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TRIED AND ABANDONED.

We called attention to the very apposite point made by Judge Bennett at Smithville, in regard to the test made in the District of Columbia as to the wisdom and policy of giving the negroes control of local government.

CONSISTENCY.

The leaders in the present campaign, both Radicals and Mongrels, are a wonderfully inconsistent set. Glance at the Radicals. Russell, Moore, Loge Harris, Secretary of the Radical State Executive Committee.

Uniform Price in the Rice Fields.

We understand that the Brunswick rice planters have had a consultation and agreed upon a uniform price for harvesting rice, viz: Two (2) dollars per acre for cutting, binding and hocking.

Mr. J. H. Carlisle, the assistant postmaster at Whitaker's on the Wilmington and Weldon Railroad, who had both legs cut off by a train on Monday or Tuesday night last, died from his injuries on Friday evening.

Eggs were retailing yesterday at from 25 to 30 cents per dozen.

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SOUND VIEWS WITH AN APPLICATION.

Why are the negroes in the South qualified to exercise the elective franchise and to participate in all of the blessings of a free government of law, when the ignorant whites of some other lands are thought not to be qualified?

A Panic in the Wilmington Postoffice.

There was a determined effort made in Wilmington yesterday to impair the efficiency of the postal service. In fact, an attack was made upon the postoffice, corner of Second and Chestnut streets.

Foreign Exports from the Port of Wilmington.

The following is a statement of the foreign exports from this port for the months of July and August, 1882, as compiled from the books in the Custom House:

Fire on the River.

The steamer Clinton, a small stern-wheeler, running between this city and Bennersman's Bridge, on the Northeast river, took fire at her wharf last night about 11 o'clock.

Shooting an Alligator in the River.

A huge alligator, about twelve feet in length, was discovered swimming on the west side of the river yesterday afternoon.

Stricken with Apoplexy.

Mrs. Elizabeth Taylor, an aged lady, residing on McRae, between Mulberry and Walnut streets, was stricken with an apoplexy fit late Friday afternoon.

Col. Pope in Harassment Again.

We have received an official circular announcing the appointment of Col. A. Pope as General Passenger and Ticket Agent of the Virginia, Tennessee & Georgia Air-Line, to take effect today.

Big Haul.

We learn that one hundred and twenty barrels of fine fat mullets were taken at one haul, on Tuesday last, at William Simpson's fishery, at Moore's Beach, Wrightsville Sound.

The "Cotton Merchant" Comes Out at the Big End of the Horn.

The "Liverpool Cotton Merchant" was evidently born under a lucky star. The case against him for obtaining money under false pretences, referred to in our last, which was to have been heard before Justice Gardner yesterday, was duly called.

FOR THE CROP YEAR.

The receipts of cotton for the month of August just closed footed up 1,904 bales, as against 653 bales for the same month last year.

WITHDRAWAL OF COL. C. H. JONES, THE INDEPENDENT CONGRESSIONAL CANDIDATE IN THE SIXTH DISTRICT—SUICIDE OF A MAIL AGENT DETECTED IN ROBBERY OF THE MAIL.

CHARLOTTE, N. C., September 2.—Col. Charles B. Jones, editor of the Charlotte Observer, who announced himself some weeks ago as an independent candidate for Congress from the Sixth District of North Carolina, will publish in his paper to-morrow morning a card, retiring from the race.

ALABAMA.

TRIAL OF FRANK LITTLE FOR COMPLICITY IN THE MUSSEL SHOALS ROBBERY—JESSE JAMES' WIDOW A WITNESS.

HUNTSVILLE, September 1.—The trial of Frank Little began at 10 A. M., yesterday, before Commissioners Boone and McCullough. The first witness called was Mrs. Jesse James, who was examined at length.

THE MORMONS.

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CRIMES AND CASUALTIES.

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STAR ROUTE TRIALS.

Argument for the Defendants by Mr. Henkle.

SOUTH CAROLINA.

Encouraging Crop Prospects—The Trade of Charleston.

VIRGINIA.

A Negro who Murdered his Child—Congressional Nomination—A Boom in Confederate Bonds.

NORTH CAROLINA NEWS.

Withdrawal of Col. C. H. Jones, the Independent Congressional Candidate in the Sixth District—Suicide of a Mail Agent Detected in Robbery of the Mail.

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Spirits Turpentine.

Greensboro Bugle: Col. J. R. Winston has again taken the field as a Greenback candidate for Congress.

Mr. A. D. Brooks, enrolling clerk of the last Legislature, died at Waukegan, Wisconsin, of aneurism, at ten o'clock on Friday. He had gone there for his health.

The frequency with which children stray and become lost in Raleigh, N. C., has induced the city authorities to cut down the vegetation in the vicinity of Washington Post. Is this a slander?—STAR.

Toison Home: Jere Cox, the negro who turned State's evidence in the Worley murder case, and who was tried at Nash, court last week for the murder of a white woman at Battleground, last fall, by the name of Billie Hawkins, was sentenced to death and sentenced to be hung, but took an appeal to the Supreme Court.

New Berne Nut Shell: During a conversation between Messrs. Isaac F. Ormond and W. R. McCarter, of Stone- wall on Wednesday, they became entangled in a scuffle, during the altercation cut Ormond several times in different places, and two or three times on the throat, one would not quite reach the jugular vein. The wounds are not supposed to be dangerous. Cause of difficulty: Difference of opinions in politics.

Fayetteville Examiner: The Liberal Republican anti-Prohibition party is very much such a creature as the Georgia wild turkey, which is said to be a half alligator, and the balance snapping turtle. The negro is the horse part of the concern. He carries the burdens, does the plowing, but gets very little of the profits. The white man is the alligator and the Liberal the snapping turtle. The peculiarity of the turkey is that he don't know when he is dead. Men like Clingan, Leach and Johnson if not politically dead are moribund. If you cut the turkey's head and throw it away, it is asserted that it will snap at anything passing by. Just so with these Liberals.

Weldon News: It is said that Senators Mahone and Cameron are part owners of the canal project, and the spoon as the sale is completed steps will be taken to develop it. They will erect a car factory and a cotton seed oil mill on the basin, and will induce other capitalists to follow in building cotton and flour mills. — One day last week a negro woman with two children arrived here, seeking aid to get to her old home in Lenoir county. She stated that she emigrated to Indiana during the exodus here. She found it very difficult to live out there, and had gotten this far on her way back home by the aid of various people. She said there were others there who would gladly return if they were able. She was sent on towards her destination.

Catawba Mercury: Col. Bennett filled his appointment at Newton today. His audience numbered more than a thousand, and much enthusiasm was manifested. Bennett is doing much to revive the old Democratic party. He spoke at Newton did not disappoint those favorable to his cause. — It is with regret we learn that Mr. John Gabriel, of Mt. Creek township, met with a very serious accident. He has had a cerebral hemorrhage, and was commencing to saw while the saw was in motion, when a piece of timber coming in contact with the saw was thrown with almost the velocity of a rifle ball, striking Mr. Gabriel in the left eye, producing a severe concussion of the brain and the loss of the eye.

Greensboro Patriot: Senator Vance will speak in the Eastern counties at such times and places as the Executive Committee may designate. — A private letter from B. G. Worth, of Wilmington, who is well known to many readers of the Patriot, eloquently and pathetically says: "Do all you can to save us from negro rule in the Eastern counties. We appeal to the west and centre to save us. The present system of county government is a curse to us, while it saves us from absolute ruin. That's the campaign in a nutshell. To save the Eastern counties from negro domination is the mission of the Democratic party in North Carolina. Remember, it is our making. White men, you see the peril ahead! Forwarded is forwarded!"

New Berne Journal: Leach is an Oily Gammon in ability as well as in manner, and he may be expected to give trouble. The "deserter" (dodge, even if it is damogammon), will be very likely to do effective work in the hills. Randolph and Guilford. — The letter of Col. Askew, declining the nomination for Senator in the Ninth District, reflects great credit on the Oily's devotion to party. He prefers Democratic success to personal preferment. — On inquiry at the Register's office, we find the official vote of Craven county in 1880, for Governor, to stand: for Jarvis, 1,940; for Moore, 3,810. So the vote stands that two years ago the vote of Craven county amounted to 4,006, and today her taxable polls amount to 2,044. What does that mean? Simply that some epidemic has swept over Craven in the past year, and that the county is being swindled out of her taxes.

Elizabeth City Economist: We heard an extensive Hyde county farmer say today or two ago that there was more money in Hyde county than in any other county, owing to the good crop and high price of corn last season. — We go for civilization and the Democratic party. We oppose barbarism and the Republican party. We do not support any party that insults them with such candidates as the Republican party has put in the field here and hereabouts. — The Republican convention of Chowan county, announced that the legitimate name of the county is Pasquotank county nominated for the Legislature Sambo Newberry. The Republican convention of Dare county nominated for the Legislature A. W. Simpson. The present Republican member of the Legislature for Pasquotank county is in jail in Hertford awaiting trial for larceny. Did the Republican party in the First District of North Carolina setting civilization back?

Charlotte Journal: In Hickory Nat, Gap, Rutherford county, right under the Chimney Rock, there is a business established and in full operation, which is well worthy of a more extensive notice than the Journal can give it this morning. A Mr. Williams, a native of Rutherford, has this year four fruit evaporators which dry from 80 and 100 bushels of green fruit per day. He has ordered in the past 4,000 trees which furnish the fruit for the evaporators. The product of these evaporators is vastly superior to the ordinary dried fruit and brings 100 per cent. more upon the market. — Mr. Jas. A. Johnston, of Davidson College, died early yesterday morning, in the 71st year of his age, of dropsy of the heart. He was a brother of Col. Wm. Johnston of this city, and the eldest of a large family of brothers and sisters.

We do not remember, in the course of a long experience, ever to have heard a more effective speech than that delivered by Gov. Vance yesterday in this city, and we feel sure that it will make as good an one on any platform which he mounts in North Carolina this fall (and he tells us he intends to "mend his flock"), the result will be that new life will be put into the canvass, and a full vote, which is all we want, will be given in November. Knowing the proverbial tendency to exaggeration in describing the speeches of popular favorites, we put a guard on our sentences, and still we must say that in our judgment the effect of Governor Vance was one of supreme excellence.

Rev. G. G. Smith's "Life of Bishop Andrew" is ready for the printer.