

Hon. Spencer Adams, chairman of the Republican executive committee in this State, made a speech in Asheville on Saturday of last week, which the Industrial News says sounded the keynote of the State campaign.

If the Republican party has increased the price of bull calves ten times the price in 1896 and the price of sheep four times that which prevailed in 1896, then Mr. Spencer Adams, the head of the Republican party in this State, should tell wage earners in the mills and factories of the State why it is that the Republican party does not also show the same favoritism to the over-worked wage earner.

They call Judge Adams' Asheville speech a "Keynote speech." It will no doubt be remembered as the "Bull Calf" speech, because of the remarkable declaration that "Calves that were bringing \$1.50 in 1896 are now worth from \$10 to \$15 apiece."

Marion Butler has begun his performance again in North Carolina. This time he broke loose at Pittsboro at the recent Republican convention in Chatham county at which ex-congressman Atwater opened the ball with prayer.

Judge Adams in his "Keynote" speech says the Democrats believe nothing, have no plans, no policies, no fixed purpose except to get into office, etc. At the very moment that Mr. Adams was making this statement, the Republican leaders of his own county were in session engaged in a furious row over the spoils of office and the Guilford county Republican executive committee was voting the county chairman out of office all on account of a row and a quarrel over the Greensboro postoffice.

If the price of bull calves and increased from four to the price in 1896, no and it out.

CLARK HOWELL IN DEFEAT.

Clark Howell, the day after his defeat for the nomination for Governor of Georgia published a long editorial in his paper, the Atlanta Constitution, closing with the following: "Now that it is all over, the best thing for us all to do is to accept the result and pull together for the welfare of the state."

Republican ringsters and their hirelings and booties and toudies who, like dogs, eat crumbs from the table of their masters will no doubt be heard to say this or that influence controlled the peoples convention on last Saturday.

If the tariff policy of the Republican party has increased the price of veal and mutton from four to ten times the prices in 1896, then Judge Adams should tell our laboring population why it is the Republican party does not increase the wages paid laboring men in some reasonable ratio as compared with the food he eats.

CUBAN SITUATION.

W. W. Price, writing to the Charlotte Observer, infers that despite the outward indifference in the Department of State at Washington evidences of activity regarding the situation in Cuba have cropped out.

President Palma has a good big task before him in quelling the rebellion even if he is able to do it at all, and indications seem to permit that the United States government will compel peace with American soldiers.

Another question that has arisen is whether or not President Roosevelt would recommend the annexation of Cuba to the United States, should conditions there become so bad that American troops would have to be sent in to preserve order.

Others believe that interference by the United States would strain the relations between this country and England, in as much as Cuba has been flirting with England ever since they were given their independence.

The visit of Gen. J. Franklin Bell, Chief of the Staff of the Army, and Assistant Secretary of State Bacon, to Oyster bay this week is significant that conditions in diplomatic circles are disturbed.

Mrs. J. B. Hamlet, an aged and highly respected lady, died at her home in North Asheboro Tuesday afternoon. She had been in declining health for some time.

DEATH OF MRS. KING.

A Beautiful Christian Character Called to Eternal Rest. Mrs. King, wife of Mr. James A. King, of Why Not, departed this life August 22, 1906. Her remains were carried to Why Not Cemetery for interment on August 23d.

WEST RAMSEUR.

Death of two Children—Daughter of Dr. Tate III. Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Forrester, who were called to the home of J. A. King, at Why Not, to attend the funeral and burial of Mrs. J. A. King who died suddenly on the 22nd, returned Saturday.

CHAPTER ORGANIZED.

Organization perfected by the Election of Officers Last Week. Several of the ladies of Asheboro met at the home of Mrs. J. V. Hunter last week and organized a chapter of Daughters of Confederate, with the following as officers:

Those women entitled to membership are the widows, wives, mothers, sisters, nieces, and lineal descendants of such men as served honorably in the Confederate army, Navy or Civil Service, or of those persons who loyally gave material aid to the cause; also women and their lineal descendants, wherever living, who can give proof of personal service and loyal aid to the Southern cause during the war.

Mr. and Mrs. George Lamb and Mr. Will M. Lamb, of Greensboro, are at the Parker House. Mr. Carson English, of Columbia, S. C. is here on a visit to his mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Fountain, who have been spending the summer at Montreat, stopped over a day or two with Mrs. Meeks, on the way to their home in Eastern North Carolina.

W. H. Watkins, of Ramseur, spent last Tuesday night in Troy. Crisis Shaw, of New Hope Academy, spent several days in Troy last week.

Death of Mr. Kennedy. Albert W. Kennedy, of Miller's Mills, Trinity township, died August 19th, aged 51 years. He had been in declining health for several months, suffering with consumption.

Will Coffin and Sherman Ridge returned Tuesday from Jackson Springs.

CONDENSED FOR BUSY READERS.

Because Alf. Scott, abused his wife at Serepta, Miss., his daughter, Manie, killed him with an axe. W. C. Denny, of High Point, has purchased a home at Greensboro and will move his family there at once.

T. M. Harris, of Lexington, died at St. Leo's Hospital at Greensboro Friday, aged 77 years. Death was caused by apoplexy.

Miss Maude Spon, of near Greensboro, is visiting the Misses Hendricks on Sunset Ave. Rev. N. R. Richardson will begin a series of revival services at Worthville Sunday night.

Solicitor Mark W. Brown, of the sixteenth judicial district, has been nominated to succeed himself by the Republican Convention in that district.

Will Blount, upon whom was found a conductor's ticket punch, was arrested at Greensboro Thursday last charged with robbing the depot at Greensboro.

Bob Pinnix, a white man, of Swam Creek section, Yadkin county, while drunk Friday, unmercifully beat his wife with a sunflower stalk, breaking two ribs. Her condition is critical.

The new armored cruiser North Carolina will be launched on the 6th of next October. Ohio Democrats endorse Wm. J. Bryan for president in 1908.

John Babes, a negro, was lynched last week in Florida for the murder of Capt. Hughes, a prominent citizen of Polk county. From Oyster Bay, N. Y., President Roosevelt has issued a proclamation appealing for aid for the earth quake-stricken people of Chile.

The negroes of Forsyth county will hold their annual county fair at Fairview Park September 26, 27 and 28. There are 133 premiums offered, 77 in the agricultural department and 56 in the woman's department.

Sheriff Linehouse, of Dorchester county, S. C., has been indicted by order of Gov. Heyward, for not making an effort to protect Wm. Spain, the negro lynched at St. George last Thursday.

R. L. Yates, for months mourned as dead has sent a post card to his father at Danville Va., saying he is going West. He disappeared March 13th and it was thought he met a violent death.

W. G. Pennington, we learn, raised 950 bushels of wheat this year, and that on land where very little was raised ten years ago. Mr. Pennington is one of our best farmers.—Thomasville Times.

J. D. Dorsett, D. G. Fox, Jno. and Jim Fox, Bas Parks and wife left Monday for Morhead City. Ed Riggsbee and Robah Noewood, of Bynum, have been visiting friends here for several days.—Siler City Grit.

Greensboro Unionists are making elaborate preparation for labor day celebration September 3d. In the suit of Thompson-Bonney Co., vs High Point, for balance of \$1,271 due on a dynamo and electrical supplies the plaintiff was awarded \$1,248 in Guilford Superior Court last week.

Henry Wade, a trusted negro of the Galloway Drug Co., of Greensboro, stole \$80 from his employer's safe last week and skipped. He was located at Burlington where he had been arrested for drunkenness. When he is released there he will be taken to Greensboro for trial.

The report that Blackburn has begun proceedings against District Attorney Holton for the purpose of having him removed from office was confirmed last week. It is charged that Holton induced witnesses to sign affidavits containing false statements to be used against Blackburn in his trial at Greensboro several months ago.

Work was begun last week on the two-story business block being erected by D. L. Arey, at Salisbury. This building will replace the unsightly shanties on Lee Street, between Council and Liberty streets.

Mrs. C. E. Cline was electrocuted while talking over a telephone at her home at Sandy Hook, Md., Friday. The telephone wires had been crossed by those of the Harpers Ferry Electric Co. between the Ferry and Brunswick.

Vice President Fairbanks and Booker T. Washington were guests of honor at the Colored State Fair, of Ohio Saturday.

Mrs. Alvira Kincaid, worth \$75,000, an active church member and Aid Society leader, has been arrested at Buck, West Va., charged with running a distillery in a cave under her house with a capacity of 10 barrels of whiskey a day.

It is reported that the Vega Suit Case and Bag Co., of Philadelphia, will establish a trunk factory at Lexington. Rowan Superior Court is in session this week, but so far none of the important cases have been called.

The Lyerly murderers, three in number, are to be tried at this term, besides the lynchers. Judge Ferguson and Solicitor Hammer are disposing of the minor cases with dispatch.

The Hon. Leslie M. Shaw, Secretary of the Treasury of the United States, will speak in North Carolina on the 11th and 12th of September. He will be at either Salisbury or Statesville, whichever place Mr. E. Spencer Blackburn thinks he can do him the most good, on the 11th at d at Asheville, the next day. On the 13th he will speak in Tenn-see.

Four hundred delinquent poll tax payers and \$200,000 of unlisted property have been brought to light by an investigation by the Spencer aldermen.

WILL LOCATE PERMANENTLY.

Mr. J. G. Parks Has Bought Out T. B. Tysor & Son. Moore County News.

Mr. J. G. Parks of Hallison yesterday purchased the T. B. Tysor & Son, stock of goods, at Carthage, which he is now packing and will send it to Randolph county. Mr. Parks has also bought the B. B. Phillips house and lot and will move his family here soon.

Mr. Parke is a fine business man and has the ability and capital to conduct a large and successful mercantile business here. Mrs. A. D. Sharrin died at her home at Carthage Monday night, after an illness of about two weeks with fever; aged 79 years.

By an unfortunate mistake of the printer the Confederate Reunion was posted last week for the 8th instead of the first of September. New posters have been sent out this week. So all who read this item are requested to inform all old soldiers and their friends who can be spoken to that Saturday, September 1st, is the correct date.

WATCH!

When Our Buyer Returns From Northern Markets We'll Have Something to Interest You. Morris - Scarborough - Moffitt - Co. DR. D. K. LOCKHART, DENTIST, Asheboro, N. C.

Advertisement for Morris - Scarborough - Moffitt - Co. featuring a watch and dental services. Includes text: "When Our Buyer Returns From Northern Markets We'll Have Something to Interest You." and "DR. D. K. LOCKHART, DENTIST, Asheboro, N. C."