

ISSUED EVERY THURSDAY.

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The electric chair staves Henry Clay Beattie, Jr., in the face. The Court of Appeals of the State of Virginia having decided against him.

The Government trust-busting business is a sham. The Republican party is not going to commit the unnatural act of destroying its children.

The merciless slaughter of many thousands of women and children in China by the revolutionists is horrible. It would not be unseemly for the nations of the earth to interfere.

A mail and passenger train, Southbound, was wrecked Tuesday morning a few miles South of Reidsville. Will Kinney, the engineer was killed, and a number of passengers were more or less injured.

Last Saturday a cold wave swept the middle West, in which the thermometer dropped about 60 degrees in 18 hours. Here the mercury fell 30 degrees Saturday and Sunday.

Whites Increase Faster Than Colored Race.

Washington Dispatch. That the negro population of the United States is increasing less rapidly than it did in previous decades and much less rapidly than the white race is shown by census figures published last week.

The white rate of increase, of course, includes immigration. When the 5,000,000 white persons who entered the United States are deducted from the increase from 1900 to 1910 the rate of increase drops to 15 per cent.

Of the total population of the South in 1910 the whites constituted 69.9 per cent, and the negroes 30.1 per cent, as compared with 67.4 and 32.6 per cent, respectively, in 1900, and with 65.9 and 34.1 per cent, respectively, in 1880.

Good Management of Penitentiary Farms.

Superintendent Laughinghouse, of the State prison, gives the statement that on the farms this year he has made fifteen hundred bales of cotton on fifteen hundred acres, enough corn and sorghum to last nearly two years, enlarged the buildings for stock and forage, and done much work in putting up dykes on Roanoke river so as to make possible a bigger crop next year.

A dispatch from Arkansas, dated Friday, says 700 persons, practically the entire population of Gentry, Ark., were looking for C. A. Catron, cashier of the Bank of Gentry, which failed Thursday with liabilities of \$160,000 and assets estimated at \$128,000.

Statistical Report of the Presbyterian Synod.

Charlotte Observer. A statistical report submitted and accepted showed that the total amount raised by all the churches in the synod for the ecclesiastical year just closed was \$569,459. There are 217 ministers, 466 churches with 45,966 communicants, 4 licentiates, 137 candidates, 2,294 communicants added on profession of faith and 1,862 by certificate.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh of the Bladder.

As mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reliable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good they can possibly derive from them.

With throats cut, the bodies of Jacob Lutz, aged 75, and his wife aged 70, were found lying in pools of their own blood at their homes at Gallant, Ala., one day last week.

Relief in Six Hours.

Distressing Kidney and Bladder Disease relieved in six hours by the "NEW GREAT SOUTH AMERICAN KIDNEY CURE." It is a great surprise on account of its exceeding promptness in relieving pain in bladder, kidneys and back, in male or female.

Gov. Kitchen has named December 13 as the date for the execution of L. M. Sandlin, of Wilmington, under sentence of death for wife murder.

English Spavin Liniment removes Hard, Soft and Calloused Lumps and Blisters from horses, also Blood Spavins, Curbs, Splints, Sweeney, Ring Bone, Stiffness, Swollen Throats, Coughs, etc. Save \$50 by use of one bottle.

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EX-CANDIDATE BANQUETS HIMSELF.

Wilkes-Barre, Pa., Nov. 9.—John J. McDevitt, of this city, who, running as a joke for county treasurer, received the Democratic nomination and afterward received a substantial inducement to withdraw from the ticket, tendered himself a banquet at a hotel here in appreciation of his political strength.

\$100.—Dr. E. Detehann's Anti Diuretic may be worth to you more than \$100 if you have a child who soils bedding from incontinence of water during sleep.

A reign of terror exists in the vicinity of Lewisburg and Arcadia, about four miles north of Birmingham, Ala., as a result of recent assassinations for which so far no arrests have been made because it is reported that the community is intimidated into not giving information.

The Bookkeeper or Stenographer who has the recommendation of the Mountain State Business College, Parkersburg, W. Va., can always secure employment.

In Raleigh, Sept. 8, the automobile of Henry Clark Bridges, of Tarboro, ran over and severely injured Emma Hamilton, little daughter of R. S. Hamilton.

"I do not believe there is any other medicine so good for whooping cough as Chamberlain's Cough Remedy," writes Mrs. Francis Turpin, Junction City, Ore.

While it is impossible to secure official information relative to the robbery, it is learned that a registered package disappeared from the United States mail at Lynchburg some time Friday night, October 27, and postal inspectors are now desperately hunting for the \$20,000 contained in the package.

English Spavin Liniment removes all hard, soft or calloused lumps and blisters from horses, blood spavins, curbs, splints, sweeney, ringbone, stifles, sprains, all swollen throats, coughs, etc.

Recently Policeman Bissonette, of Chicago, died and it was suspected that he was poisoned. Mrs. Louise Vermilya was suspected of administering the poison and investigation caused the further suspicion that the woman had poisoned eight other persons, although the evidence is by no means conclusive.

Starts Much Trouble. If all people knew that neglect of constipation would result in severe indigestion, yellow jaundice or "broken" liver, trouble they would soon take Dr. King's New Life Pills, and end it.

The 51st annual session of the Western North Carolina Conference of the African Methodist Episcopal Zion Church, was in session at Salisbury last week, Bishop Clinton presiding.

North Carolina News.

While bear hunting in the swamps of Beaufort county a few days ago, two men mistook Frank Allen, another hunter, for a bear and both fired on him at the same time.

Wednesday night, last week, while a negro wedding was being celebrated near Tillery, Halifax county, a negro named Will Pink was clubbed and stabbed, from the effects of which he died.

A correspondent of the Greenville Reflector says a colored man in Halifax county is the father of 36 children and that 32 of them are living with him.

The Sanford Express says that David McNeill, colored, was shot and instantly killed by his 15-year-old son, Will McNeill, at his home near Lemon Springs, a few days ago.

J. K. Beatty, an actor, was shot to death in the outskirts of Fort Worth, Texas, while walking with Mrs. Carl Robinson and a second later the woman was slain.

H. M. Rosemond, for the past 30 years a resident of Durham and one of its most substantial citizens, dropped dead on the street in that town Friday.

Rev. B. L. Padgett, a Holiness preacher, who some months ago abducted or eloped with Miss Carrie Stockton, a young girl of King's Mountain, was convicted in Cleveland county Superior Court last week and sentenced to two years in the State prison.

Former Governor Charles B. Aycock is quoted as saying that he is getting mighty tired of the report that seems to be persistently circulated through the State that he will withdraw from the race for the United States Senate.

The discussion of tariff schedules in Congress and probable action in the near future reducing duties was responsible for the \$19,000,000 decrease in customs receipts for the fiscal year 1911.

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Francis M. Cockrell of Missouri served thirty years as United States senator and five years as an interstate commerce commissioner.

Mr. Robert Ball, the famous astronomer, is to give up lecturing and will in future devote himself entirely to astronomical research at the Cambridge observatory.

J. Pierpont Morgan, Jr., has purchased Aldenham Abbey, in Hertfordshire, from Dugald Stuart. Mr. Morgan will rechristen the place Wall Hall, which was its original name.

Umpire Bob Emalle lives in Guelph, Ont. He was a pitcher from 1882 to 1887, his last umpiring in 1893.

Charles E. Johnson, the new Democratic United States senator from Maine, is fifty-two years of age, and the length of his active service in the party is indicated by the fact that he was its candidate for governor twenty years ago.

Representative Gilbert M. Hitchcock, who has been elected Democratic senator from Nebraska, will have the unique distinction of wearing a senatorial top that once rested on the shoulders of his father, though his father's bore the Republican label.

Japanese Festivals. The Japanese festivals are usually remembered: First of first month, the new year; third of third month, feast of dolls; for girls; first of sixth month, feast of flags; for boys; seventh of seventh month, the day for the god and goddess of love; Tomabito; ninth of ninth month, the "scape to the moon"; the feast of chrysanthemums. The latter is not now generally observed.

FALL and WINTER Opening

Goodman's Clothing Store BURLINGTON N. C.



Our Stock of Men's and Boys' Clothing and Overcoats is now in full bloom. We also carry a big line of Laidies' Tailor-made Suits, Ladies', Misses' and Children's Jackets, Dry Goods, Notions, Shoes and Hats.

Valuable Farming Lands For Sale NEAR HAW RIVER

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This land is in a high state of cultivation and will produce from 25 to 35 bushels of wheat to the acre. The new macadam road runs right through it.

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Morrow, Bason & Green BURLINGTON, N. C.

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The Royal Society Embroidery. Now is a good time to get your Christmas gifts made. Don't delay and be rushed. Ask to see the Muslin Underwear. MORROW, BASON & GREEN, (Inc.) Burlington, N. C.

That advancement of public intelligence will soon stifle corruption in big business and government and reorganize the economic and political affairs of the country upon a basis of honesty and progress, was the general theme and conclusion of a speech by Gov. Kitchen at a banquet of traveling men in Norfolk Saturday night, where the Governor spoke by invitation.

Mr. Wyatt Wiggins, a farmer of Harnett county, was killed instantly Wednesday, last week, by being caught on the line shaft of his gin.

ARNOLD'S BALSAM. Warranted to Cure Cholera Morbus by Graham Drug Co., Graham, N. C. MOTHER GRAY'S SWEET POWDERS FOR CHILDREN.

Taxes for the year 1911 are now due. For the purpose of collecting same I will attend in person, or be represented by deputy, at the following places, on dates named:

- Pleasant Grove Tp., Stainback's Store, Tuesday, Nov. 14, 10 to 11 a.m.
" " Dalley's Store, Tuesday, Nov. 14, 11 to 2.
" " E. C. Murray's Store, Tuesday, Nov. 14, 3 to 5.
Faucett Tp., Levi Aldridge's Store, Wednesday, Nov. 15, 9 to 2.
" " E. Long's Store, Wednesday, Nov. 15, 3 to 5.
Coble's Tp., Alamance Factory, Thursday, Nov. 16, 10 to 1.
" " Patterson's Mill, Thursday, Nov. 16, 1 to 3.
" " Bellemont, Thursday, Nov. 16, 4 to 6.
Boon Station Tp., Elon College, Friday, Nov. 17, 9 to 2.
" " Ossipee Mills, Friday, Nov. 17, 3 to 6.
Morton's Tp., Altamahaw Mills, Tuesday, Nov. 21, 9 to 2.
" " Morton's Store, Tuesday, Nov. 21, 3 to 5.
Albright's Tp., Eureka School House, Wednesday, Nov. 22, 10 to 2.
Melville Tp., Mebane, W. A. Murray's Store, Thurs., Nov. 23, 10 to 6.
Thompson Tp., Saxapahaw, Friday, Nov. 24, 10 to 2.
" " Swopeville, Friday, Nov. 24, 3 to 6.
Burlington Tp., Freeman's Drug Store, Saturday, Nov. 25.
Haw River Tp., Anderson & Simpson's Store, Mon., Nov. 27, 10 to 9.
" " Trollingwood, Monday, Nov. 27, 3 to 5.
Patterson's Tp., Rufus Foster's Store, Tuesday, Nov. 28, 10 to 1.
" " J. E. Stroud's Store, Tuesday, Nov. 28, 2 to 5.
Newlin's Tp., Snow Camp, Wednesday, Nov. 29, 9 to 1.
" " Holman's Mills, Wednesday, Nov. 29, 2 to 5.
" " Sutphin's Mill, Thursday, Nov. 30, 9 to 3.

The books are open now, and will be found open at the Court House at all times. Under the new law this call is thirty days later than in former years, and in view of this fact you should be prepared to meet these appointments. These taxes are due, and now is the best and easiest time to pay, and it is your duty as a good citizen to discharge this obligation promptly.

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