W. N. H. SHITH, OF WARE,

FOR ASSOCIATES: THOS. S. ASHE. OF ANSON.

INO. H. DELLARD,

OF SULLYOND.

THE RALEIGH OBSERVER. The course of the paper whose name heads this article, in connection with the contest for the Federal Senstorship has for some time past been as object of seemingly great interest to certain other journals, which other journals pretend to thick that the Observer is only shamming neutrality and is really being worked in the interests of Judge Merrimon. Now we are free to confess that an investigation into the motives and personal wishes of any man, whether the editor of a paper or other, is as arrant a piece of folly as an inquiry into the authorship of Junius Juring, a hot campaigne, but our love for fair play forces us to take a hand in the game so far as to say, that the record of the men who direct the course of the "Observer" is such, that their pardoned for saying that we certainly will simple assertion carries with it more weight than do great oaths of many others, and that he who believes or pretends to believe that either William L. Saunders or Peter M. Hale is accusted by any motives other than those they profess must be either a knave or a fool.

THE TOWN'S HEALTH.

presides over the local fortunes of this the contest in this year, as it was in the paper having insisted on putting editor- year when we went through our fiercest ials in his columns, we trust we may be trial. The township committees must pardoned for adverting somewhat to see that the voters are registered, and local matters on our editorial page, and that ballots are at the polling places the text from which we desire to ready to be put in the boxes; and that preach is the absolute necessity of sau- they are put in. The county commititary police regulations for the town of tees must see that the township com-Weldon.

under the fierce rays of a July sun, solution to think that it is our own fault, polite and attentive sending up exhalations filled with the seeds of disease and death, is exposed. Fried meat row is still in a condition thoroughfare of the town is in a condi. the following valuable and noteworthy BEDFORD ALUMA IRON SPRINGS WATER tion that renders skilful pilotage neces ary contents : The Future of Asiatic Tur- "Efficient for throat diseases." -- Dr. Carto cross it. The vacant lots in the bottom are in such a condition as delys decent. Adventures of Lord Beaconsfield, part of N. C. "Unequaled for Serofalous affection." to cross it. The vacant lots in the bottom key, Fortnightly Review; The Political "Specific in description and from various quarters of the suburbs the effivia from dead and decaying animals makes life a burden, and then makes amends by making and then makes amends by making animals makes animal it short. Now we have purposely resheets: Johnson's Lives, by Matthews Viavalue
Arnoid, Macmillan; A Doubting Heart, "Rogula" frained from knowing whose duty it is a new serial by Miss Keary, author of Christian of Va. to look after the sanitary condition of the charming story, "Castle Daly," etc., "Purifies the Blood"—Dr. Langhorne, the town lost we should be open to the just begun from advance sheets; Mr. "Successful in Dyspepsia"—Prof. Jackcharge of making a personal attack | Fronde's "Life and Times of Thomas on Univ. of Pa. | Becket." by Edward A. Freeman, part "Has no equal for Chilis"—Rev. Elison upon such officer, but we must insint in III, Contemporary Review; Daisy Mil. C. Dodson, Va. "Excellent Tonic and Diuretic"-Med the interest of the public health that ler, a Study, Corshill; On Jewish Asso, of Va. Live Broadstism before the War of Titus, by Unsurpossed for discasses peculiar to Unsurpossed for this matter shall be attended to and at Prosclytism before the War of Titus, by Woman, John P. Metteaur, M. D. L. L. once. Let the beard of Commissioners, if they have not already done so, ap. noint an officer to look after these mat.

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the power of speech, there was a cer- lany. tain tiger, who had for a long time been the terror of the forest, but, becoming 3000 pages a year) the subscription disabled by old age, he was like to per- price (8) is low; or for \$10.50 any one ish by starration. In this juncture he had an advertisement inserted in the less is sent with The Living Age for a county paper stating, that he had be. price [8] is low; or for \$10.50 any one said and retail dealers. Analysis and directions with each package. Full proof of sit claimed sent free upon application county paper stating, that he had be. county paper stating, that he had be. year, both post-naid. Littell & Gay, come convinced of the error of his ways, and that he desired all the animals of whose relatives he had killed any, to To the Voters of t alifax County. come to his den in order that he might seek their foregiveness. The foolish beasts were taken in by these protesta- and colored, I have consented to betions, and one by one entered the cave come a candidate to represent you in to hear his professions of repeatance, the next Legislature in the State Senate. History is silent as to the fate of these less of race or color. Should i be elected, animals, the only thing that is definitely I will use every effort in my power to known on the subject being that none make you a good Representative. of them ever came back.

There is a lack of interest in the political campaign of this year exhibited To the Voters of Haitfax County. by the gentlamen whose duty it is to superintend the organization of the Democratic party, which re-calls the fable quoted above forcibly to our mem. colored and white I became a candidate ory. It is now barely two weeks before and have ever since been using every the day of the election and so far noth- honest effort, as a conservative, to get ing has been done nor has there been the good will of the whole people. I any symptom shown of any intention to now take this opportunity, of asying to do anything. Now we may be mis-taken, but our experience in political a candidate, and expect to remain one until the election, I therefore ask the eampaigns is not such as to justify us in votes of all regardless of race or color. thinking that elections can be carried in Simula I be elected I will use every any such way. We have been taught to believe that eternal energy is the price ficer, by a strict discharge of duty, to please all of success and we call upon our leaders to be up and doing

In the ensuing election we cannot afford to base our hopes of succe s on the apparent divisions in the camp of the enemy. These splits have heretyfore always been healed on the eve of the election and when the day for final action has come we have niways found that the Radical leaders had their forces well in hand and were prepared to put their votes where they would do most | Painting,

Nor can we afford to point to our splendid majority in the campaign of 1876 as an excuse for inaction now. It is true that in that election, we increased the vote cast for Judge Merrimon by 27,000, but we must not forget that the other party also increased its vote by about 13,000 and that out of the 110,-178 votes cast for Settle, there were at least 12,000 of white votes which had theretofore been east for Democrats or not voted. Now there can be no doubt, that the history of politics in North Carolina shows that the Republican party always holds it own at least, and, this being true, it must be apparent that any decided failing off of votes from our side may be fraught with disaster.

Another matter which may be adverted to in this connection is the resolution of the Republican executive committee not to make any contest for the State. N w this may mean exactly what it purports to, but the past record of that party is not such as gives one any overseening confilence in its honesty of purpose and we trust we may be not take a thing as true solely because the Republican Executive Committee

But this article is so rapidly reaching the length beyond which we never willingly suffer one to go, that we must of necessity cease our enuneration of the reasons, which in our opinios reader it as much the duty of our The gallant young gentleman who executive committees to prepare for mittees do their duty and must assist To begin with the side of the town them in it. The day of election is too next to the river, we find the canal close for a single moment to be wasted the basin in a condition such as calls We do not think that there is any imperatively for attention. Through danger of our defeat, but popular elecit runs a little thread of water, on each tions are things of which no man can this and the adjoining market affords. side of which at least of acre of fat predict the result and if we are beaten black must, recking with corruption and, by our own laches it will be poor con-

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