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PARKER VS. ROOSEVELTISM.

## We can see why a Southern man would have had some little excuse to edge over to the Republican party

under the policy of the lamented McKinley, whose highest aim was to accomplish reconcillation between the sections and obliterate sectionallam of every nature. With a policy like that, McKinley moreover stood for reciprocity as a means of enlarging the commercial relations of this country with others, and at the same time equalize the tariff, correct its abuses, or judiciously lighten its burdens where they bore down upon the people.

With the broad-minded, generous spirited McKinley, endeavoring to be the President of all sections and all the people of the United States. and representing a financial policy which many Southern men approved while they could not endorse the financial propositions of their own party-we say that a Southern man might have had some measure of justification for flopping. However, just how the dopper can stay flopped, or just how any Southern man, Republican or Democrat, can vote for Roosevelt on his sectional, anti-South platform we are at a loss to comprehend.

Roosevelt with his negro plank, made President by an infamous assassin's bullet - the apostle of social equality and the evil genius of Rooseveltism - the strenuous, the blatant, the disturber of the peaceful relations of the races, the divider of the sections, the Sandy Sniffle who stirs up strife, the Mephisto who would upset social and political conditions in the South! Who with Southern blood running red in his veins could vote for Roosevelt and his evil machinations? What Southerner could stand for Roosevelt and his deviltry and all else that Rooseveltism stand

Judge Parker stands for all that is safe and for which every Southern man might have had a leaning toward McKinley. With a patriotism inapproachable, a character that is supurb, a record that is unassailable, Parker is wise and able. Judicially minded and judicially trained and experienced, Parker stands for constitutional government after the ideal of the founders of our republic. He stands for everything safe in contrast to Rooseveltism. He stands for the relief which the Democratic platform promises the people. He stands for the south! Read this contrast between Roosevelt's platform and Judge Parker's declaration made long before he was a Presidential probability:

We favor such Congressional action as shall determine whether by special discrimination the elective franchise in any State has been unconstitutionally limited, and, if such is the case, we demand that representation in Congress and in the Electoral College shall proportionately reduced as directed by the Constitution of the United Stairs - National Republican Plat-

The Southern people; their course and their constancy have never fafled They have changed velvet for home spun and endured the pinch of bonor able poverty, and are just now begin ning to reap the reward of their great sacrifices. I have implicit faith in their ability to solve rightly and rightenusly the difficult problems with which they are confronted, and I be lieve it is the duty of their countrymen at the north to permit them to solve those problems unmolested by irritating political interference from the outside.—Alton B. Parker.

Let the southern man look upon the Republican plank and upon the Parker declaration, and then lay his how he should vote.

Let every man north or south who loves the republic and wishes to end sectional strife, make a conscientious choice between Rooseveltism Democracy.

President Roosevelt's gasbag is ominously out of commission these days. Probably his friends have induced him to hitch it up for fear he would put his foot in it. It requires stoic courage to curb a passionate fondness like Roosevelt has for posing and being heard. If the restraint is self-imposed, we announce right here that we are comthe Carnegie hero fund.

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EMBARRASSMENT FOR ROOSE-VELT. When it comes to the South

where he can't get an electoral vote, President Roosevelt looses no opportunity to give the negro cause to rubber longingly in his direction He and Booker Washington stuck their hoofs under the same dining table and he had a negro plank laid on the Republican platform-all to catch the negro vote which holds the balance of power in several Northern States. Nevertheless the fates have brought it up to Roosevelt at this time to decide between

The administration has another row with organized labor in Washington. The bricklayers employed on the War College are on a strike because Captain Sewell, engineer officer in charge of the work, hired a negro bricklayer. He hired him because he was on the eligible list, prepared according to Civil Service rules. The negro had no union card, therefore the white workmen refused to work with him, telling the captain that it was in violation of their by-laws to work with a nonunion man. Sewell suggested that inasmuch as he could not change the Constitution of the United States they might make an end of the difficulty by changing their bylaws. The union bricklayers say they will take the matter up with President Roosevelt, and then

the negro and organized white

Roosevelt butted in and arbitrated the Pennsylvania coal strike, but he got enough of it and recently refused to interfere in or arbitrate the strike of the miners in Colorado. On the eve of an election he feared that he might burn his fingers, and so he washed his hands of the arbi tration business However, the strike of white workingmen employed on a government building on account of a non-union negro laborer, puts it up to Roosevelt, for the administration has to deal with the matter. Therefore, Roosevelt can't refuse to listen to the appeal of the white workingmen, but "owing to the rush of campaign busi ness" he can postpone his reply to them "till after the election." The vote of the white working men in the Northern States is in the mix up | and the British consult with Roosevelt's negro voters, and now watch Roosevelt amble off onto

## JUDGE PARKER SPEAKS.

Judge Parker and the Hon. Henry G. Davis met at Rosemount last Wednesday. They had never met before, and it is a pleasure to record that the occasion was seized by Judge Parker to again break his silence.

The STAR makes room for a verbatim report of his speech. After conferring with Mr. Davis for four

hours, the next President said: "Senator Davis and I have agreed that the notifications shall take place

n our respective States." That is what Judge Parker said. That's all. Here's hoping that Parker and Davis will meet at Washington on

the 4th of next March.

We learn from the Philadelphia Record that George B. Cortelyou, President Roosevelt's personally selected chairman of the Republican national committee, was in Philadelphia the past week, looking for one or more experts in political finance to "fry the fat" out of the manufacturers of Philadelphia and eastern Pennsylvania., He conferred for nearly an hour with a committee of the Manufacturers Club, in their club house. Of course, Corty knows whose bread is buttered by the protective tariff, and he was after a small portion of what the Republican party took from the people and gave the manufacturers.

On Wednesday a Connecticut man was sent to jail for six months and fined \$100 for flogging his wife with three stranded whip. His excuse for whipping her was that she let his house get full of flies. It's a wonder he had not accused her of being a little My herself.

Col. Wm. Jennings Bryan's Commoner, under date of July 22nd, was received by the STAR yesterday His reorganization plan for 1908 is headed "Democracy Must Move hand on his heart and ask himself Forward." It surely is moving. Fall in line, Colonel, and catch up with the procession.

We are glad to see that Col. R. P. Chew will probably be nominated and the judicial candidate of the for Congress by the Democratic convention, which meets at Grafton, Va., August 2. He is a good man and is able to Chew the rag with any old pot licker politician that the Republicans trot out.

The latest English fad is to discontinue the custom of opening letters at the breakfast table, as they contain germs that might get mixed with the food. This will now afford us an excuse to even reject mitted to Teddy for a good slice of the food for reflection contained in some of our letters.

**MORE CAPTURES** IN THE RED SEA.

Two British Ships and a German Steamer Seized by Russian Volunteer Cruisers.

RUSSIA HAS ISSUED ORDERS

That No More Merchantmen Shall be Stopped in the Red Sea-British Raise Question of Status of Russian Ergisecs.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

LONDON, July 23, 1:46 P.M.-Coun Benckendorff, the Russian ambassador, has received official notification from St. Petersburg reporting the capture of two more British ships in the Red Sea and instructions from bis government to notify Great Britain that the same procedure will be followed as in the case of the Malacca; namely, the vessels will be taken to a neutral port for examination by the consuls of the two nations concerned.

The effect of the additional seizures upon the British government has been to intensify its determination to settle the status of the volunteer fleet vessels. It is understood that the dispatch of the British cruiser Venus to the Red Bea and a number of torpedo boats to Port Said, is an earnest of the government's intention to protect British commerce. No warlike instructions have been given the commanders, but the Venus will closely watch the procedure of the volunteer fleet vessels. Some diplomatic circles regard this as being in the nature of a threat to Rus-sia, but the Russian diplomats in London express no concern.

Russia Issues Orders. ST. PETERSBURG, July 28, 3:45 F M.-The Associated Press is able to announce that Russia has notified Great Britain that orders have been issued to the Russian cruisers in the Red Sea not to arrest any more merchantmen, and it has been agreed between the two powers that if pending the receipt of these orders by the cap tains of the St. Petersburg and the Smolensk any other ships should be stopped and held as prizes these acis shall he regarded as not having place and the ships concerned at once

Although it was authoritatively stated yesterday that the Malacca had already reached Suda Bay, it now transpires that when the Malacca sailed from Port Said she was bound for Algiers. Unless orders are delivered to her on the way she will find upon arrival there an order to proceed immediately to Suda Bay, where, under the agreement reached between Great Britain and Russia, an examination of her cargo will be made by the Russian

The apparent delay in the delivery of the orders to the captains of the St. Petersburg and the Smolensk explains the seizure of the Scandia and the

Great Britain having formally raised the question of the status of the Bt. Petersburg and the Smolensk, the foreign office has cabled a meeting of leading officials of the admiralty to consider the subject. This conference is now in progress. The decision will be submitted to the Emperor for rati-

German Steamer Seined.

Suzz, July 23-The steamer Scandia, in charge of a Russian prize crew, has HAMBURG, July 23 .- The officials of the Hamburg-American Line declare that the seizure of their steamer Scandia by the Russians is inexplicable. The company has made the fol-

lowing statement: "The capture of the Scandia ap pears to be inexplicable. Her manifests show that no war material in any form for Japan was on board. The Hamburg-American Company at the beginning of the war instructed its representatives to make it their spe-cial duty not to accept contraband for

'The Hamburg-American Company has asked the foreign office to initiate the steps necessary to clear up this

lisagreeable incident BERLIN, July 23.—The foreign office is without official information of the seizure of the Scandia, the only teleram received up to the present time eing a telegram from the Hamburg-American Company stating the facts and appealing for assistance. The foreign office thereupon cabled to the German consul at Port Said for an authentic version of the capture and is awaiting his answer before making representations at St. Petersburg. The officials discuss the case with an evident attempt to keep cool, but they betray deep-seated indignation at Russia's course. Germany has no war ships in the Red Ses, and the question of sending vessels there has not yet been considered, but the officials plainly intimate that this question must arise unless Russia speedily orders the captains of her volunteer fleet steamers to cease molesting German ship-

The officials refer to the energeti anguage of the German press as fully justifiable. The seizure of the Scandia is regarded as being so excessively unreasonable that the government offi cials try to assume that the captain of the Russian ship exceeded his instructions and that Russia will make speedy

More Russian Cruisers.

HAMBURG, July 23.—It is said that the North German Lloyd steamer Kaiserin Maria Theresa and four Hamburg-American liners recently purchased by Russia have left Libau, on the Baltic, under sealed orders, fully armed and equipped as cruisers.

Ed. Brewer Leaves Town.

Ed. Brewer, the unfortunate young white man, addicted to drink beyond reclaim, who was picked up drunk and down Friday afternoon, was before the Mayor yesterday. He begged piteously not to be sent to the roads and the Mayor saw that his physical condition was such that a sentence to the roads would be useless. He promised to leave town before sundown, if judgment upon him were suspended, and the Mayor gave him choice of leaving or going to the county jail for 30 days. The young man left in the early afternoon.

Rev. J. Knox Mon gomery, of Charlotte, N. C., has accepted the presi-dency of Muskingum College, at New Concord, O., and will assume his duties September 20th.

WAS FOUND UNCONSCIOUS.

Prominent Raleigh Man's Queer Case. Other State Capital News

[Special Star Correspondence.] RALEIGH, N. C., July 28 .- Mr. G. Rosenthal, secretary-treasurer of the Juinata cotton mills, of Alamance county, was found in an unconscious condition in his office here this afternoon and little hope is entertained for his recovery. Conditions pointed strongly to suicide but his friends resent such a charge vigorously. The office door was locked, the windows down and a gas tube was fitted over the gas light jet and windows down and a gas tube was fitted over the gas light jet and run down on the deak. Several claim that when the office was opened there were strong fumes of gas. There is no known rea-son for suicide and the theory is not credited generally. Mr. Rosenthal is a prominent Mason, being secretary of the Oxford Orphanage Board of Trus-

taes. His physicians to night pronounce him cut of danger.

The Elk Mountain Cotton Mill Co., of Asheville, was chartered this morning with \$50,000 capital for the purpose of operating a cotton mill at that place. The incorporators include J. A. Burrough, Gay Green, Charles A. Webb, Theo. F. Davidson and W. B. Northrop. The Bank of Gibson, Scotland coun-

ty, is authorized to begin business at once with \$18,000 capital. There are about a hundred subscribers to stock, notable among whom are W. B. Adams and V. O. Caldwell. Raleigh's colored population is in

tremendous stir over the bringing of serious criminal charges against Rev. W. E. Walker, pastor of the St. Paul's African Methodist Episcopal church, one of the largest colored churches in the South. Warrants have been issued for his arrest and it is understood that he has left the city for parts unknown. He is charged with betraying the fifteen year old daughter of one of the most respected colored citizens, Maurice Watte, who was not only a member of Walker's church but wa brother Mason and Odd Fellow in negro fraternities here. Walker married man with a large family.

CAPT. Y. P. PORTER DEAD.

affectial Citizen of Bladen County Passed Away in Wilmington Yesterday.

Capt. Y. P. Porter, a leading citizen mploye of the S. A. L. Railway Company, died Thursday afternoon at 4:45 o'clock at the sanitarium of Dr. D. W. Bulluck, in this city, where he had been under treatment since last Friday. Captain Porter was 54 years of age, and had been in feeble health for some time. Mrs. Porter and her sister. Mrs. Smith, and son, Mr. J. E. Porter were with the sick man when he died Captain Porter married Miss E. Francis Edwards, and she with five daughters and aix sons survive him. He was a man of noble impulses, and his loss to the county will be heavily felt.

Stole From Shanty Car.

Green Smith, a negro, was arraigned n the Mayor's court yesterday on the double charge of larceny and carrying a concealed weapon in the form of metal knucks. He went to jail for the Superior Court in default of bond of \$50 in each case. Smith entered a shanty car on the A. C. L. yards here and stole therefrom a hat, two razors, pipe, shirts, trousers and other articles belonging to Capt. C. T. Nelson, in charge of the car, and Mr. Watts, one of the foremen. The negro sold part of the articles and left others in the store of F. G. Punke, on the wharf. A brother of Smith came forward with a lady's gold watch which he said Green had sold him the night before for 20c. The watch is at the police station awaiting identification by the

Two Highwaymen Arrested.

Frank Andrews and H. Blocker, the latter an old offender, were arrested last night by Policemen E. R. Chadwick and E. J. Grimsley on a charge of highway robbery. It is alleged that while an excursionist was on his way to the Carolina Central depot about 7:15 o'clock last night in order to catch his train at 8:30 o'clock, he was held up by the negroes and robbed. The officers have pretty good evidence against the negroes, the nature of which was not given out last night.

LOCAL DOTS.

- The dispensary agitation was too much for the usual week-end offenders Saturday night and 16 arrests had been made up to 2 o'clock Sunday morning.

- A big picnic was given Saturday at Hampstead, Pender county. Parties who came through the place on the train reported an immense crowd in attendance.

- Mary Barnhill, colored, and Nathan Jenkins, also colored, engaged in an affray in the alley opposite the market house yesterday morning and were not too late for the police court at noon. The Barnhill woman was given 30 days in jail on her past record and Jenkins paid \$5 and costs.

-William Armstrong, the negro in jail charged with the larceny, at different times, of two other blcycles, of Mr. E. G. Polley. Armstrong had went back to jail.

- The two men who engaged in an affray at the speaking Friday night, submitted in the police court yester-day at noon and were each fined \$5 and costs. One of the two-a saloon man-slapped the other in the face because he was drinking and dared to speak to some ladies whom he did not know and who were listening to Col. Waddell's address.

Bache-Your wife seems to be a woman of rare intelligence. I am sure her mind is on something higher than fine dresses. Benne-It is. She is at present planning how to get me to buy her a \$54 fall hat. incinnati Commercial-Tribune.

YOUNG RASSALS ON TURNPIKE.

field Up White Boy and Pired at Him When He Left Them.

Three negro youths, ranging in age from 14 to 16 years, boldly attempted to hold up H. C. Bornemann, a white lad who was riding from his home in the country to Wilmington on a bicycle, one mile beyond Delgado, on the turnpike, yesterday morning about 10:30 o'clock. They appeared to have no object in holding-up the boy save giving vent to their natural inclination to do something criminal. The young negroes, according to the confession of one of them, saw the boy coming down the turnpike and proposed to "hold hands across the road" and stop him for meanness. If the boy did anything, said one of the young rascals, they would knock him in the head. The white boy rode up to the negroes, but instead of trying to stop him, they only yelled at him to let them ride. Young Bornemann replied that he was in a hurry, whereupon one of the negroes cried, "shoot bim!" Another of the boys drew a 22 pistol and fired at the lad, who says he heard the bal whistle by his head and lodge in

tree on the roadside. Arriving at Delgado, the white boy reported the occurrence and Mr. Walter Williamson, secretary of the cotton mill, quickly organized a posse and went in search of the negroes. They were found skulking in the woods and two of them-Elijah Taylor and Walter Shaw-were captured. The third member of the party of young highwaymen ran and made good his escape. The two captives were taken to Delgado and Mr. Williamson found the pistol which had been used on the person of Shaw. He telephoned for Constable Savage and the two boys were lodged

WILMINGTON'S POREIGN EXPORTS.

More Than Twice Those of Norfolk and Nine Times Those of Charleston.

A short time ago some Custom Houst statistics were given in these columns and a comparison of Wilmington's foreign exports for the fiscal year then ended was made with Bladen county and formerly an those of Charleston and Norfolk. The Charleston were not then available, and it was stated that our exports were twice those of Norfolk and four times those of Charleston. The official figures were received during the past week from the Bureau of Statistics of the Department of Commerce and Labor, and the value of foreign exports from the three ports named for the fiscal year ended July lat are

Norfolk. 9,041,794 Wilmington. 19,085,221 It will, therefore, be seen that our foreign exports during the last fiscal year were more than twice those of Norfolk and about nine times those of Charleston. The showing is one of which every Wilmingtonian may feel

ACCIDENT TO MR. MCKENZIE.

apitalist laterested is Wilmington Enter prise Injured Near Payetteville.

The Fayetteville Observer of yester day afternoon has the following with reference to an accident which befel Mr. Malcolm McKenzie, of New York, who is interested in the establishment of the new wood-working plant in Wilmington, near the creosote works in the southern part of the city:

"Mr. Malcolm McKenzle, of New York, general manager of the Weed Distilling Company in Seventy-First, was brought to the Highsmith hospital last night with a broken leg.

'Mr. McKenzie was driving a spirited horse near the company's plant yesterday morning when the horse hied and threw Mr. McKenzie violently to the ground. He was brulsed in several places and badly shaken up, but the most serious injury was a severe double-fracture of the right leg just above the ankle."

Arrested a Bad Negro.

Constable Savage got hold of a bad negro yesterday, who may be wanted elsewhere upon a very serious charge. He is Jackson Brown, a negro\_employed by the Cape Fear Lumber Co. in this city. Brown assaulted a negro named Simon Allen with a beer bottle, and Allen procured a warrant from Justice Bornemann, charging himwith an assault with a deadly weapon. When Constable Savage brought him into court Allen told the authorities that Brown was wanted at Westbrook, Bladen county, for knocking a man in the head, and that he had clubbed another man in the head at Clarkton, from the effect of which the injured man had died. Brown was committed to jail in default of \$300 justified bond until the Bladen authorities can be heard from.

His Fingers Eut Off.

John Biggs, a young white man employed in the car department of the Atlantic Coast Line, got his right hand caught under the knife of a joining machine in the shops early was given preliminary trial again in yesterday afternoon and was so sethe Mayor's court yesterday for steal verely injured that all four of the fining a third wheel belonging to a son | gers had to be amputated at the James Walker Memorial Hospital to which another \$50 added to his bond and he was taken soon after the accident. The unfortunate young man is about 18 years of age and lives with his parents on Harnett street. As soon as he recovers from the operation, young Mr. Biggs will be sent to the A. C. L. Relief Hospital at Rocky Mount.

New Bank at Lumberton.

The First National Bank of Lumber ton was organized Thursday with a capital stock of \$25,000. The officers are: R. C. Lawrence, president; T. L. Northrop, vice president; H. M. McAllister, cashier. The directors are A. H. McLeod, J. W. Ward, W. P. Barker, T. L. Northrop, J. A. McAllister, P. C. McA Greeham. Tar back will o, en for business 8 p . mber 15 h.

SIX ROUND BOUT IN PHILADELPHIA.

Fitzsimmons and O'Brien Fought at the Baseball Grounds Before 6,000 People.

WAS HOT WHILE IT LASTED.

No Decision Rendered Under the Law. Both Men Bleeding Profusely at the Close of the Bout-Many Women Among Spectators.

By Telegraph to the morning Star

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., July 23 .- Jack O'Brien and Bob Fitzsimmons to-day fought the fastest six round bout ever witnessed in this city between men of their weight. Round 1. Fitzsimmons led with his

eft, but missed and as O'Brien ducked he landed a right on the neck. O'Brien landed a light left on Fitzsimmons ace and the men elinched. Fitzsim mons landed a light right on O'Brien's wind and the latter drew the blood rom Fitzsimmons' mouth. Jack again landed a left to Fitz's nose and got away without a return. O'Brien then kneeked the skin off Fitzsimmons nose with a light upper cut and drew the blood in a stream from his mouth Fitzsimmons missed a feroclous right and O'Brien in attempting to get away fell to the floor. O'Brien had all the best of the round. Round 2. Both feinted and Fitzelm.

mons missed two lefts, but landed

third on O'Brien's jaw, and as the lat

ter rushed in Fitzsimmons drove his right to stomach. O'Brien landed hard right and left to Fitzsimmons jaw, bringing the blood again. Fitz simmons was unable to land with suc cess on O'Brien up to this time. O'Brien cut Fitzsimmons' left eye with a short right and a moment later caught him full in the mouth. O'Brien's foot work was marveilous and Fitzsimmons was badly winded. Bob landed a hard right to the stomach as the bell sounded, which was the most damaging blow that O'Brien had yet received. Round 3. The men danced about the ring and then Fitzsimmons missed a hard right for the jaw. He landed actual figures as to Norfolk and a light left on O'Brien's stomach and the latter drove a straight left to Fitz's mouth, again starting the blood Fitzsimmons landed a hard left on O'Brien's wind which made the latter flinch. O'Brien missed a left to the face and the men clinched. Fitzsim moss tried a right for the wind, but was short, and O'Brien countered with a hard right to the face. In an exchange of blows Bob landed a hard on O'Brien's chin, and Jack

> Round 4. O'Brien was the first to ead, but missed a left for Fitzsimmons. Bob led with his left and the men clinched. Fitzsimmons tried : hard right and as he came in O'Brien uppercut him a left. O'Brien then landed three blows without a return. Fitzsimmons landed a right on Juck's wind and the latter ran away. A lef to the face again started the blood from Fitzsimmons' mouth. Jack landed a light left on the damage mouth and the referee had to separat them. Fitzsimmons missed a left for the face and O'Brien landed a hard left uppercut. Fitzsimmons' brought the blood from O'Brien's mouth with a straight cut, but missed a hard right as the men were sent to their corners Round 5. Fitzsimmons missed a lef for the face and O'Brien countered with a right to the jaw. Fitzsimmons missed another left and the men had to be separated by the referee. O'Brien landed a light one and Fitzsimmons drove a hard one to O'Brien's wind, repeating the blow a second later. O'Brien sent a light right to the face and as the men came together O'Brien drove a hard right to Fitzsimmons wind. They were sparring for wind Fitzsimmons landed a light blow on

the jaw and a right on the wind, which caused O'Brien to slip to the floor. As O'Brien got to his feet the gong sounded Round 6. Fitzsimmons led with left but missed. He landed the same blow a second later and then drove left to the wind which took some of the steam out of O'Brien. Fitzsimmons opened a cut over Jack's left eye, and then drove his right to the wind. C'Brien landed right and left to the face, but his blows lacked power. Fitzsimmons landed a right to the jaw and O'Brien countered with a left to Filesimmons' damaged mouth. Both men were bleeding profusely. O'Brien slipped to the floor in attempting to get away from Fitzsimmons' right. Fifzimmons landed a light left to the wind and Jack countered with a left to the mouth. The men were clinched as the gong sounded. As the men walked to their corners O'Brien's left eye had a nasty gash over it and Fitzsimmons' left eye was almost closed. While Fitzsimmons sat in his corner, his wife, who had been watching the fight from the

planted a kiss upon her husband's When the gong announced the close of the fight, both men were on their feet but both bore the marks of the gruelling fight they had just gone through. Fitzsimmons' lips were twice their normal size and his left eye was

ringside, walked up the steps and

also cut and swollen. While O'Brien landed the greater number of blows they did not do so much damage as those landed by Fitzsimmons and the latter was fresher at the close of the fight. There was not a clean knock down during the bout, but three times OBrien went to the floor, twice in endeavoring to get away from Fitzsimmons and the third time partly from Fitzsimmons' right which landed on O'Brien's neck, and partly through the latter's feet getting tangled. The fight was held on the National League baseball grounds, the ring being pitched directly between the pitcher's box and the grand stand, immediately over the home plate. It was the first open air contest ever given in this ci y and the novelty of the affair drew a crowd of about 6,000

- At Raleigh on Friday a charter was issued to the Raeford Power and Manufacturing Company of Raeford, Cumberland county. The capital is \$200,000 authorised and \$15,000 subscribed by J. W. Mc-Lochlin, T. B. Upchurch, W. J. the most notable powers mentioned in the articles of agreement are the operation of cotton mills.

Miss Cora I. Wigge, of Wilmington, the · Bride of Mr. J. a. Stanford.

[Special Star Correspondence.]

WILLARD, N. C., July 21.-On Tuesday, July 19th, at the residence of Mr. H. Wells, in the presence of a select number of friends and relatives, Mr. J. A. Stanford, of Willard, and Miss Cora I. Wiggs, of Wilmington, were united in the solemn bands of matrimony, Rev. J. A. Smith performing the ceremony which made them man and wife. The attendants were Henry Veach and Miss Annie Wells, C. V. Hall and Miss Alice Johnson. The bride was given away by her brother, H. McD. Wiggs, of Charleston, S. C. The young couple start out upon the journey of life with the best of wishes from a host of friends.

The bride is a popular young lady of Wilmington, and is a daughter of Capt. and Mrs. J. O. wiggs, of that city. The groom is a popular young employe of the Atlantic Coast Line, in charge of the office of the company at Willard.

WHITE SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENT:

One Given Charge of Four Colored Normal Colleges in North Carolina.

[Special Star Telegram.] RALEIGH, N.C., July 23.-The State Board of Education has decided to put a white superintendent over the four negro State Normal schools at Fayetteville, E izabeth City, Franklinton and Winston-Salem and has appointed Prof. Charles L. Ooon, formerly superintendent of the Salisbury public schools, to that position. They declare their purpose to be to better direct the normals in training their teachers and bring them into a uniform system. I is declared that the normals must be made more effective or be abolished altogether.

MARSHAL OF STATE FAIR.

Mr. J. F. Taylor, of Washington, N. F. Accepts -- Parker-Glenn Club.

[Special Star Telegram.] RALEIGH, N. O., July 22 .- J. F Tayloe, of Washington, accepts the chief marshalship of the State Fair of prominence in social and political circles, tressurer of his county and a delegate to the Democratic National Convention.

The first Parker-Glenn club in the State was organized here to-night with two hundred members. W. B. Jones is president and Jno. C. Drewry is treasurer.

THREE MEN SHOT.

brought his left flush on Fitzsimmons' aw. The men were clinched at the One Killed, Another May Die and the Third Slightly Wounded in a Row on Third Avenue, New York.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star

NEW YORK, July 23.—One man is dead, another may die and a third man has a slight bullet wound as a result of a row over a woman in Third avenue early to-day. Herman Miller, who is under arrest, according to the police has confessed that he shot the men to avenge an insult to his woman companion, Mary Whalen, who is held by the police as a witness. The dead man is John Martin, driver. Dennis Heally, a blacksmith and Frank O'Brien, who were wound ed, are at the hospital. All the par ties to the affair were residents of the upper East side. According to the story told the police the Whalen wo encountered Martin, Healy, O'Brien and a man named Kempsey near 18th street early to-day and after passing a few word with them, Miller appeared suddenly and began firing with a revelver Three of the four men fell. Mille told the police the woman told him that four men had insulted her and O'Brien's wind and then sent a left to struck her over the head with a beer can. He went out to avenge her and finding the four men he says he 'pumped them full of lead."

TANNABY HALL.

Direct Sonference Between Judge Parker and Murphy to Settle Differences.

NEW YORK, July 23 .- Friends of Charles F. Murphy, the Tammany leader, say that the political understanding to be brought about between Pammany Hall and Judge Parker will be through a direct conference between the Judge and Mr Murphy. There will be no dealing with any of the men who have been representing Judge Parker's interests before and since the national convention. The recognition which the Tammany organization is to have in the coming State convention or in the selection of a candidate for governor will be settled, it is said, by Messrs. Parker and Murphy personally and not by repre sentatives of these men. The Tamnany leaders recognize in Judge Parker as good a politician as any of his friends, and the belief is expressed that an amicable understanding will be reached when the Judge and the Tammany leader confer, and that the programme agreed upon will be for he best interests of the party in the

CRAZED BY JEALOSY.

Parmer in Princess Anne County, Va Brutally Murdered His Wife

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NORFOLK, VA., July 23.-Frank terthite, a Princess Ann county farmer, crazed by jealousy, attacked his wife with a monkey wrench last him from below, and he went out on night and battered her skull into a pulp. After committing the brutal murder Satterthite picked up their two-year old baby from its cradle and fied. He carried the child several hundred yards and threw it into a neighbor's yard. The police authorities of numerous cities have been

asked to arrest the fugitive. At last

reports he was still at large.

- A Parker and Glenn Club, with over 75 members, was organized Thursday night at Washington, N. C. On the same night a Vance Upchurch and John Blue. Among Parker and Glenn Club was organized at Henderson, Vance county. It starts with 75 members and the development of water power and the purpose is to enroll every Democration of cotton mills.

NO. 4 MARRIED NEAR WILLARD, N. C.

improved.

— During a heavy storm late Thursday evening Mr. Murray Aycock, a farmer living near Fremont, had the misfortune to lose his barn and stables, which were struck by lightning and totally destroyed. The lightning also struck one of Mr. Aycock's horses, killing him in stantly. The storm was a severe one and did considerable damage to the crops.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE.

- The Seaboard Air Line is ma-

king preparations to replace the 50 pound rails with 60 pound rails on its track between Durham and Hen-

derson. The roadbed also will be

-- A very destructive hall storm visited Goose Creek township, Union county, Thursday evening, extending also into Sandy Ridge, destroying the entire cotton crop in its path, which covered an area of about two miles wide and twelve miles long. Cotton being the principal money crop of farmers in that district, the result of the storm leaves some of them in almost destitute circumstances.

-A very sensational trial took place Friday at Friendship, Duplin county, about twelve miles from Mt. Olive, before Justices Shines, Bowden and Hicks. One of the most prominent society and business men of Faison was accused by a handsome young woman of Duplin with an unmentionable crime committed near her home Thursday afternoon. The young man denied that a crime had been committed. In the investigation before the magistrates the young lady was the sole witness. The nefendant was discharged.

- At a large and enthusiastic meeting held in the opera house at Greensboro Wednesday night, a 'Law and Order League" was organized. While the meeting was presided over and called by the active managers of the prohibition campaign just closed, a great many who opposed prohibition were present, and joined in the proceedings, giving voice to a desire to see the law honestly carried out. Over a thousand dollars was raised at the meeting to constitute a fund for the enforcement of law and order. The officers of the league are: President, A. W. McAllister; Vice President, J. C. Murchison; Secretary and Treasurer, T. C. Hoyle; Executive committee, C. H. Ireland, J. M. Hendrix, A. M. Scales, C. A. Bray, Wm. Love and C. W. Jennings.

- Kaleigh News and Observer, July 22: Russell Eaton, colored, who lives in the country about two miles from Wake Forest, was here in October. He is a young man | brought to Wake county jail yesterday morning by Deputy Sheriff N. P. Mangum and locked up on the capital charge of criminal assault on his own daughter, Josie Eaton, sixteen years of age. The assault is alleged to have been committed on Tuesday last at the home of the defendant, and the prosecuting witnesses are Eaton's wife and the daughter who is said to have been outraged. Eaton has once or twice been in the toils for selling liquor without licence, but so far as is known the present is the first serious charge that has been brought against him. Eaton was seen yesterday in the jail and talked freely and in a tone expressive of a man suffering from a gross miscarriage of justice. He denies the charge in toto, claiming that the sum and substance of the offence was a whipping which he administered to his daughter on Tuesday.

- A dispatch from Durham on

Friday says: Louis Ruffin, a negro,

40 years of age, was brought here

from Hillsboro this afternoon for

safe-keeping and to prevent lynch-

ing. He is charged with entering the home of Mrs. Katie Latta and attempting criminal assault this morning about 2 o'clock. His arrest caused much feeling, and in order to prevent lyching he was brought here by Deputy Sheriff Hughes. This morning about 2 o'clock Mrs. Latta, who lives in the heart of town, heard some one in her room. The person came to her bed and placed his hands upon her person. She thought it was her son, who walks in his sleep, and grab bed him by the hand and called him. She then found that it was a very large hand with the thumb missing. Her screams aroused her son, eighteen years old, who rushed to her room. The intruder knocked him down in making his escape. Ruffin worked for Mrs. Latta and the fact that his thumb was gone led to his arrest. He could not account for his whereabouts and it was proven that he said yesterday that he was glad some person had left the home of Mrs. Latta as the scoundrel had been in his way. Examination was waived and the prisoner rushed here for safe keeping. Ruffin is a bad character. He was but recently released from the penitentiary for shooting his brother-in-law and seriously wounding him. He has been on the road several times.

says: Citizens of the Ashland section had a novel experience in killing a big black bear found passing across the bottoms of the Bushnell plantation, about noon, by Alfred Jones a colored tenant on the place. A number of men, notified by him, came with their dogs and their guns and soon struck the track, and several of the hunters got within close range by 2 o'clock. Five or six loads were fired into the bear before he apparently noticed any of them. Firing continued for several hours with slight effect, and several fierce fights between the dogs and the bear occurred. Late in the afternoon after considerable dodging in a tree. Several shots were fired at a limb, which was so small it broke. When he fell Mr. Ed Harrill was at at very close range and got a good aim at a point just about the heart, which ended the conflict. Mr. Summers, who sent for his wagon, carried the bear to the nearest scales and found that it weighed 267 pounds. Several days ago a report was sent out from one of the nearby counties that a bear was seen and some sportsmen were asked to go out from Greensboro and land him. It is supposed that this is the same one as no one had ever before claimed to have seen a bear in this section.

- A dispatch from Reidsville,

Rockingham county, on Friday,

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