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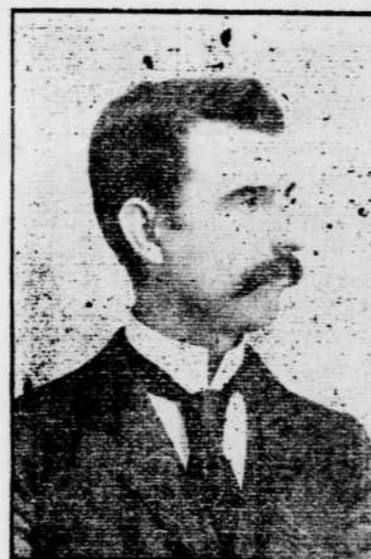
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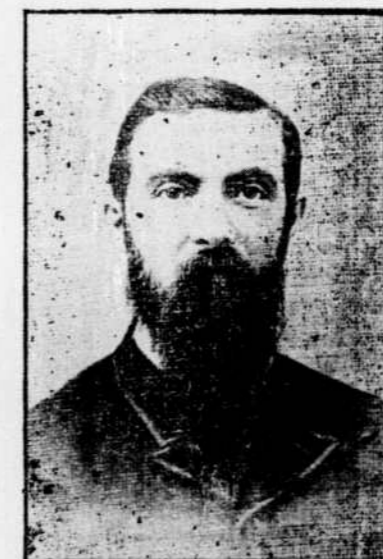


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WASHINGTON LETTER.

(From Our Regular Correspondent.)  
WASHINGTON, July 24th, 1896.  
Senator Faulkner, chairman of the Democratic Congressional committee, is being daily astonished at the extraordinary increase in silver sentiment in the middle and eastern States, as shown by letters written to the committee asking for information and literature on the subject. He is also surprised to see that a majority of these seekers after silver documents, instead of being farmers, are professional and business men residing in town and cities. Speaking on the subject Senator Faulkner said "I am astounded at the tone of some of the letters I am receiving and it appears to me that the silver wave sweeping over the east with as much force as it has shown in the west and south. It may be permanent or it may be only temporary, but that it exists now is certain." Senator Faulkner is not the sort of man to allow his enthusiasm to bias the judgment, hence his declaration of his belief, that unless some great reaction takes place, which will change existing public sentiment before election day, Bryan will be elected by a large majority, carries great weight.

Representative Hart, of Pennsylvania says his district (the eighth) will roll up a good majority for Bryan and Sewall. He says there are very few Democrats in the district who have said they would not support the Chicago ticket and platform, but that a great many Republicans have come out for Bryan and Sewall and free silver. He says that the tariff question cuts no figure at all among his people, but that they are all anxious to learn everything possible about the silver question. It was largely to satisfy their yearnings in that line that Mr. Hart came to Washington. He has arranged with the Congressional committee to send a lot of silver literature to his constituents. Among the documents to be sent is the Chicago speech of Mr. Bryan, which Senator Faulkner says "is about the best statement of the silver question, from our standpoint, that has been made."

Hon. William J. Hendricks, ex-Attorney General of Kentucky, said in Washington this week: "In the fierce contest that has been waged in Kentucky between the gold and silver partisans my voice and influence have ever been on the side of sound money. I still adhere to the opinion that free silver coinage by this government, independently of the other great nations would be a mistake. But I am a democrat, and democracy stands for so many other things besides free silver that it is impossible for me to renounce my party allegiance, and I shall cheerfully do all in my power to promote the success of the Chicago ticket. With all the faults of the platform it is infinitely better than McKinleyism. Bryan and Sewall will unquestionably carry Kentucky."

There is some talk about establishing a democratic daily newspaper in Washington which will support Bryan and Sewall and the Chicago platform. Perhaps such a paper might make some votes, but, in my opinion, it would not make one per cent of the votes that could be made by spending the amount of money that it would cost to run a Washington daily during the campaign in circulating the democratic dailies and weeklies already established and enjoying more prestige in their localities than a Washington paper could possibly get.

Mr. S. D. Weaver, city attorney of Burlington, Kans., who is now visiting Washington, says: "It is the opinion of conservative men that Bryan will carry Kansas. It is true that some Democrats who believe in sound money will not support him, and yet more of these will vote for him than will support McKinley. There are also a great many silver Republicans in the State who will vote for Bryan."

Theatrical men are as a rule good judges of the drift of public sentiment. Mr. J. W. Morrisey, widely known as a manager says of a coming event: "Bryan's descent on New York will be a stupendous affair. He will pack Madison Square Garden to its limits—16,000 people—but 10,000 more will be in the streets to give him welcome. Only a fraction of that monster gathering will be able to hear a word he utters, but few will fail to read it afterwards. Already there is a big chance of sentiment in New York favorable to silver and Bryan's coming will make converts by the thousand."

While it cannot be said that the action of the populist convention was altogether satisfactory to Democrats, none of them are disposed to worry about it, because their minds were made up before the convention met that Bryan would get the vote of every populist who does not wish to throw his vote away, regardless of what the convention might do, and there was nothing about the work of the convention to cause them to change their opinion.

As stated in a former article we found the crop very much broken, in fact, more so than we expected. There are several good crops and a few farmers were fortunate enough to get all their tobacco cut early and these crops will not near so large as it grew last year looks very well indeed and in those sections where they have not had too much rain it is ripening up uniformly and cures as good. The writer has had several letters from tobaccoists asking how the crop compares with the '95 crop. That is a question hard to answer correctly for during the last three years our people have all thought they had very good crops until it was about all cured and the trade has been deceived every year. Last year it was thought from the growth of the crop that it was an excellent one and when the farmers were selling their first cures they thought so did everybody else that it was the sorriest tobacco they had and we all kept continually looking for the good tobacco which failed however to put in its appearance. This has been the case now for the last three years, the first curings have turned out to be the best tobacco, hence we report that it is difficult to compare last year's crop with this except we take it at stated periods. If we were asked to compare the '95 with '96 crop July 1st, of each year, we should most assuredly say the '96 crop would not rate over 85 or 90 at the outside with the '95 crop taking 100 as the best.

We have heard more complaint of the flea bug this year than ever before. Last week we were in several crops that to all appearances looked fine but upon close inspection we found that the ravages of the flea bug were tremendous. Large healthy growthy plants almost sucked to death by the bugs. Some leaves that from the top did not seem to be hurt much, when turned over and viewed in the light looked almost like a sifter bottom, of course there are not many crops this bad but nearly every crop that we saw had been damaged some by these pests and I believe this will not seriously damage the color it will make the crop light and chaffy which at present prices means little to the farmers.

As you tell us the great cities are in favor of the gold standard. Burn down your great cities and leave your farms, and your cities will grow up again. But destroy our farms and the grass will grow in every city of the Union. From Wm. J. Bryan's speech before Democratic National Convention.

"I desire to meet Mr. Russell on the hustings of North Carolina. I want the people to hear us and decide between me and what I represent, and what I think he represents. With their decision I shall be content. If elected Governor of your State, I shall see that every man, no matter what his station in life or what his politics, is given every privilege granted him by the Constitution of North Carolina."—Cyrus B. Watson, Democratic candidate for Governor.

A Pleasant Sight.

It was indeed a pleasant sight to see old man Abram Cox and Uncle Joe Dancy sitting together for hours this morning talking of the days of yore, when there was high times among the Whigs and Democrats, when Alfred Moyer, Bert Albritton, Church Perkins, Dr. Blow, Dr. Blount and the leading men of that day were running the two great parties, when the elections were held the first Thursday in August when hard cider was the election beverage. Truly it must have been good old times in those days when everything was plentiful and everybody honest and no one to holler over hard times. These gentlemen are some of the honored landmarks of the happy days. May they live long to enjoy many such meetings.

A. C. L. Valuation.

The railway commission makes the following assessments for taxation of the Atlantic Coast Line system in the State of North Carolina, Wilmington and Weldon, main line \$10,000 per mile, Tarboro branch \$8,500, Scotland Neck \$6,000, Midland \$5,000, Wilson and Fayetteville \$10,000, Nashville \$3,500, Clinton \$3,500, Washington \$4,000, Albemarle and Raleigh \$4,000, Cheraw and Darlington \$3,000, Petersburg \$10,000, Wilmington, Columbia and Augusta \$10,000, Wilmington, Chadbourn and Conway \$2,500, Norfolk and Carolina \$10,000 increased from \$8,500, total mileage 722; total valuation including rolling stock and depot property \$8,522,349; increase since 1895, \$193,923.

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BETHEL ITEMS.

BETHEL N. C., July 27th, 1896.  
Miss Cena Cherry is teaching the public school in District No. 57.

Rev. Albert Barnes is holding a protracted meeting in the Methodist church.

Elder Samuel Moore lost a tobacco barn Saturday night by fire.

F. L. Davenport had a tobacco barn burned Saturday night.

Mr. Willie Thomas is quite sick with typhoid fever.

Our farmers in this section are all busy curing tobacco.

Prof. B. F. Hias and family returned home Sunday morning from Tyrell county where he had been visiting his father.

Mr. James H. Whitehurst lost a tobacco barn by fire Monday.

Mrs. Charity Davenport lost a tobacco barn by fire last Monday.

Mrs. July Ann Whitehurst, wife of W. W. Whitehurst, died at the residence of her mother, Mrs. Charity Davenport last Saturday night with typhoid fever. She was buried here Sunday.

At her home four miles from Bethel, on Saturday, July 19th, 1896, and twenty minutes past 1 o'clock P. M., Mrs. W. F. Manning died with that much dreaded disease typhoid fever, age forty nine years, six months and ten days. She leaves eight children, two brothers and one sister and a large circle of relative and friends to mourn her loss. Seven of the eight children are now down sick with fever. She was a good woman, a kind, loving and affectionate mother. She was buried Monday evening at 4 o'clock P. M. surrounded by a large circle of relatives and friends. Funeral services were conducted at the grave by Rev. R. W. Hines assisted by Rev. E. D. Brown.

Some Election Figures.  
Six State elections will occur before the November elections. They are as follows: Alabama, August 3; Vermont, September 1; Arkansas, September 7; Maine, September 14; Florida, October 6; and Georgia, October 7. The popular votes of these States in 1892 were as follows: Alabama—Cleveland, 138,108; Harrison, 9,197; Weaver, 85,181; Bidwell, 239; Arkansas—Cleveland, 87,834; Harrison, 46,864; Weaver, 11,391; Bidwell, 113. Florida—Cleveland, 30,143; Weaver, 4,843; Bidwell, 475; Georgia—Cleveland, 129,361; Harrison, 48,305; Weaver, 42,937; Bidwell, 988. Maine—Cleveland, 48,044; Harrison, 62,923; Weaver, 2,381; Bidwell, 3,063. Vermont—Cleveland, 16,320; Harrison, 37,992; Weaver, 43; Bidwell, 1,415.

Oakley Items.

OAKLEY, N. C., July 27, 1896.  
Mrs. W. A. Andrews is quite sick with fever.

W. T. Taylor, who has been living in Florida for the last three years, arrived home Saturday, and will spend a month at his old home.

J. E. Hines and wife, of Rocky Mount, spent Saturday night here, and left Sunday.

Our Populist friends in this section will support Bryan and Sewall. A prominent man who has heretofore been a strong Populist told his correspondent a few days ago that he should support Bryan and Sewall in defiance of Butler or Skinner, and he should also vote for Watson and the entire Democratic ticket.

SHOT HIS WIFE.

Another Case of Fencing With a Pistol.

Last Saturday afternoon L. F. Anderson, who lives about three miles in the country, was in town. Among the purchases he made was some whiskey and a pistol. He put the liquor under his shirt and the pistol in his pocket and went home. After supper while his wife was sitting near him, he began fooling with the pistol and snapping it. His wife had just remonstrated with him for handling the weapon so carelessly, when the usual report occurred under such circumstances was heard and a ball passed clear through Mrs. Anderson's neck right near the jugular vein.

Dr. F. W. Brown was sent for and went out to dress the wound. He says that it is almost miraculous that Mrs. Anderson was not killed instantly. However she is getting along as well as could be expected and was able to ride to town today to see the doctor.

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Baltimore	51	26	.662
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Pittsburg	43	35	.551
Philadelphia	37	43	.538
Boston	42	37	.532
Brooklyn	37	43	.464
Washington	33	43	.434
New York	31	46	.403
St. Louis	24	56	.300
Louisville	20	57	.260

Spill Enlarging.

Evans, Joyner & Co., are adding 20 feet to the width of the Eastern Warehouse, which will give 3,500 feet more of floor space than before. No market in this section of the State has a warehouse that will hold more tobacco than the Eastern.

By the way, you should read the advertisement of this house in the REFLECTOR. It tells exactly what can be done for you when you sell your tobacco at the Eastern.

More Buyers Coming.

The outlook is that the coming tobacco season is to be the most active that the Greenville market has yet had. Most all the old buyers are getting back ready for work, and there are more new ones coming here prospecting and making plans to locate than we have noticed near the opening of any former season. Greenville will be able to take care of all the tobacco that comes this way.

NOTICE—I will be in Greenville, at the King House, on Tuesday and Wednesday, August 4th and 5th, 1896, for the purpose of examining and treating diseases of the Eye.

Dr. H. O. HYATT.

ORIGINAL OBSERVATIONS.

The greatest summer complaint—its too hot.

The worst enemy in the world is to owe men.

Birds of a feather flock together—something to eat.

It is an ill-wind which blows physicians the most good.

How many careless bathers know the danger of an under-top?

Women have few sorrows which a new shirt waist will not soothe.

Many a naughty urein wars the sar made by the slipper of his angry ma.

'Tis sweet to court when no small brother lingers around to tell his mother.

He who is fullest of failure in himself is the first to prophesy failure in others.

It is hard work to defeat in argument a man who believes what he talks about.

Joy like a honeysuckle may blossom as sweetly on a trellis of wood as on a trellis of gold.

Other wages may be cut down frequently, but the wages of sin hold up just the same.

They never hang men for killing time in this country—it would keep the officers too busy.

Bryan, we are sorry to say, will lose tramp vote, which will be cast for McKinley and Hobo.

Those who have rusty think shops are continually berating those who have advanced thoughts.

The people are not enthusing over the Republican ticket—Garrett A. McKinley and William Hobart.

There is no life in the friendship of a person who does not strive to aid his friend—even if it is only with a smile.

There is nothing lost in the economy of this world—a lady's cast off bathing dress can be utilized as a pen-wiper.

He threw his arms around her neck, a re-united pair; they glued their lips together then, and we will leave them there.

Every man is artist enough to draw his own conclusions—and a pension if he was in the Union army during the late war.

The man who made mosquito bars should with the angels stand, and float around among the stars, a harp within his hand.

What happy days in farm life spent! we didn't mind the weather, but yoked the mildest steers we had, and tied their tails together.

Close up the shutters and lock the door, hang out the sign, "Gone to the shore," or go to seek the woodland's shade, and left his city bills unpaid.—Orange (Va.) Observer.

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The Populist Convention at St. Louis nominated Thos. E. Watson, of Georgia, for Vice-President, and W. J. Bryan, of Nebraska, for President. It is not known just whether Mr. Bryan will accept. After giving the same powers to the National Executive Committee that the convention adjourned Saturday evening sine die.

The Silver Convention in session in the same city unanimously endorsed Bryan and Sewall, the Democratic nominees, with an enthusiasm second only to that at Chicago. This convention was composed of fully 600 delegates who had formerly been Republicans.

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Water is getting low in the river again.  
Three dozen Eggs for 25cts. at S. M. Schultz.  
Ocracoke Corned Mullett just in at J. S. Tunstall's.  
First of the season—New Mullett and Potatoes 10 cents a peck at S. M. Schultz.  
Fresh Graham Flour just received at J. S. Tunstall.  
The girl in white is a pleasing sight these days.  
The best hand to hold in life is that of your best girl.  
The days have lost about 27 minutes since their longest.  
Bryan voted for Cleveland three times, is it possible that Cleveland will now refuse to vote for Bryan once.  
The Washington Light Infantry will have an encampment at Ocracoke for a week beginning August 8th.  
Fresh Dutcher, N. Y. State and Carr's at S. M. Schultz's.  
Some of the folks say last week was was a hot one. Well, how about this one?  
The streets up near the Court House are being raised with brick bats from the Elliot block.  
Fayetteville Military Academy is recognized as a school of the very first rank. See advertisement.  
The Reflector Book Store has just received a large lot of new tablets, letter, note, legal, fool cap and broad bill paper.  
A coroner's jury recently reported "that the deceased came to his death by excessive drinking, producing apoplexy in the minds of the jury."  
Snow fell for ten minutes in Duplin county last week. And this is the latter of July too.—Fayetteville Observer.  
A prominent farmer received five two cent stamps for thirty boxes of cucumbers recently shipped.—New Berne Journal.  
Some one has said that an Englishman listens to music, a Frenchman hears it, a German analyses it, but an Italian feels it.  
The Southport Leader must feel mighty lonesome. It is the only paper in North Carolina that bores the National Democracy.  
Quite a number of people from Pae-tolus and along the railroad went down to Ocracoke Saturday night to spend Sunday. Some of them remained for a week or two.  
The Atlanta Constitution thus "simplifies the issue." If you want more money and less taxation, vote for Bryan and Sewall. If you want less money and more taxation, vote for McKinley and Hobart.

During the scholastic year of 1895-'96 Patrick Henry Winston, son of President Geo. F. Winston of the University made the highest general average in scholarship at the Horner School ever attained at that famous institution of learning.  
Work going on all at once enlarging the Eastern, Planters and Greenville warehouses, and building the Star prizehouse, gives the tobacco quarter a busy look.  
The infant son of Col. and Mrs. I. A. Sugg was interred in Cherry Hill Cemetery at 5 o'clock this afternoon, funeral services being conducted by Rev. N. H. D. Wilson. The pall bearers were Messrs. E. A. Moye, W. H. Hagsdale, Zeno Moore and G. E. Harris.  
While at the Horner School of Oxford, Lyman A. Cotten secured the appointment to Annapolis in a competitive examination. He stands among the first in a large class in which are many college graduates.  
"Why did you break off your engagement with Miss Bertha?"  
"Because her parrot was always saying 'Stop that George.'"  
"But what difference did that make?"  
"My engagement was not a secret."  
"But my name is not George."  
Tit-Bits  
Bolls and pumpkins are due to impure blood. Remove them by making the blood pure with Hood's Sarsaparilla.

Miss Leticia White has fever.  
J. B. Cherry is at Seven Springs.  
Misses Eta and N. W. Harris have gone to Bethel.  
Sheriff R. W. King went to Raleigh Monday morning.  
Mr. and Mrs. W. M. King went to Ocracoke Saturday.  
Earnest Forbes has gone to Panama Springs for a few days.  
Mrs. Morris, of Tarboro, is visiting Mrs. Samuel M. Schultz.  
Miss Kate Pritchard, of Kinston, is visiting Miss Eta Harris.  
Bob Moye is back from a trip to Kinston and Seven Springs.  
Miss Florence Bynum, of Saratoga, is visiting Mrs. W. R. Parker.  
Miss Eta Hines returned Wednesday evening from a trip to Tarboro.  
Miss Mattie Edwards, of Hookerton, is visiting Mrs. J. S. W. Brown.  
Mrs. R. J. Cobb went to Grifton Sunday to visit friends and relatives.  
Miss Zelle White returned Saturday evening from a pleasant visit to Portsmouth, Va.  
Miss Bessie Jarvis and Miss Jennie Williams are visiting friends at Falk land this week.  
Leon Liechtenstein, of Richmond, arrived Monday evening to visit his uncle, S. M. Schultz.  
S. T. Hooker and family returned Wednesday evening from a sojourn at Panama Springs.  
Misses Annie Jones and Bessie Powell, of Raleigh, arrived Thursday morning and are visiting Miss Suddie Harding.  
We are glad to learn of the convalescence of Mrs. W. T. Hayden, who has been sick at her father's near Greenville.  
R. T. Harrison, of Oxford, arrived Monday evening to keep books for J. S. Jenkins & Co. He is brother to G. E. Harrison.  
Miss Manie Hart, who has been visiting the family of her cousin, J. N. Hart, returned to her home at Boykin, Va., Thursday morning.  
Allen Taft left Monday morning for the nothern markets to purchase his fall and winter stock and says he will secure all the latest novelties in dress wear.  
Misses Kate Pendleton, of Warrenton, Alma Clark, of Americus, Ga., Willie Hargrove, of Washington, are visiting Mrs. A. J. Johnson, near Greenville.  
Mrs. M. M. Nelson, J. J. Cherry, F. G. James, G. E. Harrison, Lawrence Hooker, E. G. Flanagan, D. J. Whichard, Charlie Latham, Louis Latham, Harry Skinner, Walter Wilson, Bert James, Ashley Wilson, Louis Skinner and Argall Vick returned home Monday from Ocracoke. Will James sent word to state that he would have returned also, but the doctor advised him against traveling with a lame foot.

**Mothers**  
Anxiously watch declining health of their daughters. So many are cut off by consumption in early years that there is real cause for anxiety. In the early stages, when not beyond the reach of medicine, Hood's Sarsaparilla will restore the quality and quantity of the blood and thus give good health. Read the following letter:  
"It is but just to write about my daughter Cora, aged 19. She was completely run down, declining, had that tired feeling, and friends said she would not live over three months. She had a bad cough and nothing seemed to do her any good. I happened to read about Hood's Sarsaparilla and had her give it a trial. From the very first dose she began to get better. After taking a few bottles she was completely cured and her health has been the best ever since." MRS. ADDIE PECK, 12 Railroad Place, Amsterdam, N. Y.  
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## FUN AT OCRACOKE.

### Plenty of it for the Pleasure Seeker.

(Editorial Correspondence.)  
**HOTEL PONDER.**  
In my former letter I promised to make some report at next writing of what the "old man" could do at fishing. The person who comes to Ocracoke and don't go fishing misses lots of fun. I have been out three times so far and "Uncle John" Cherry is the only one of our crowd who has gone ahead of the "old man" in point of numbers, and twice when "Uncle John" didn't go the "old man" led his boat. Dick James didn't care to have it told that he was the "J-man" of the ship and caught only two, but it is too good to keep.  
But talking about fishing, Louis Skiner holds the championship for catching the largest. He and George Harrison were out yesterday when Louis caught a 40 pound drum, and George landed one that weighed 25 pounds.  
The fare at the hotel is the best I ever found here, and the attention to the guests is all that could be wished. The dining room is in charge of Miss Ella Houston, a Canadian, whose equal cannot be found. She can get around in more places to see that the guests are promptly served than any one I ever saw, and she is praised by all. Most of the waiters are white girls from the island and they make excellent ones.  
I keep a pretty good eye open to see what the Greenville crowd is doing, as their movements will be of most interest to the home folks.  
I have already told that a Greenville girl is the most popular one here. And the most all-around popular man here is the person of Dick James. The young folks and the married folks gather around him every night and make him lead an old fashioned quadrille or two and call figures for them. No feature of the dances here seems more enjoyed than this. As I write now his clear, merry voice is heard ringing "swing corners all" above the lively strains of music and scraping of feet.  
And another Greenville boy is distinguishing himself here too. Let me speak it softly for fear of giving him away, but Ed. Flanagan can't court enough for the whole crowd. I have actually seen him making love to two girls at the same time, but one of them came off victor by showing Howard it is to have a Farrow rival. Will James runs Ed a close second.  
Last night the 4-11-44 camp from Winston, gave a dinner complimentary to Misses Lillian Cherry, of Greenville and Bessie Williams, of Newbern. There were several invited guests and the young men entertained them handsomely. The spread was superb and the bill of fare would have done credit to Delmonico.  
Proprietor George Credle don't let the guests grow dull around Hotel Ponder. If there seems to be a lull in other lines of amusement he gathers a crowd around him and keeps them in an uproar with his dry, witty jokes.  
There are bathing and sailing parties out every evening, and Ocracoke is truly delightful. Every boat brings new arrivals.  
Three young men from Newbern came here on their bicycles this morning and made a remarkable trip. They are R. S. Primrose, Thos. Daniels and Ellis Williams. They started from Beaufort at 9 o'clock last night making the run by moonlight along the beach, covering the distance of 63 miles in four hours. With the wind fair behind them they made the last 30 miles in one-and-a-half hours. They arrived at Portsmouth at one o'clock and got a boat to bring them across the inlet.  
Ed. Flanagan distinguished himself in another particular also. Just after an early supper one evening, following out his record for "rushing" two girls at a time he took a couple of them out rowing. Seating the pair of hair ones on the stern of the boat, Ed. took the oars and rowed away with as pompous an air as if he had been captain of the Yale crew. With a strong flood tide

## Accidental Shooting.

### Late Saturday afternoon, on the plantation of Mr. J. W. Allen, three miles from Greenville, Willis Johnson, a colored man living on the place, was handling a gun when it accidentally went off, the lead striking a colored woman, named Adaline Barnes, in the face killing her. She lived about five minutes.

## Dr-wned.

### Samuel Fowle, a young white man, was drowned Thursday at Washington. He was riding his bicycle across the county bridge and when he reached the draw he found it open, but was under such speed that he could not stop his wheel and plunged in and drowned. The body and bicycle were recovered in about an hour.

## A Sad Case.

### At out a week ago Mrs. Leticia Fussell, wife of Mr. J. M. Fussell, came from her home at Whitakers, accompanied by her little 4-year-old son, to visit her father-in-law, Mr. A. G. Fussell, at Mr. R. R. Cotten's place, near Greenville. Soon after her arrival she was taken down with typhoid fever and was sick only a few days when she succumbed to that dreaded disease. The sorrowing husband left with the remains Thursday for her late home. Truly this is a sad case.

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## Ladies

### Your attention is called to the fact that

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## Summer Ware

### AT COST

### to make room for fall stock. Such as

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Dimitics, White Goods,  
India Linins, Mulls,  
DOTTED SWISSES AND  
NOVEL COTTON GOODS AT  
**COST**

## The Talk of

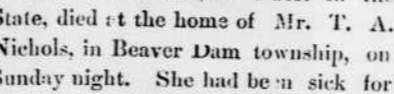
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## LANG'S

## CHEAP--SUMMER

## GOODS.

### Must go in Hot weather.



## SILKS FOR SHIRT WAIST.

At Cost  
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At Cost  
**SHOES.**  
Such as Oxford Ties for ladies and children, and low quarters for men  
AT COST.  
**HATS.**  
Such as light color in felt and all straw goods  
AT COST.  
**CLOTHING.**  
Such as Summer Suits, light color, and light weights  
**ALL AT COST.**  
Don't forget this, we want the room for fall goods.  
Very Respectfully,  
**C. T. Munford.**  
Next door to Bank of Greenville.

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Stylish things too numerous to mention. Our Laces, Ribbons, Silks, Braids, Buttons, Velvets and other Trimmings make the hearts of the ladies glad to behold them. Kid Gloves, Hosiery, Side Combs, and Hair Ornaments are beauties. Our Shoe stock is immense for Ladies, Misses and Children. Men and Boys. The most complete and stylish line of Ladies, Misses and Childrens Oxford Ties ever offered here.

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Plain, Pure, Heavy Groceries.

Flour, Meat, Sugar, Lard, Molasses, Salt, Snuff and Tobacco. Hardware and Farming Tools, Lows and Casting, Tinware, Toilet Sets and many useful household articles in that line. The Best line of Crockery that we have ever had and that is saying much. Our Tea and Dinner Sets are beauties. Our Laces, Caps and Suspenders, Dishes and Bowls are here in quantities and variety. Hall, Vase and Pa'lor Lamps, plain and fancy patterns. Now a word about our

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## J. B. CHERRY & Co

### Notice to Creditors.

Having qualified as Executor of the will of the late Mrs. A. M. Clark, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to the estate to make immediate payment to the undersigned, and to all creditors of the estate of Mrs. A. M. Clark to exhibit their claims properly authenticated to the undersigned, at the office of Blount & Fleming, attorneys, in Greenville, N. C., on or before the first day of August 1897.

W. B. WHICHARD, Executor of Mrs. A. M. Clark. BLOUNT & FLEMING, Attorneys for Executor.

### NOTICE. To the Tobacco Farmers.

All farmers growing tobacco who propose to use the Improved Method of Hanging or Looping Tobacco for curing are notified that they must procure a Farm Right before using the same. The same having been patented Oct. 23, 1896 by Pleasant B. Farmer, and by him assigned to John R. Chaney. Farm Rights can be procured by applying to

ISAAC A. SUGG, Attorney Greenville, N. C.

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**AGRETSURPRISE—NEW YORK**

The town talk is the remarkable surprise that the New York World received and gave in answer to its circular letter of inquiry to the democratic chairman in New York state. It made three inquiries in the letter as follows:

1. Will the democracy in your county support the Chicago platform and nominees?
2. Do you have a third ticket for gold?
3. What percentage of loss will the democracy sustain in supporting the Chicago platform and candidates?

We have not the World by us, but these, we think, correctly represent the state of inquiry.

The answers have been published in the World, and all or nearly all are full of encouragement for the democracy. They give to the first inquiry an emphatic yes. To the second an emphatic no. To the third that they will gain more silver republicans than they will lose gold democrats. Tammany will stand by the ticket.

Take in the meaning of all this. Here is a great state the very centre of the money power. Within a radius of one hundred miles from New York city, is gathered more wealth than fifteen states contain. Here is where the almost entire press is one way, completely subsidized by the money interest. Here is where the great machine is located for printing and distributing the one-sided, ordinarily absurdly wrong matter that is called "educating the masses." The people of New York state have had to read gold argument, gold assertion, gold scoffing, or not read at all. It is the state in which the gold, pendent lives, with all its immense patronage and power. It is the state of Hill and Morton, of Platt and Whitney and the other leaders of goldocracy who try to make the 70,000,000 people think and act and believe with them. There is Wall street with its potential activities, its tremendous power, its almighty gold, its schemes and plans to thwart the people and to use their power to force a crisis or to put a quietus upon all efforts to restore to its former place the money of the constitution.

And yet in the face of all this power, patronage, influence, money, the people are resolved upon supporting silver and working out their freedom and independence once more. The replies are indeed a marvelous surprise to all concerned. They show that the great revolutionary movement on the part of the people has struck New York as it has struck the entire south and the great west.

It presages a general upheaval in November. It tells that the people are fully awake, fully aroused, and will not wear collars or yokes any longer. The politicians who stand in the way of this vast uprising of a long suffering but determined people will be swept out of the way as chaff is swept away by the mighty tempest. The storm of the people has begun to move. Opposition is useless. The will of the people this year may be nearer the voice of God than ever before. The people when they are united and resolved have never yet been thwarted or checked or controlled. They must have their way in a government of the people, and for the people, and by the people. Their will be asserted. Their vast power will control. They are rising in all their power and majesty and they will

"Come as the winds come when forests are raged;  
Come as the waves come when navies are stranded."  
—Wilmingon Messenger.

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**TRAINS GOING SOUTH.**

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Nov. 14	11:35	A. M.	9:44	A. M.
Nov. 15	1:00	P. M.	10:39	A. M.
Nov. 16	12:12	P. M.		
Nov. 17	10:10	A. M.	6:20	A. M.
Nov. 18	2:08	P. M.	5:45	A. M.
Nov. 19	2:33	P. M.	5:10	A. M.
Nov. 20	7:30	P. M.	1:17	A. M.
Nov. 21	7:55	P. M.	1:42	A. M.
Nov. 22	8:40	P. M.	2:27	A. M.
Nov. 23	9:15	P. M.	3:02	A. M.
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**Be Your Own Prophet.**

Notice your cat when it washes its face, the paw it uses and the direction it takes will show the point of compass whence the wind is blowing. For instance if the cat faces the north and washes its face with its left paw the wind is from the northwest.

When a person kills a snake he does well to consider what kind of weather he would like. If he hangs the snake up it will rain. If he buries it the weather will be fair.

If the brantstones of the Thanksgiving chickens are light in color there will be a good deal of snow in the winter following. If the color is dark there will be little snow.

The 1st of Friday of each month is the almanac index for the next month. If the weather is fair the month will be likewise; if foul, so will the month be.

When the cattle lie down at 5:00 a. m. they are turned out to pasture in the morning it is because they feel a rheumatic weakness in their bones and you can look for a rain soon.

After the frogs begin to sing in the spring if they are frozen in three times you may be sure that afterward you will have warm weather.

Blow out a candle and if the wick continues long to smolder look for bad weather. If it goes out quickly the weather will be fair.

The twelve days after Christmas indicate the weather for the following year. Each day in order shows the weather for one month.

If the chicken's feathers are very thick at Thanksgiving time the winter will be a hard one.

When you take up a teakettle and find sparks on the bottom it is a sign of cold weather.

When the canthor in its bottle is "riley" it shows that a storm is brewing.

**Waver's and Field's Position.**

In 1892, the Populist nominated Gen. Weaver, of Iowa, and Gen. James G. Field, of Virginia, for President and Vice-President. It has already been announced that Gen. Weaver will heartily support Bryan and Sewall. Judge Gentry writes to a friend in Atlanta:

"General James G. Field, a prominent lawyer and farmer of this section, and who was on the ticket for Vice-President of the Populist party in the last National election, said in the presence of the past-master and others of this place yesterday that he expected to attend the St. Louis convention on the 22nd instant, and would exert his influence to get the standard bearers of the Chicago convention endorsed by the Populist National convention and was opposed to his party making any nomination."

With both the nominees of 1892 for the Democratic ticket, why shouldn't all other advocates of silver fill in line?

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**NIGHTFALL ON THE FARM.**

Upon the porch at even  
We two together stood,  
And listened to the tinkle  
Of sheep bells in the wood.  
The locust trees bent o'er us,  
White blossoms dropping down,  
And, fringed with flowers, below us  
The path lay bare and brown.

We heard the sheep-bell's music:  
Far off and dreary grow;  
We saw the white flowers sprinkle  
The lawn like flocks of snow;  
The roses drew back shyly  
Into the silent dark.

But though their haunts were shaded  
Their perfume we could mark.  
Up in a locust's branches  
A little bird said "cheep"—  
'Twas all that broke the silence,  
The whole world seemed asleep.  
'Good-night,' she said, 'I love you!'  
I said, 'She did not speak;  
But swift she lent toward me  
With tears upon her cheek.'

— Philip L. Barker.

**EUROPEAN LETTER.**

(From our Special Correspondent.)

Rome, Italy, July 15, 1896.—A visit to the Catacombs is one of the inevitable duties of the traveler here, no matter how little time he may find for anything else. It is indeed of un-failing interest to all sorts and conditions of tourists, from the student of history or the archeologist to the man who is "doing" Europe in five weeks, and who decides to give forty-eight hours to the Eternal City. The latter, it is true, is disinclined to waste time on the Catacombs, being under the impression that we have mines and tunnels in America which are as interesting and more practical; but he comes because some one has told him that they must be seen; nor does he feel that his time has been wasted when he returns.

First there is the drive along the Via Appia, where careful eyes may find some of the original stones, placed long before the era of Christianity. Even the unimagination must think of the feet that have passed over them—from triumphal processions of Caesar and Titus to the weary tramp of fettered slaves; not to mention the distinct vision that arises of the little group of disciples who went to meet Paul as far as Appii Forum and the Three Taverns, and came back with him to Rome. Then when you have reached the garden that surrounds the entrance to the Catacombs of St. Calixtus (there are several rivals, but this is the most popular) you climb down into the dark passages, you decipher the inscriptions made by the early Christians who found a hiding place here; you gaze at the spot where the body of gentle St. Cecilia was found, with its severed neck; you listen with rising hair to the story of the tourist who was separated from the rest of his party, and who wandered helplessly in these miles of labyrinth for days; and who was never found again, or according to some versions, was finally discovered in an imbecile condition. This is always related, and makes you clutch your waxen taper more tightly and follow closely the footsteps of the guide until you emerge blinded into the outer light. It is a relief to come back to safe commonplaces; to buy chocolate from the Trappist monks and talk to the two or three who are allowed to break their vow of silence and who apparently enjoy the immunity of conversing volubly in several languages and on any topic. One of these (he has a face that might have been a model for Carlo Dello) is known as "the Beautiful Brother" among the gushing American girls, and they esteem it a great favor to have him for their guide in the subterranean passages.

On the way back the driver always stops at a little church and explains that this is something that you must not miss seeing. You collect your sent Italian vocabulary and inquire what is the attraction—the building is small and looks almost as much like a wayside shrine as a place of worship. This is the church of "Domine Quo Vadis" and here, according to ecclesiastical tradition, on one occasion when Peter's courage failed him and he was fleeing from Rome, Christ met him on the way. "Where goest thou, Master?" asked Peter, whence the name of the church. "To Rome, to be crucified again, in thy stead," was the answer. The apostle returned at once to suffer martyrdom, and the scene of the vision is commemorated by the impress of Christ's feet on the stone—much the same story that is told in other countries of Mohammed and of the angel Gabriel.

In this case, however incredulity is excusable. The stone is unremoved (after you have paid for the privilege of seeing it) with much formality and reverence; there are the outlines of the two feet; but the observant can distinguish the marks of toe-nails, leaving one to infer that the bungling artist designed the same on the bottom of the feet.

Another chapel, further out, on the supposed site of Paul's execution, is called the church of the Three Foundations. A bare-footed friar explains that as the head of the apostle fell from the axe, it rebounded three times. At every spot where it touched the earth a spring of water arose. If any skeptic doubts it is piece of history, the ingenious monk says, with an expressive gesture "But do you not see the springs?"

**WEEKLY CROP BULLETIN.**

The reports of correspondents of the Weekly Crop Bulletin, issued by the North Carolina Climate and Crop Service, for a week ending Saturday, July 18, 1896, indicate a more favorable week and fairly satisfactory progress in the growth of crops. The temperature was above the normal from Sunday to Thursday, with several very warm days, but dropped below the normal with north-east winds Friday and Saturday. Rains were frequent, but generally so in amount, and generally all needed. There was more sunshine the first portion and farmers had some chance to clean crops. On the whole, though the damage to lowland crops last week by overflow was very great, they have recovered to some extent. General prospects still excellent.

**EASTERN DISTRICT.**

The first part of the week was generally fair and quite warm, but the temperature dropped rapidly Thursday night, and Friday and Saturday were quite cool, with north-east winds. The rain-fall, though moderate this week, was not needed and generally injurious in east and north portions. In central and south portions conditions were more favorable. Farm work made some progress early in the week, but was stopped again Thursday. Cotton is growing too rapidly; is large but apparently fruiting well. Much shedding reported, but majority of crop very fine. Some cotton is badly in grass, and in north portion much was completely drowned out by rains last week. Corn is still a fair crop. Large quantities of lowland corn, especially along Roanoke and Cape Fear rivers, found to have been destroyed by froshets. Curing tobacco progressing; much damage by excessive rain, which is causing second growth. Sweet potatoes large enough for family use; peanuts spreading nicely; melons very plentiful; grapes ripening rapidly with large crop, some rotting.

**Another Relation.**

I feel just like 'em gittin' rich—  
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**Silver Forces Should Unite**

Colfax, Iowa, July 15.—Gen. James B. Weaver Populist candidate for President in 1892, said to a group of his friends at his home:

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