberhart, representative of the Overman Wheel Co., makers of the Victor bicycle, spent yesterday here. The new model Victor he had along with him is the prettiest wheel we have seen. Several of the riders tried it and pronounced it a fine mount. The Elizabeth City Evening Star has suspended. It was short lived. Fishermen are hauling out their last season's nets and patching them up. R. L. Smith & Co. are building a large mule shed in the rear of their stables. Mr. Frank Speight, who cut his knee with a hatchet some days ago, is able to be out again. Tobacco breaks will pick up under the good weather and the sales will go to humming again this week. The days keep right on getting longer and the legislature has not yet tried to put the sun in the nine hour a day bill. Having decided to change my line of business I will sell my entire stock at first cost beginning March 6th. WILEY BROWN. STRAYED OFF.—On last Friday night we had 5 mules to stray off and will give a liberal reward for their return to us. R. L. SMITH & Co. Next Monday the March term of Pitt Superior Court, for the trial of civil cases only, will convene. Judge Cobie will preside. There are not many people in this quarter of the globe who will have to pay any income tax. The newspaper men are strictly not in it.

A Horse for a Knife.

The boss horse trade of the season was made here Friday evening. A boy from the country brought a sorry looking specimen of a pony to town and traded the animal to Dick Kinion for a 30 cent pocket-knife. Dick says he is going to rub that "critter" up and make something out of him. Marriage Licenses. During this week Register of Deeds King issued licenses to five couples, three white and colored. The whites were E. E. Smith and Mary B. Grimes, R. L. Nelson and Rosa Andrews, J. A. Andrews and Piney Williams. The colored were John Jenkins and Molly Wooten, Joe Dacey and Lucinda Thigpen. Rats! The hunters who recently made such big records are nowhere along side of Mr. John Smith when it comes to rat catching. He set a wire trap for the rodents in his store, Wednesday night, and going down next morning found that he had bagged sixteen fat ones. He said it was not a specially good night for rats, either, or there is no telling how many he would have caught. Bound Over. Will Henryhan, colored, has been doing the press work at King's Weekly office. He owed some taxes and editor King, who is also Deputy Sheriff, reserved enough of Will's wages to pay the taxes. Will did not like this, and Thursday night armed himself with a pistol and waited on the street for Mr. King to come along. Sheriff King learned of the negro's movements and arrested him. He was bound over to court for carrying concealed weapons. Did Not Meet His Friends. In some way a report got out among the colored folks here Thursday, that somebody had received a telegram stating that Nelson Peebles, colored, who went to Baltimore to work for Mr. Priddy, had died and his body was being sent home. There was no such telegram, still a number of darkies went to the depot that night expecting to meet Nelson's remains. But Nelson had not been advised that a reception committee would be out to meet him, and did not show up to be lamented over. The Fair. The Greenville contingent to the fair at Newberne returned in good time Wednesday night. The day was fine and the fair a success in every particular. No better exhibits have been displayed at any former fair. Besides every department being full, there were many side attractions with entertaining features. The races were equal to the best trials of speed on any track, and no more daring balloon ascensions have been witnessed anywhere. In fact nothing was wanting to make the fair interesting. Long live the Newberne fair, the best in the State! The right men are at the head of it. Up With the Times. A gentleman from another State sojourning in town for a few days remarked that the REFLECTOR was the only thing he noticed in Greenville that was fully up with the times, and complimented the paper upon its enterprise. Several other things mentioned by him, he said had the appearance of being fifty years behind. The REFLECTOR has always endeavored to keep in the lead, and has labored hard to awaken such an interest here that would place Greenville in her proper rank. We hope yet to see the town throw off many of its old timeworn and see improvements and buildings here that are in keeping with the modern idea. Married. ROBERSON-CONGLETON.—On Wednesday evening at 4 o'clock at the residence of Mr. J. R. Congleton, near Keelsville, his daughter, Miss Liza Congleton, and Mr. J. E. Roberson were united by W. H. Williams, Esq. The attendants were W. S. Little with Miss Lila Roberson, W. R. Whitchard, Jr. with Miss Ella Keel, R. A. Bailey with Miss Ida Rogers, J. L. Keel with Miss Vera Little. After the ceremony the bridal party proceeded through the mud to the home of the groom where a bountiful supper awaited them. Many valuable presents were received. W. SMITH-GRIMES.—On Wednesday, 20th, at the home of the brides mother at Grimesland, Mr. Elmer E. Smith, of Chattanooga, Tenn., and Miss Mary Bryan Grimes were married by Rev. N. C. Hughes, of Chocowinity. The couple took the train at Greenville this morning for the home of the groom. Success in Surgery. The last issue of the North Carolina Medical Journal contained an article written by Dr. R. J. Grimes, of Bethel, showing results following his treatment of several cases of bowel obstruction. In his practice Dr. Grimes has successfully performed a large number of surgical operations for diseases of this nature, his patients in some instances having been given up to die by others who were attending them. In his article upon the subject he says: "I am quite sure that a large per cent of patients with bowel obstruction die yearly, their physician having mistaken their disease for bilious colic or some other trouble. I do not think that the books are sufficiently explicit in regard to this disease as it occurs in our country." Diseases of this character for a long time baffled the skill of physicians, and in the last two or three years great advancement has been made in the treatment of such. We are glad to note that a Pitt county physician is among the most successful in this line.

OTHER LOCALS.

They now call it the Douglas Legislature. Well named. Only a few days left for the present Congress—its term expires next Monday. Gin Dupree and Zeb Highsmith have both purchased bicycles during the past week and are now in the spin. Mr. Howard N. Johnson, of the Green Leaf Johnson Co., Norfolk, died Sunday. He had large timber interest in Pitt and adjoining counties. A few nights ago twenty mules broke out of R. L. Smith & Co.'s stables and scattered over the county. Fifteen of them have been caught but five are still at large. The Greenville Amateurs had a good house to witness the "Women's" Monday night. All the performers rendered their parts well and gave the audience a very pleasant evening. There is some good talent among our young people. You hear some people wishing for the weather to settle, and you hear others wishing some people would do the same thing. Funny world, isn't it? The Geo. A. Hill Theatrical Co. left Saturday for Washington where they show this week. The company is composed of clever people and good actors. How quick nature responds to the genial rays of the sun. Last week everything was frozen up and this week a few green blades of grass are peeping out. Raleigh merchant's might do well to lay in a supply of burnt cork. About three fourths of the legislature ought to black their faces and keep them black. The clearing up of the weather has had an effect on the REFLECTOR that is very agreeable. We filled out more subscription receipts last week than during any week this year so far. Mr. Joseph Tripp, who for two years has been living at the Brown farm on the north side of the river, moved back to his old place on this side of the river last week. The record breaking weather prophet Hicks promised between the 20th and 24th turned out to be the prettiest of the year. We hope for many more days just like them. We see from the Salisbury Herald that the firm of Littmann & Lichtenstein, in that city, has dissolved their partnership. Mr. Lichtenstein will continue the mercantile business and Mr. Littmann will engage in the lumber business. Attention is called to the professional card of Woodard & Harding. This firm is composed of ex-Solicitor John E. Woodard, of Wilson, and Mr. F. C. Harding, of this town. Your legal business could not be entrusted to better hands. Public School. We are requested to announce that the white Public School for this district will open in the new building on Monday, March 11th. The school will be taught by Miss Bettie Warren as principal and Miss Sadie Short as assistant. An Imposter. A white woman giving her name as Mrs. Ross, from Washington, has been begging around town this week, and in order to get some people to make donations to her she tells that she came here to work for Mrs. B. T. Daniel, but the latter having no need for her she is left without means of getting back home. Mrs. Daniel requests us to state that she knows nothing about the woman, has never seen her that she is aware of, and the story the woman is telling in connection with her name is without foundation. New Advertisements. Wiley Brown is receiving new spring goods that can be sold cheaper than old goods with the tariff off. Ricks, Taft & Co., successors to the Furniture & Racket Store, announce the arrival of new goods and solicit your patronage. C. T. Munford is receiving new goods for spring and summer. Some prices quoted in his advertisement to day will show you at what low figures he is selling. Lots of Them. There are men living in every locality whose children never see a book unless in a neighbor's home, and yet these men spend from \$50 to \$100 a year for tobacco, cigars, and whiskey. These same men will tell you they are not able to buy books for their children to read, nor subscribe for their local paper. Such men will have a difficult time getting into the next year's getting. They stand before every thinking person as miserable apologies for men, and yet such things as these walk up and vote "his sentiments"—Cheshalis Bee. Crinaco Tobacco Gnanio the King of the New Gland Belt. WINTERVILLE, N. C., Feb. 11 '95. Dear Sir: In regard to your Crinaco Tobacco Gnanio, I will say I sold 229 pounds of tobacco at a \$93 per hundred. Dec. 17th, 1894, and took three premiums at the State Fair at Raleigh last fall. Besides, all of which were grown from Orinoco Gnanio last year. I will surely use Orinoco again. Yours truly, W. J. JACKSON.

Bethel Notes.

Mrs. M. G. Bryan and daughter were in town Sunday. Mr. M. A. Roberson, of Robersonville, was in town to day. Trade was much better Saturday than it has been in town for some time. Mr. W. R. Cherry, of Palmyra, was in town Saturday. He came down to see his father, Mr. M. C. S. Cherry. Mrs. Sarah E. Davenport, of Hamilton, has been visiting relatives in town and community the past few days. Ayden Items. Last Saturday with the dullest Ayden ever had, with all of her fine stock of beautiful spring goods the merchants say not five hundred dollars changed hands during the day. Soon the music of the hammers and saw will cease, as the buildings now constructing are about finished. Then comes the clink of the hammers on the tobacco flues which will drown the notes of the frogs and whippoorwill. Why don't the farmers bring us in some sweet potatoes, collards, turnips, anything to make the "pot bile"? Chicken and eggs we always have but, oh for some greens. Yes, it is dull times here, and everywhere else, except in our State Legislature. No flies there! Every member of the new party is wide awake and ever working to make a record for himself and his crowd, and they have at last succeeded in making one that will stand out in bold relief for all time. After refusing to respect the natal day of Washington and Lee, on hearing of the death of Fred Douglas they were struck with feelings of respect for the dead, ordered the flag at half mast, shut up shop and went into mourning. Comment is unnecessary, only let 'em rip. SONG. Quinery Items. Mr. L. J. Chapman took in the fair last week. Miss Mary Brooks is visiting relatives in Centerville. Miss Annie Brooks is visiting friends at Maple Cypress. Miss Addie Butler left Sunday to spend sometime in Craven county. Miss Sallie Cox is visiting friends and relatives in Lowrie county. Mr. F. C. Harding, of Greenville, came last Thursday and returned home Friday. Messrs. D. M. Johnson and Benjie Best went to Kinston yesterday on business. Mrs. Sue Stout left Saturday to spend some time in Lowrie county visiting relatives. Mr. Fred Johnson returned home from Ernl last Friday, where he has been teaching. Mrs. Sallie Wilson, of Williamson, returned home yesterday after staying sometime with her daughter, Mrs. F. M. Kilpatrick. WHEN THE DEMOCRATIC PARTY WILL DIE. BY A TEXAN. When the lion eats grass like an ox, And the fishing worm swallows the bait; When the crowing hen lays her eggs, And the turkey struts upright like a peacock; And the dog barks at the moon, And the grasshopper feeds on the hen, And the feathers are found on hogs, And the elephants roil upon trees, When insects in summer are rare, And snail never makes people sneeze; When flies creep over dry land, And mules on velocipedes ride; When a foxes lay eggs in the sand, And women in dress take no pride; When Drinman no longer bear drink, And girls get to preaching on time; When billy goats butt from the rear, And treason is no longer a crime; When humming bird, bray like an ass, And lumberger smells like cologne; When plowshares are made out of glass, And the hearts of Carolinians of stone; When ideas grow on poplars heads, And women in dress take no pride; Then the Democratic party will be dead, And this country won't be worth a d—n.

TELEGRAPH NEWS.

The whiskey trust has made an advance of 24 cents per gallon in the price of spirits. Burglars robbed a savings bank in Waterbury, Conn., of over a thousand dollars. A gold brick swindle was worked on William Dobbins, at Birmingham, Ala., and he was relieved of \$6,000. Six masked robbers entered a residence at Zanesville O., bound and gagged the inmates and carried away \$200 in money and other valuables. Slugger John L. Sullivan is on a big jag down in Jacksonville, Fla., and his troupe has become demoralized. They have had his baggage attached to secure salaries due. STATE NEWS. A report has been made by the U. S. Engineer Corps stating that Core Sound, N. C. has been examined and is unworthy of improvement. Senator D. B. Hill was invited by the literary societies of Wake Forest College to deliver the commencement address in June, but declined because of a previous engagement. The Reidsville Weekly says that a petition is being gotten up at Madison, in Rockingham county, asking Senator Lindsay to have the legislature change Christmas to the 4th of July. Greenville Market. Corrected by S. M. Schultz, at the Old Brick Store. Butter, per lb 19 to 25 Western Sides 6.00 to 7.00 Sugar cured Hams 11 to 12 Corn 40 to 60 Corn Meal 50 to 80 Cabbage 5 to 15 Flour, Family 3.00 to 3.40 Lard 6 to 10 Oats 50 to 60 Potatoes Irish, per bbl 3.00 to 3.50 Potatoes Sweet, per bu 30 to 40 Sugar 3 to 5 Coffee 16 to 25 Salt per Sack 80 to 200 Chickens 12 to 20 Eggs, per doz 17 to 20 Beans, per lb 10 to 15 Peas, per bu 30 to 75 Hulls, per ton 5.00 Cotton Seed Meal 1.00 to 1.25 Hides 14 to 13 Minks 25 to 75 Cotton and Peanuts. Below are Norfolk prices of cotton and peanuts for sale, as furnished by Cobb Bros. & Co., Commission Merchants of Norfolk: Good Middling 5.3-16 Middling 5.4-16 Low Middling 4.4-16 Good Ordinary 4.4-16 Tone—steady. Common PEANUTS, 1 to 1 1/2 Prime 2 to 2 1/2 Extra Prime 2 to 2 1/2 Fancy 2 to 2 1/2 Spanish 2 to 2 1/2 Tone—steady. Eggs—steady at 25 cts. H. E. Peas—best, 2.51 to 2.75 per bag, damaged, 1.50 to 1.75. Black and Clay, 75 to 90 per bushel.

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Notice of Dissolution.
The firm of W. G. Lang & Son doing business at Farmville, N. C., was dissolved by mutual consent on the 1st day of January, 1895, W. G. Lang withdrawing from the firm. The business will be continued by W. M. Lang. All persons indebted to the firm are requested to make payment to W. G. Lang, W. G. LANG, W. M. LANG.
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