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ONE WORD MORE.

The STAR stands squarely by its statement that "THE PEOPLE of North Carolina appear to have preferred that their Governors should be men 'native and to the manner born.'"

THE PEOPLE of North Carolina have never elected a Governor who was not a native. Gov. Turner was chosen by the Legislature.

As to Capt. Coke the STAR has nothing personal against him. We do not know him, and what we have heard is favorable.

Ralph Waldo Emerson is dead. The most original and powerful intellect among the New England literati.

A gentleman living in Baltimore, where Judge Bond resides also, writes to the Day as follows: "Let the people be told the truth as to this modern Jeffreys, so that he may not by his subtle speech, and through the medium of his club and other social advantages, be able to deceive well meaning and honest citizens of both parties."

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1861-65—WHAT NORTH CAROLINA DID.

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Got Married. A correspondent informs us of the marriage, on the morning of the 17th inst., in Pender county, of Mr. A. Hanning, aged 84 years, and Mrs. Martha Wilson, aged 77 years.

Convicted from this County Killed.

The Raleigh Visitor of Wednesday says: "About 7 o'clock this morning two of the convicts (col.) at work at Cook's brickyard, just south of the city, attempted to make their escape. They were halted by the guard, but paid no attention to the demands. The guard fired on them, and Nat. Hill, from New Hanover county, was instantly killed. He had been in the penitentiary only a few months. He was sentenced to ten years." Nat. Hill was sentenced at the February term of the Criminal Court to six years in the penitentiary for swindling an old colored man from the country out of a considerable sum of money by a confidence game.

Sale of Wrecked Material at Auction. The wrecking material of the schooner Minnie, ashore on Fryin Pan Shoals, including sails, rigging, blocks, chains, etc., together with vessel and cargo, were sold at auction by Messrs. Cronly & Morris, auctioneers, yesterday morning, under inspection of the agent of the Underwriters. The schooner was knocked down to Capt. Sears, of the barque Horace Scudder, at \$2,250—cheap enough, in all conscience, for a fore-and-aft schooner. The ninety tons of Peruvian guano on board was then put up and finally sold to Capt. Sears for \$3,750. The spirit casks on board, about five hundred in number, were knocked down to Mr. Sol. Bear for \$2,500, and the sale of the material saved from the wreck was then proceeded with. At the close of the sale Messrs. Watson & Eckel purchased the vessel and guano from Capt. Sears for \$10, the latter making \$4 upon his investment.

A Kind Act. Mr. J. T. Carson did a very handsome thing in connection with the accidental shooting of Mr. Vincent on the steamer Marchion, an account of which appeared in the STAR. Learning that Mr. Vincent was a poor man dependent on his daily labor for a support, and that his wound in the arm, though not serious, would incapacitate him for work temporarily, Mr. Carson paid him a full month's wages and agreed to pay more in case he could not resume his occupation at the end of that period. This was both generous and kind in our friend "Kit."

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The Port of Wilmington.

The New York Maritime Register of April 19th has an editorial in reference to this port, a portion of which we reproduce, as follows: "Among the ports on our South Atlantic seaboard none seem more prosperous than Wilmington, N. C. Already the principal export of North Carolina, it gives promise of assuming a prominent position in the ranks of our principal ports.

The article then refers to the largely increased business for the past year, as demonstrated by the published statistics, much of which it quotes, and then continues: "Railway combinations have overlooked this port to a great extent, but the advantages which are to be found in its neighborhood will well repay enterprise. The back country wants developing. This is being done probably on a small scale every year, but there needs to be more railroads and small manufacturing started. As we said above, the port itself has been improved, and the Government is not yet through with its work at the mouth of the river.

The Lumber Business. The lumber business has become one of the most important articles of trade and export among the numerous industries which are giving Wilmington her rightful place among the prosperous and thriving commercial cities on the Atlantic coast.

Clinton and Point Caswell Railroad. We are glad to hear that the Wharf Committee, charged with the duty of soliciting subscriptions to the proposed Clinton and Point Caswell Railroad, will start out tomorrow morning for the purpose of calling upon our business men in that connection.

Foreign Shipments. The foreign shipments yesterday were as follows: The Norwegian bark Heitor, Capt. Weber, for London, with 4,293 barrels of rosin, valued at \$8,568.50.

Virginia. The Court of Appeals and the "Couple Killer." By telegraph to the Morning Star: RICHMOND, April 26.—The Court of Appeals to-day rendered judgment in the matter of Antoni vs. Greenhow, a test case to ascertain the constitutionality of the act of the General Assembly commonly known as the "couple killer," a measure of the Re-adjuster party to restrict the receipt of coupons for taxes.

Explosion in a Mill at Goldsboro. A passenger from Goldsboro informs us that the boiler of a steam saw mill located just outside of the city limits at that place exploded on Wednesday and resulted in the complete destruction of the mill and the badly wounding of several employees, four of whom (all colored) were being borne through the streets on a litter when the train passed. The mill belonged to a man named Hammond or Hyman.

Fire in Pender County. A barn belonging to the Messrs. Westbrook Bros., near Rocky Point, Pender county, was destroyed by fire a night or two since, together with its contents, consisting of fifteen hundred bushels of peanuts. The loss is estimated at \$2,500, to cover which there was insurance on the barn to the extent of \$500 and on the peanuts \$1,500.

The Register of Deeds issued seven marriage licenses during the past week, of which four were for white and three for colored couples.

STEAMBOAT HORROR.

Terrible Explosion on the Watercourse. River, S. C.—List of the Killed and Wounded, &c. The officials at the Company's office in this city received a telegram from their agent at Eastover, S. C., on the W. C. & A. R. R., giving the particulars of a terrible accident that occurred near there yesterday morning, by which a number of persons lost their lives and others were fatally wounded. It appears that a party consisting of about twenty-five or thirty persons, embarked on the U. S. steamer Marion, engaged in cleaning out the Watercourse River, for a short excursion down that stream, boarding the boat at Bates' Landing, nine miles below the Wilmington, Columbia and Augusta Railroad, at 9 a. m.

CHARLESTON, April 27.—Pleasant Adams, Joe Burton and Richard Bates (all colored) were hanged at Greenville, S. C., to-day, for burning the Academy of Music, which place on December 7th, 1878. Burton, Bates and Adams passed last night in singing and were attended to the gallows by colored ministers. Each of the condemned men made brief declarations of his innocence and gratitude to his counsel. Bates and Adams died in seventeen minutes and the man in the center, who was in attendance on the gallows, was allowed by law to be present at the execution. There was a large crowd in the streets, but no disorder, and all the arrangements were excellent.

CHARLESTON, April 29.—In the U. S. Circuit Court to-day argument was heard in the case against John T. Hogg and others, charged with obstructing qualified voters in Barwell county. Twenty-one more witnesses for the defence were examined, corroborating the testimony of those preceding them. The defence then rested and the jury began their deliberations. Judge Bond has set the argument to two hours on each side.

MINNESOTA. A Massachusetts Man Lynched for a Vile Crime at Minneapolis. By telegraph to the Morning Star: BOSTON, April 28.—A special to the Herald from St. Paul, Minn., reports the lynching by a mob at Minneapolis, at 2 o'clock this morning, of a man who gave the name of Frank McKean, and who was in jail charged with rape upon a four-year-old daughter of J. P. Spear, a prominent citizen of Minneapolis. About 4 o'clock a mob of about a hundred men, armed with knives and clubs, entered the jail, and the sheriff and took from a cell a man whom they supposed to be the one wanted, and he was fully identified. He was then hanged to an oak tree and left there. He showed no signs of fear, and said his real name was Frank Crowley, and his home in Boston. He confessed his crime, and said that he was drunk at the time.

WASHINGTON. Confirmations—The Star Route Cases. By telegraph to the Morning Star: WASHINGTON, April 28.—The Senate to-day confirmed Nicholas Fish, of New York, Minister to Belgium, and John M. Francis, of New York, Charge d'Affaires to Portugal. Ex-Assistant Postmaster General Tyler says that there is no truth in the statement of ex-Postmaster General James and ex-Artillery General MacVeagh that the mail contractors' ring presented him 3,000 shares of mining stock, or with anything else to induce his official action. A. M. Gibson makes a similar denial, and adds that the time he is said to have received the mining stock he was not in the service of the Postoffice Department, and might with propriety have purchased from these people mining stock. Gibson says that only a part of Rerdell's statement to MacVeagh and James was true, and that much of it was manufactured for the purpose of hoodwinking these officers. That Rerdell had no intention of serving the interests of justice, but only wished to redress a grievance against Dorsey and escape punishment himself. The examination of the witnesses in Rerdell's case proceeded to-day and was accompanied with a constant wrangle between the lawyers, counsel for the defence objecting to the introduction of nearly all the evidence presented, and the court steadily ruling against the objections and in favor of admitting testimony. The day was spent in presenting documents from the files of the Postoffice Department.

WASHINGTON. The Celestials Must Go—Action of the Anti-Chinese Convention. By telegraph to the Morning Star: SAN FRANCISCO, April 28.—The Anti-Chinese Convention last night adopted a plan of action which includes a scheme to divide the Pacific coast into districts, which shall be notified to remove the Chinese within a specified time. Failing in such a district to be declared dangerous and peacefully disposed citizens to be warned to abandon it, and if the Chinese are still harbored in the district a league is to remove them by force, using such force as may be necessary until the country is rid of them. The convention then elected an executive committee and adjourned sine die.

SOUTH CAROLINA.

The Barwell Case in the U. S. Court at Charleston. CHARLESTON, April 27.—In the U. S. Circuit Court to-day, the case against John T. Hogg and thirty-eight other defendants, charged with obstructing qualified voters in Barwell county, was resumed. The entire day was consumed in the examination of four witnesses for the defence. The testimony given corroborated the testimony given by defendants' witnesses yesterday. The case will certainly consume the remainder of the week.

Execution of Three Criminals at Greenville—The United States Court at Charleston. (By telegraph to the Morning Star.) CHARLESTON, April 28.—Pleasant Adams, Joe Burton and Richard Bates (all colored) were hanged at Greenville, S. C., to-day, for burning the Academy of Music, which place on December 7th, 1878. Burton, Bates and Adams passed last night in singing and were attended to the gallows by colored ministers. Each of the condemned men made brief declarations of his innocence and gratitude to his counsel. Bates and Adams died in seventeen minutes and the man in the center, who was in attendance on the gallows, was allowed by law to be present at the execution. There was a large crowd in the streets, but no disorder, and all the arrangements were excellent.

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Spirits Turpentine.

—New Bern Journal: Herrings are selling at 90 cents per hundred and plenty in the market. There is a rumor here that Col. Yates has resigned as General Manager of the Midland Railway, and that Captain A. Oaksmith will succeed him. "One story is good till another is told." The whole story, wherein one Jonah played an important part, has held the boards long enough. A modern adject now claims the honors. He writes to the Raleigh Times: "Mr. Henry Edmunds, of Charlotte county, Va., had a large red hound named Hee, which one day caught a rabbit in the field where they were eating wheat, and swallowed it without biting it. It killed the dog. The rabbit scratched out."

Winston Sentinel: The fruit crop in this section is still unimpaired. Elder Richard Foxworth, of the Church of Christ, closed a meeting at Old Mt. Zion Creek meeting house, last evening, with thirty-six additions to the church. The series of meetings at the Baptist Church this week have been very interesting. A number have professed faith in Christ, and there have been several applications for membership by the ordinance of baptism.

Fayetteville Examiner: We regret to learn that on Tuesday, the 18th inst., one Mr. John Blue's distillery, located near Blue's Crossing, was destroyed by fire, together with sheds, barrels and a considerable amount of raw material on the yard. The accident was due to a defect in the kettle. Last week some men are reported to have invaded the quiet precincts of Elizabethton. He hit sixteen dogs and eight geese, says our informant, after which he was killed. The University has been presented with 200 specimens of woods by Professor C. S. Sargent, special agent for the tenth census of the United States of Forestry. Many iron ores, minerals, coals from Tennessee, Georgia and Alabama, and tropical fruits from the island of Hawaii at the Atlanta Exposition, the Agricultural and Industrial Museum, and the Department of Physics have been enriched recently with specimens of glass, apparatus, &c.

Oxford Free Lance: The Republican Convention to nominate a candidate for Congress from this district will meet in Raleigh on Wednesday, August 2nd. We have on exhibition in this office some specimens of iron ore, and other ores from mines in various sections of Granville county, which have been examined by experts and pronounced of the very best quality. The Rev. Dr. Talmage to lecture in Oxford for the benefit of the Orphan Asylum. On Friday morning the dwelling house, kitchen and smoke house of Mr. Mortimer Sears, in Fishing Creek, was destroyed by fire, about eight miles from Oxford. The property was valued at \$10,000. We are informed by Mr. Thomas N. Womble, of Gulf township, that Mr. Nat. Lloyd was plowing in his field, a few days ago, and found a bunch of "black-snake root," which he picked up, and threw away. He said he had never seen a black snake root before, and he said he had never seen a black snake root before, and he said he had never seen a black snake root before.

Weldon News: On Wednesday night of last week Capt. Slocum's train was approaching Goldsboro, some persons threw four or five stones at one of the passenger cars, breaking two or three windows; fortunately no one was injured. We learn that the sold for the purpose of fruit, but the trees that both apple and peach, are unusually full. On Sunday morning last, while Capt. R. E. Sweeney was sitting in his store, about eight miles from here, he dropped his case, and upon attempting to pick it up found that he was helpless. It was an attack of paralysis. He became unconscious and remained so until Tuesday night, when he became better. This man had a very severe kind he had, and it is the most severe, one side being entirely useless.

Raleigh News-Observer: Adam Hill, colored, from Union county, was one of a gang of convicts employed at the penitentiary farm, that he was such yesterday, but to-day lay prostrate, resting in some way contrived to make his escape. He is black, about 25 years of age, and is under a ten years' sentence for larceny. —Granville items: On the 7th inst. Rog. Harris, colored, took a milk can from the stable of William Gregory, near Williamsboro, and on Saturday, while he was trying to sell the animal in Louisville, Sheriff H. C. Keener's suspicions were aroused, so he arrested the negro, and at Oxford court gave him five years' board at the penitentiary. Bill Johnson, colored, got six years at the same institution for making an assault on a Mrs. Allen. Elizabeth Crutts, April 26.—Sixty members of the press association met at the fishery at Avoca and the country. All well.

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