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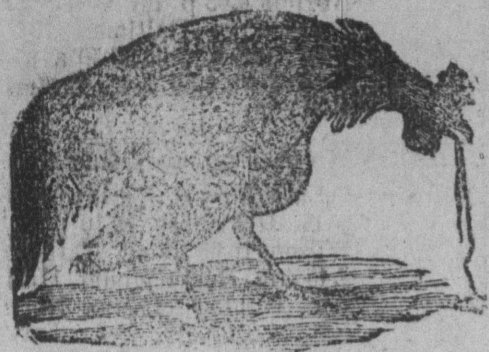
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LATEST NEWS

This morning Sampson endeavored to explode the mines in the channel of the inner harbor at Santiago. He found two of the forts still active and they fired on the ships when near the mouth of the harbor. Sampson will co-operate with Shafter in bombarding the city from the inner harbor in case the Spaniards still refuse to surrender. Shafter gave them until 4 o'clock to reply to his demand for a complete surrender, and if reply is not received at that hour the bombardment will open.

The troops sent to the aid of Dewey at Manila have arrived safely there and embarked. They captured the Ladrone Islands on the way and left men in possession of them.

And the Band Played On

Washington, July 4.—The following was received from General Shafter this afternoon:

"Playa del Este, July 4th—Headquarters Fifth Army Corps, near Santiago.—

"When the news of the disaster to the Spanish fleet reached the front, which was during a period of truce, the regimental band played "Star Spangled" and "Hot Time in the Old Town Tonight," the men cheering from one end of the line to the other.

"The officers and men are without even shelter of tents and have been soaking for five days in the afternoon rains, but all are happy.

[Signed] SHAFTER."

Sampson Captured Cervera

Washington, July 4.—4 p. m.—The Navy Department has just received a dispatch from Admiral Sampson, dated Sibony, July 3rd, 3 a. m.

"The American fleet under my command, offers the nation as a fourth of July present the whole of Cervera's fleet. None escaped. One attempted to escape at 1:30 this morning. At 2 o'clock the last ship, the Christobal Colon, had run ashore sixty miles west of Santiago, but she has let down her colors.

"The Infanta Maria Teresa," the Oquendo and Vizcaya were forced ashore and burned or blown up within twenty miles of Santiago. The torpedo boat destroyers Furor and Pluton were destroyed within 4 miles of Santiago. American loss 1 killed and 2 wounded. The enemy's loss is probably several hundred from gun fire, explosion and drowning. I have about 1,300 prisoners including Admiral Cervera. The killed was George H. Ellis, chief yeoman of the Brooklyn.

[Signed] SAMPSON."

Spain is Bewildered

Madrid, July 4.—The destruction of Cervera's fleet and the rout of the Spaniards in front of Santiago has bewildered the Spanish cabinet. Premier Sagasta, however, boldly says that Spain will pursue the war despite the losses sustained.

Odd Fellows meet tonight.

GALLANT CHARGE OF THE ROUGH RIDERS.

The following is from the telegraphic report of the battle at Santiago:

In half hour the position became too hot for the Spaniards. Their battery was silenced, and there were no Spaniards in sight. The Tenth and First regiments and the Rough Riders were ordered to make a detour and take the hill. Then began real fighting. The Spaniards were not in sight, but there were hundreds of them in concealment. The Rough Riders marched through the gulch across the slope, whereupon the blockhouse opened fire again. One of their shells wounded Mason, Mitchell, Cuban trooper Long and Surgeon Devore. At the same time the Spanish sharpshooters began popping away, picking off men here and there. Lieutenant Colonel Roosevelt, mounted, rode at the head of his troops, with the Tenth cavalry ranged alongside. The Riders all dodged bushes and trees to escape the hail of bullets. The Spanish fire grew hotter and hotter, and our men dropped two and three at a time.

When they came to the hillside there was no protection. There was a moment's hesitation, and then came the order "Forward, charge." Lieutenant Colonel Roosevelt led, waving his sword. Out into the open the men went and up the hill. Death to every man seemed certain. The crackle of Mauser rifles was continuous. Out of the brush came the Riders. Up, up they went, with colored troops alongside, not a man finching, and firing as they ran. Roosevelt was a hundred feet in the lead. Up they went in the face of death, men dropping from the ranks at every step.

Astonished by the madness of the rush, the Spaniards exposed themselves. This was a fatal mistake. The Tenth cavalry picked them off like ducks and rushed on. More Spaniards were killed and more seemed to take their places.

The rain of shells and bullets doubled. Men dropped faster and faster, but others took their places. Colonel Roosevelt sat erect on his horse, holding his sword and shouting for his men to follow him. Finally his horse was shot from under him, but he landed on his feet and continued calling for his men to advance. He charged up the hill afoot. It seemed an age to the men who were watching, and to the Rough Riders the hill must have seemed miles high. But they went on firing as fast as their guns would work. The shooting of the Tenth Cavalry was wonderful.

At last the top of the hill was reached. Spaniards in the trenches could still have annihilated the Americans, but the Yankees' daring dazed them. They wavered for an instant, then turned and ran. As they ran our men coolly picked them off. The position was won and the block house captured. The Americans went on to drive the Spaniards further. They found the trenches full of dead, but none alive. In the rush more than half the Riders were wounded. Though they had the hills, their position was still perilous on account of sharpshooters.

Spain's Commanding General Dead

Madrid, July 4.—At a cabinet meeting this afternoon despatches were read confirming the report of the death of General Verade Rey; also of two of his staff. It is also reported that General Linares has died from wounds received in battle.

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TUESDAY, JULY 9, 1898.

JUDICIAL CONVENTION.

A Democratic convention to nominate a candidate for Solicitor of the 3rd Judicial District of North Carolina, to be voted for at the ensuing November election, is hereby called to meet at 1 o'clock P. M., on July 6th, 1898, in the public hall at Rocky Mount.

The counties in the District that have not held conventions to select delegates to this convention will take notice hereof and govern themselves accordingly. By order of the Committee.

F. S. SPRULL,

Chm. Dem. Ex. Com. Third Judicial District.

WASHINGTON LETTER

(From our regular Correspondent.)

Washington, D. C., July 4, 1898

No more striking object lesson in American grit and bravery was ever given the world than that by the soldiers and sailors who participated in the terrible, but victorious campaign against Santiago. Gen. Shafter's bulldog persistency in steadily going ahead regardless of difficulties, natural or manmade, until assured of victory was an indication that his schoolmates made no mistake when they nick-named him "Bull". The number of men killed, wounded, and overcome by the heat is appalling, when the number of men participating in the fighting is considered, but no larger than might have been expected under the circumstances—the thermometer 103 to 125 and several days of almost continuous assaulting of breast works and charging up hill in the face of a hot fire from both large and small guns. Admiral Sampson's fleet worked in accord with Shafter's army and helped once more to demonstrate that the American soldier and sailor has no equal on earth in all around staying and fighting qualities.

Representative Bailey, of Texas has the sympathy of all decent men, regardless of politics, in his effort to uncover the Democratic Congressman who Representative Grosvenor alleged had told him that he was the author of an editorial slurring at the Democrats in the House and making a thinly veiled personal attack upon Mr. Bailey, which appeared in a Washington paper. Grosvenor has so far declined to name the man, although the editor of the paper has joined his request to that of Mr. Bailey that he do so, and added that if any Congressman claimed to be the author of the editorial in question, he lied.

The hard throw down given to Senator Wellington, who was much chagrined at his failure to be elected Chairman of the Republican State Committee of Maryland, was more or less a disappointment to Maryland Democrats. The Democrats wanted

Wellington on top, because they knew that his success would weaken his party in the State, owing to his peculiar faculty of getting on the wrong side of everything. Wellington now realizes that he can never be a boss again in Maryland politics, and the realization is very bitter to him.

Under the provisions of the bill providing for taking the next Census, the employes of the Census bureau are to be not more than two-thirds from one political party. The new House Committee on the Census is made up in about the same proportion—eight Republicans, four Democrats and one populist. Memberships on this committee was eagerly sought as it is supposed that its members will have a little more pull in securing Census appointments than other members of the House. The four Democrats on the committee are DeVries, of California; Norton, of South Carolina; Griffith, of Indiana, and MacDowell, of Ohio, and the populist is Ridgeley, of Kansas. No appointments under the bill are to be made before next year, so far as any outsider knows, but the haste in some quarters to get the bill through is somewhat suspicious, and it will not be surprising if somebody finds a way to take care of a few friends before that time, at Uncle Samuel's expense.

There has been more swearing since the first of the month on account of the oppressive and troublesome stamp tax than about the extremely warm weather we are having. It is only necessary to stand a few minutes at the paying teller's window in a bank or at the receiving clerk's desk in a telegraph office to be convinced that a revenue stamp tax is about the most obnoxious of all taxes; just as the Democrats in Congress said when they were protesting in vain against its imposition upon the country. Some persons were simple enough to believe that the telegraph company would pay for the stamp that is required to be affixed to every message sent but they soon found out differently. Corporations never pay anything that their patrons can be made to pay.

The positive statement from Europe that Germany, France, and Russia had entered into an agreement to prevent the United States retaining the Philippine island, or turning them over to England after the war is ended, is being extensively discussed in Washington. This particular statement may or may not be true, but that our talk about permanently keeping the Philippines has aroused mutterings in Europe, which may cause future trouble, is known to all. These things are causing it to be asked whether the game is worth the candle. In other words, would the possession of the Philippines compensate us for engaging in a war with a combination of European powers? Of course, the average American is ready at all times to resent any European interference in our affairs, and should a combination of powers officially say that we should not keep the Philippines, would favor keeping them anyway then. But would it not be wise for this government to announce in advance of any such notice that it doesn't wish to keep those islands? Many think so.

No agreement has yet been reached as to the day on which the Senate shall vote on the annexation resolution, but is expected that the vote will be taken this week.

The official quotations for beef and veal in Havana, according to the latest account, were 55 cents a pound; lamb was 90 cents and pork \$1.15.

JUST FOR FUN

If we moved our legs proportionately as fast as an ant we should travel nearly 800 miles an hour.

A negro tramp at Van Buren, Ark., fell 35 feet, struck squarely on his head and was not hurt.

Chinese believe that women who wear short hair will in a future state be transformed into men.

The Springfield Republican says that Mark Twain is "the greatest of American contemporary writers."

At the end of the twenty-two and a half years a teacher in Argentina is retired on full pay. Men and women have equal opportunities as teachers.

Passing Strange

It is strange to see and know what the fusion bosses are attempting and it will be stronger still if they succeed. They cry themselves hoarse for silver. They curse and abuse the Democrats who declare for silver. They move heaven and earth to fuse with Republicans who declare for gold. The voters and the taxpayers are not doing this. It is the office seekers. Now it will be strange and remarkably strange if they succeed in getting the taxpayers to follow such leadership again, they misled the people last year. They promised everything they made demands of all men. They made the people think they meant to do well. They got in office. They did nothing they promised. They did just what they said they would not do. For this crowd to ask taxpayers to give them a further lease of power is the greatest display of cheek and gall that has ever been known in a civilized community.—Lexington Dispatch.

DIRECTORY.

CHURCHES.

BAPTIST—Services every Sunday, morning and evening. Prayer meeting Thursday evening. Rev. A. W. Setzer, Pastor. Sunday school 9:30 A. M. C. D. Rountree, Superintendent.

CATHOLIC—No regular services.

EPISCOPAL—Services fourth Sunday, morning and evening. Lay services second Sunday morning. Rev. A. Greaves, Rector. Sunday school 9:30 A. M. W. B. Brown, Superintendent.

METHODIST—Services every Sunday, morning and evening. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening. Rev. N. M. Watson, Pastor. Sunday school 9:30 A. M. A. B. Ellington, Superintendent.

PRESBYTERIAN—Services third Sunday, morning and evening. Rev. J. B. Morton, Pastor. Sunday school 9:30 A. M. E. B. Ficklen Superintendent.

LODGES.

A. F. & A. M.—Greenville Lodge No. 284 meets first and third Monday evening. J. M. Reuss, W. M. L. I. Moore, Sec.

I. O. O. F.—Covenant Lodge No. 17 meets every Tuesday evening. J. V. Johnson, N. G. L. H. Pender, Sec.

K. of P.—Par River Lodge No. 93, meets every Friday evening. H. W. Whedbee, C. C. A. B. Ellington, K. of R. and S.

R. A.—Zeb Vance Council No. 1606 meets every Thursday evening. W. L. Wilson, R. M. R. Lang, Sec.

Greenville Market

Corrected by S. M. Schultz.

Table with 2 columns: Item and Price. Items include Butter, Western Sides, Sugar cured Hams, Corn, Corn Meal, Flour, Family, Lard, Oats, Sugar, Coffee, Salt per Sack, Chickens, Eggs per doz, Beeswax, per, Cotton Seed, per bushel.

THE GAME OF PRISONER.

Youngsters Who Play It Become Clever Geographers.

An interesting game when young folk come together is the escape from prison.

It requires children who are clever in geography. It is a lesson in the disguise of pleasure.

The game proceeds after this fashion: A map is held by the judge, usually a grown person or an older child. Then two children are chosen and placed in separate corners.

Says the judge: "Now, Carrie, you represent New York in this corner, and, Richard, you are in Moscow, imprisoned; you want to get away and reach home by Thanksgiving day. You have gotten from behind the walls, but what is your most direct route home?"

Then Richard has to tell each sea, country and ocean he crosses to get home for the turkey and cranberry sauce. If he can't do it successfully he must remain right on the spot in the floor where he stopped until he thinks out his escape.

Other members of the game are placed in prisons at various parts of the country. The favorite jails are now located in China and Japan on account of the interest aroused during the late war. A leading question is: "If you were put in a Yokohama prison, how would you get back to Peking?"

Soon the room becomes filled with prisoners, all trying to get home. Half of them are "stalled" in the center trying to think of the boundary line which brings freedom; others are just leaving the prison walls.

When the game has been played frequently, those who join in get very familiar with the junction of countries, and learn many straight lines and clever jumps that had not appeared quite before. For those who are not quite conversant with geography, easy tasks are given; for instance, to be placed in a Paris prison and find their home in Boston.

To Save Trees of Stone.

An effort is to be made to place under the protection of the government one of the most remarkable natural curiosities of the world. It is the petrified forest of Apache county, Arizona. The wonderful stone trees cover a large tract of land near the town of Holbrook, where they lie partially embedded in the soil and rock and hide hearts of most beautiful decorative stone under exteriors that have become rough and gray from exposure and the wear of the elements.

The great logs of stone, which were at one time foliage-bearing trees, have become like agate through a process which probably took thousands of years and by which every particle of the wood fiber was chemically replaced by silica, which preserved in stone the original hues of the decayed wood. This formation takes a high polish and is much sought after for decorative purposes. Some of the petrified trunks are several feet in diameter—so large in fact, that table tops have been made of single slabs.

It is now proposed that the forest be made a national reserve or park in order that it may not be depleted by stone dealers and curio merchants.

Boys Make Cake.

"Turn about is fair play," is an old adage, and the school boys and girls of Brookline, Mass., have been proving its goodness by practical experiment lately. Last year the boys learned carpentry and carving and the girls took lessons in bread and cake making, but this year the books have taken up cookery and the girls have been sawing wood.

Of course, the boys are delighted with the change, for they are permitted to boil eggs, cook steaks and even make cake once in a great while. The girls profess to thoroughly enjoy driving nails and making things of wood, and are determined to show that they can be as good carpenters as the boys.

The Fox's Bedquilt.

Why does the fox need such a big, bushy tail? Of what use is it anyway? One would think that it would be in the fox's way when he was running through the brush and that it would help to proclaim his presence when he was creeping up on game. Besides that, it is sometimes caught in traps. But nature knows best what the fox needs.

Grain Taller than a Man.

Recently in the Boston chamber of commerce samples of grain from Yamhill county, Oregon, attracted much attention for their extreme height. There was timothy hay five feet tall and a sheaf of oats standing over six feet in height. Most any boy or girl would be entirely lost sight of in a field of grain of such giant growth.

The Canny Scot.

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9 00 a. m. Wolla 10 46 am. Warsaw 12 05 a. m. Goldsboro 12 06 am. Wilson 12 56 p. m. Rocky Mount 1 37 p. m. Tarboro 2 45 p. m. Weldon 4 33 p. m. Petersburg 6 22 p. m. Richmond 7 15 p. m. Norfolk 6 05 p. m. Washington 11 30 pm. Baltimore 1 06 a. m. Philadelphia 3 50 a. m. New York 6 53 a. m. Boston 3 00 p. m.

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SOUTHBOUND.

DAILY No 55—Passenger, Due Lake

4 0 p. m. Waccamaw 5 09 p. m. Chadbourne 5 41 p. m. Marion 6 43 p. m. Florence 7 25 p. m. Sumter 9 10 p. m. Columbia 10 30 p. m. Denmark 6 12 a. m. Augusta 7 55 a. m. Macon 11 15 a. m. Atlanta 12 25 p. m. Charleston 10 50 p. m. Savannah 1 50 a. m. Jacksonville 7 30 a. m. St. Augustine 10 30 am. Tampa 5 25 pm.

ARRIVALS AT WILMINGTON—

FROM THE NORTH.

DAILY No. 49.—Passenger—Boston

5 40 P. M. 7 1 03 pm. New York 9 00 pm. Philadelphia 12 05 am. Baltimore 2 50 am. Washington 4 30 am. Richmond 9 05 am. Petersburg 10 00 am. Norfolk 11 52 am. Tarboro 12 12 pm. Rocky Mount 12 47 pm. Wilson 2 37 pm. Goldsboro 3 20 pm. Warsaw 4 17 pm. Magnolia 4 24 pm.

DAILY No. 51.—Passenger—Leave

7 30 a. m. Boston 12 00 night. New York 9 30 am. Philadelphia 12 09 pm. Baltimore 2 25 pm. Washington 3 46 pm. Richmond 7 30 pm. Petersburg 8 12 pm. Norfolk 2 20 pm. Weldon 9 4 am. Tarboro 3 01 pm. Rocky Mount 5 40 am. Leave Wilson 6 22 am. Goldsboro 7 01 am. Warsaw 7 53 am. Magnolia 8 05 am.

DAILY No. 51.—Passenger—Leave

except New Bern 9 00 am, Jacksonville 10 26 am. This train 12 15 P. M. arrives at Walnut street.

FROM THE SOUTH.

DAILY No. 54.—Passenger—Leave

1 20 P. M. Tampa 8 10 am. Sanford 3 27 pm. Jacksonville 7 40 pm. Savannah 1 45 night. Charleston 6 23 am. Columbia 6 00 am. Atlanta 8 20 am. Macon 9 00 am. Augusta 3 30 pm. Denmark 4 25 pm. Sumter 8 08 am. Florence 9 58 am. Marion 10 36 am. Chadbourne 11 38 am. Lake Waccamaw 12 09 am.

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Train on Midland N. C. branch leave

Goldsboro daily, except Sunday, 7 10 a. m. arriving Smithfield 8 30 a. m. Returning leaves Smithfield 9 00 a. m., arrives at Goldsboro 10 25 a. m.

Trains on Latta branch, Florence R

leave Latta 6 40 p. m., arrive Dunbar 7 50 p. m., Clio 8 05 p. m. Returning leave Clio 6 10 a. m., Dunbar 6 30 a. m., arrive Latta 7 50 a. m., daily except Sunday.

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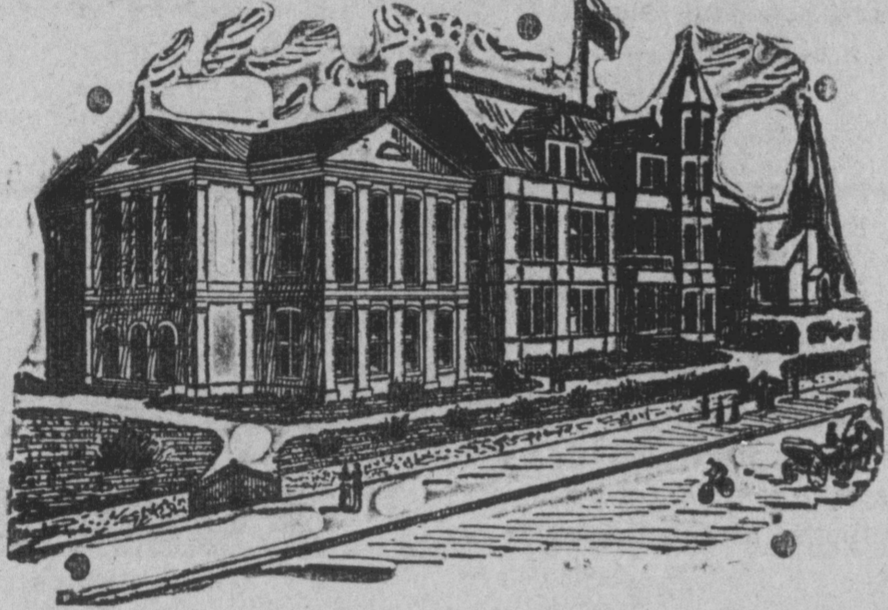
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DAILY REFLECTOR.

Weather Bulletin.

Partly cloudy weather with shower tonight. Wednesday generally fair.

ATTEMPTED ROBBERY.

M. R. Lang's Store Broken Into.

About 2 o'clock Monday night as watchman R. M. Kenned / was making his rounds he found a colored man sitting on the stoop to the rear door of Mr. M. R. Lang's store. Noticing closely he saw that the door was slightly ajar. He asked the man what the door was doing unfastened, when the latter raised up and coughed. This seemed to be a signal for someone on the inside, for almost instantly another colored man rushed out the door and the two ran off. The watchman sent a shot or two after them, but without stopping them.

Mr. Lang was notified of what had taken place and went down to investigate. It was found that the robbers had used a part of a buggy spring and prized open a window, and after getting inside opened the door, one of them standing watch. The money drawer was broken open and about a dollar in small change and pennies was taken. The only interference with the stock was several pairs of shoes had been placed out on the counter as if the robber had been picking over them for a pair that would fit. Some clothing left in a trunk in the private room to the store was also scattered over the floor. Nothing so far has been missed except the change from the money drawer. Doubtless the timely appearance of watchman Kennedy stopped them from taking anything.

Go to Lang's Cash House and secure bargains, as he is selling his entire stock at cost.

A MAN SHOT

While Resisting an Officer

Zeno Adams, colored, undertook to show more independence Monday than is good to display even on the 4th of July. He came to town to take part in celebrating with the hundreds of darkies who were here, but was not inclined to be as orderly as most of the others. During the afternoon he had a fuss with W. L. Brewer in which he used a knife on the latter. Brewer went to the Court House and swore out a warrant for Adams, and Deputy Sheriff R. D. Harrington went out to serve it. About 5 o'clock the officer found Adams in a crowd down near Five Points. He would not serve the warrant in the crowd, but called Adams to one side. As the warrant was being read it was noticed that Adams stood with his hand resting on his hip pocket. As the reading was finished Officer Harrington told him to come to the Court House. By this time Adams had his knife out and said with an oath that he would not go anywhere, and started to use his knife on the officer. Harrington drew his gun and told Adams to put up his knife. Refusing to do this, the officer fired at Adams' feet thinking to make him yield. Adams then advanced when the officer fired again, the ball taking effect in the left knee, Harrington taking a step or two backward in the meantime. Even this failed to stop Adams, he continued advancing with his knife drawn, when the officer fired again striking him in the side.

After the third shot from the officer Adams turned and walked off down the street. Knowing that he was wounded others went after him and took him to a physician, who found the wound in the side to be a bad one though not necessarily dangerous.

A large crowd of colored people gathered around the scene of the shooting and many of them were heard making threats. However, no further trouble occurred.

The wounded man is getting on fairly well.

HOT STUFF.

Is What These Folks Say of the Weather.

N. H. Whitfield has returned from Oxford.

F. G. Whaley left this morning for Halifax.

Dr. C. J. O'Hagan left this morning for Weldon.

W. H. Cox came over this morning from Kiaston.

A. C. Holloman returned Monday evening from a visit to Lewiston.

S. Parker spent last night here and left this morning for Pinetown.

Mrs. J. W. Higgs left this morning for Rocky Mount to visit her parents.

Miss Jennie Dixon, of Rocky Mount, who has been visiting here, returned home today.

Prof. W. H. Ragsdale returned this morning from Bethel where he went to install the Odd Fellow officers.

Rev. N. Harding, of Washington, will preach in the Episcopal church here Wednesday evening at 8:15 o'clock.

Always on Top.

The Planters Warehouse gets the first new tobacco of the season. J. W. Tucker brought us a lead of primings today, 2nd. He gets a good price for it, as all other farmers will who bring their tobacco to the Planters.

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BETHEL ITEMS

BETHEL, N. C., July 4th, 1898.

D. H. James, of Pactolus, spent Saturday and Sunday here.

D. W. Corey went to Williamston Sunday and returned this morning.

Mrs. Malena Ward and Misses Malena Davenport, Maggie Nelson, Mollie Bryan, Mabel Barnhill, Nannie Ward and Caddy James and Prof. C. H. James attended the Teachers' institute at Greenville last week.

M. C. S. Cherry, John Staton, D. C. Moore and son, Thomas, went to Greenville Friday.

Geo. B. Hughes, of Greenville, was here last week looking after the tobacco interest.

Rev. B. B. Culbreth and son Marvin, and M. O. Blount attended the Methodist District Conference at Elm City last week.

C. E. Philpot and wife and little Dan Taylor are sick with fever.

T. E. Carson and Miss Daisy James were married by Rev. B. B. Culbreth at the residence of the bride's father W. J. James, on Wednesday, June 22nd, at 6 o'clock, p. m.

At the meeting of Bethel Lodge No. 142, I. O. O. F. held last Wednesday night, the following officers were elected for the ensuing term, viz: N. G. —S M Jones, V G—W H Jenkins RS—D C Moore, F S—J R Ward, Treas—M O Blount. They were installed tonight by District Deputy Grand Master W. H. Ragsdale, of Greenville.

The dry weather is damaging the tobacco crop greatly in this section. Some of our farmers are curing.

A refreshing shower fell here this afternoon.

Our entire stock must be sold out within 30 days.

LANG'S CASH HOUSE.

Lieut. Wm. E. Shipp, of this State, was among the officers reported killed in the battle at Santiago Saturday. North Carolina is giving the lives of some of her best men in this war.

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FLAG PRESENTED TO CO. E.

From the Raleigh Post we clip the following account of the flag presentation to Co. E., Pitt County Rifles, on Sunday:

After the conclusion of the dress parade and while the line of battalion and company officers had saluted the Colonel the stand of national colors presented by the ladies of Pitt county to Company E, of Greenville, was presented. Col. Burgwyn dismounted and moved towards the regiment, the line of officers facing about so as to face the regiment. Company E was marched to the front of the regiment and Col. Burgwyn, presented it with the flag. The Colonel said:

"Captain Smith, Officers and Soldiers of the Pitt County Rifles of the Second Regiment N. C. Volunteer Infantry:

"Gentlemen—Owing to the temporary indisposition of the Adjutant General of the State, our valued Lieutenant Colonel, A. D. Cowles, I have been requested to act for him and present you this beautiful flag, a gift from the ladies and your other friends of Greenville.

"I read this letter transmitting the flag:

"In the beautiful language of this letter, this flag is a token of the love confidence and best wishes of those you have left behind. It is given with the knowledge that the time will come when you will be called upon to bear aloft its silken folds proudly in the ordeal of battle; and the confidence is expressed that in that hour you will acquit yourselves with honor.

Your fathers on countless fields of carnage carried in triumph the flag under which they fought, and you,

their sons, will do the same the flag of our reunited country.

The patriotic women of the days of 1861 gave up their loved ones to follow in the steps of your sires, and in obedience to your country's call do battle in behalf of humanity and civilization.

"Whether on land or on the seas whether at home or abroad, wherever that flag is ordered to go you will follow; cheered by the thought that your loved ones at home are praying for your safety and that when you return proudly from the fields of your fame, you will be welcomed with outstretched arms and beaming eyes by the loved ones at home."

J. T. Smith accepted the flag on behalf of the company. His is the color company of the regiment. Hundreds of people gathered near to see this spectacle and the flag was cheered and paid all the honors. The Colonel then reviewed the regiment which marched past in platoons and in handsome style.

Colored Troops to Camp.

C. C. Forbes, who has been raising colored volunteers here, has received orders from the Adjutant General to move his men to camp at Fort Macon. He leaves with forty men Wednesday morning.

Home Guard Needed

By now our people ought to be seeing the necessity of organizing a home guard so as to have protection at home. The trouble here Monday afternoon came near resulting in serious disturbance, and there is no telling when there might be an attempt to carry out some of the very foolish threats made. The presence of military a company has a very quieting effect on disorder.

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