The Chatham Record

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 1, 1896.

LOCAL RECORD.

SCHEDULE PITTSBORO R. R.

[illegible] m. and [illegible] m. [illegible] with the train that leaves Raleigh at [illegible] p. m.

—Be sure to go to your township primaries next Saturday afternoon.

—Coffins for sale—pine, oak and walnut—by B. Nooe Jr.

—Three horses and three mules for sale cheap by B. Nooe Jr.

—The first frost of this season was seen here on last Thursday morning, the 24th of September.

—Hon. R. B. Glenn will speak at Siler City next Saturday. There is not a more forcible speaker in this State. Go and hear him.

—A constable and three magistrates will be elected in November, in every township. Don't forget at your primaries next Saturday to nominate candidates for those offices.

—Did you register last Saturday? If not, be sure to register next Saturday. Remember that no one in Chatham can vote unless he registers, except those who live in Cape Fear township and the old Poe's Mill precinct.

—Hon. W. T. Crawford will speak at Harper's X Roads on Tuesday the 13th, and at Pittsboro on Wednesday, the 14th. He was the Congressman in the Asheville district and is one of the best speakers in North Carolina. Come out and hear him.

—Have you seen those pretty dress goods they are selling at W. L. London's & Son's? They are certainly the prettiest you ever saw and decidedly the cheapest. No such stock of goods has ever been shown in this county. Miss Foushee will show you some lovely hats.

—Come on the 7th and 8th inst., to the grand opening at W. L. London & Son's. They will be glad to see you whether you want to buy any thing or not. Every body is cordially invited and will be made welcome. They will show you the grandest stock you ever saw.

—Dr. W. H. Edwards has removed to Durham and will cease his monthly visits to this place, much to the regret of his many friends and patrons. He has been spending two or three days here every month for several years, [illegible] and has given perfect satisfaction to all who have [illegible] and he will be [illegible].

[illegible] Record and keep posted during the remainder of the campaign. Get up clubs of five at once all over the county, and for 50 cents five copies of the Record will be mailed every week to one address.

—Mr. James E. Boyd, of Greensboro, made a stirring Republican, McKinley, gold standard speech at this place on last Saturday, which was much applauded by his audience. His colored hearers (who were largely in the majority) were very demonstrative and highly pleased, and are said now to be solid for a straight Republican ticket "from President to constable."

OLD CITIZEN DEAD.—The many friends of Mr. George W. Thompson Sr. will regret to hear of his death, which occurred at this place on last Friday. He had been sick for some time and his death was not unexpected. He was 72 years old, and was one of Chatham's most respected citizens. While public spirited and always taking a lively interest in public affairs he never held but one office, and that was director of the penitentiary, to which he was elected in 1871 and which he held for several years.

His remains were carried to Raleigh for burial by the side of his wife, who died suddenly while on a visit there several years ago. He leaves four sons, Messrs. A. A. Thompson, G. W. Thompson and James A. Thompson of Raleigh, and W. H. Thompson, of Waco, Texas.

HIGHWAY ROBBERY.—One of the few cases of highway robbery that has ever occurred in Chatham was perpetrated near this place, on last Friday night. Mr. Hiram Henderson, of Hadley township, was the unfortunate victim. He had spent the day here and while drinking at a barroom displayed a roll of money, and that night about 7 o'clock started home on horseback, and next morning about sunrise was found lying unconscious in the lane nearly in front of the former residence of the late Mrs. Kate S. London. He was brought here to the Central hotel and on examination was found to have been violently struck on the back of the head and quite seriously wounded. His money, about $40 was missing. After regaining consciousness Mr. Henderson said that all he remembered was a sudden blow on the head, but could not say who had struck him. Certain circumstances aroused suspicion against Haywood Leach, a colored youth of this place, and he was arrested as the robber, and after a preliminary trial before Squire James M. Farrell Jr. was committed to jail.

TOM JONES DEAD.—Mr. S. T. Jones died at his father's residence in Hadley township, on last Monday. Our readers will remember that in August of last year he mysteriously disappeared and after an absence of five days and nights was found [illegible] a downright being unconscious on his father's piazza. He accused two of his neighbors—R. B. [illegible] and John Johnson—of having waylaid and poisoned him, and they were tried last February court and acquitted, and Jones immediately disappeared again and left the State. About two weeks ago he returned to his father's quite sick and died as above stated.

PERSONAL ITEMS. Mr. Fred C. W[illegible] has returned to Baltimore to resume his studies in a medical college in that city.

Mrs. T. B. Poe and Mrs. S. T. Morgan and Miss Blanche Morgan, of [illegible], are visiting Mr. J. B. [illegible].

Mr. John F. Mallory, of Durham, was here a few days ago on a visit to his daughter, Mrs. R. A. Hanks.

Dr. [illegible], of [illegible], Pennsylvania, was on a visit to his children in New Hope township.

Mr. [illegible] London has gone to Brooklyn to resume his studies [illegible].

Miss Mae Robertson, of Asheville, N. C., is visiting Miss Lucy London.

[illegible] On last Thursday [illegible] of Pittsboro was organized at this place by [illegible] at Asheville. The following persons became members of the Pittsboro lodge: B. Nooe Jr., Jacob Thompson, B. B. [illegible], A. M. Burns, H. A. London Jr., [illegible], W. R. [illegible], G. R. Pilkington, [illegible] and J. J. Jackson.

[illegible] considered [illegible] except that some of the new members had some difficulty in successfully riding the goat.

The organization known as the Knights of Pythias is a fraternal and benevolent order that has many [illegible] members, and would [illegible] good.

SUPERIOR COURT.—The [illegible] term of the superior court of Chatham began on last Monday and will continue two weeks. The presiding Judge is the Hon. James D. McIver, of Moore county, who arrived on the morning train on Monday in time to charge the grand jury before dinner. The following were drawn and empannelled as grand jurors: R. J. Bynum (foreman), Duncan R. Womack, Hadley Sorrell, E. W. Goodwin, C. P. Farr, J. M. Gaines, [illegible] Thomas, W. R. Atwater, J. [illegible], W. S. Meeks, J. A. [illegible], W. A. Dowd, [illegible], J. L. Farrar, R. L. [illegible], J. M. [illegible] and George W. [illegible].

[illegible] for the grand [illegible].

Solicitor Bynum was promptly at his post and at once began the prosecution of the cases on the criminal docket. The following have been thus far disposed of:

State against Tom Mayes, larceny: verdict of not guilty.

State against Fred Lambert, enticing away a servant, not guilty.

State against Gaston Bowden, larceny: pleads guilty and sentenced to work on the public roads one year.

State against Kate Leach, assault with deadly weapon, guilty of simple assault, judgment suspended on payment of costs.

State against Alfred Watson, assault [illegible].

State against E. A. Moore, perjury: verdict of not guilty.

State against Nathaniel Lambert and Dock Powell, assault, guilty: Lambert fined $10, and judgment suspended as to Powell.

State against Geo. Judd and Stella Arnold, [illegible] rocking train on the R. & A. railroad: Judd guilty, and Arnold guilty and sentenced five years on the public roads.

State against W. D. Godfrey, larceny: guilty and sentenced to work five years on the public roads.

State against Arthur McAlister, assault with deadly weapon: guilty; [illegible] judgment [illegible].

State against J. F. Womack and Thomas Lane, forcible trespass: guilty and judgment suspended on payment of costs.

State against Simon Crutchfield [illegible] of this [illegible] to press.

The [illegible] case to be tried is that against Peter Cameron, who is accused of the capital crime of burglary, assaulting a colored woman, whose trial is set for to-day. It will probably be finished today and the civil cases will then be tried, and will keep the court busy all next week.

Judge McIver is disposing of the business of the court expeditiously and most satisfactorily. He is in no unseemly haste, but allows no time to be wasted by attorneys or witnesses. While exceedingly courteous and polite he is firm and dignified, and has made a most favorable impression on our people, to many of whom, however, he is no stranger, for he has not only held court here before (about five years ago) but he was an army comrade of many of our old soldiers, having been a captain in the 26th regiment.

On account of the heavy rain there was not as large a crowd here on Tuesday as there would otherwise have been. And yet notwithstanding the rain and mud the irrepressible horse-swappers were out in full force and splashed around in all their glory.

Don't forget to register.

A SEVERE STORM.—One of the most violent wind and rain storms ever known in this section visited this place on last Tuesday afternoon. The rain poured down in torrents, and the wind blew in great gusts, filling the air with blinding sheets of water and deluging the earth. Many trees were blown down, among them being a large one near the Methodist church, which fell on and crushed a wagon that was standing near and then a second which had just gotten out of it. This tree which stood [illegible] had been [illegible] force in front of the former site of the old Eagle building, was like a [illegible] and [illegible] some persons who had just walked [illegible]. A tree in the yard of [illegible] Hargrove [illegible] his house, [illegible] of the [illegible].

The storm seemed [illegible] part of this county, and [illegible] have [illegible] since [illegible] 1875. The [illegible] of New Hope [illegible].

PUBLIC SPEAKING.—At the recess of court on last Tuesday there was a great deal of political speaking. The speakers were Messrs. [illegible] Strowd, the Democratic and Populist candidate for Congress, and Mr. F. P. Dewees as representative, Mr. [illegible], the Republican, and Maj. Guthrie, one Populist [illegible].

The first speaker was Mr. Poe, who made a most favorable impression. More exceedingly courteous and polite to Mr. Strowd he found [illegible] a speech [illegible] he charged and proved that while Mr. Strowd was [illegible] he had promised to vote for gold bug Republicans. He charged, and Mr. Strowd did not deny, that in 1894 Mr. Strowd promised [illegible], the Republican, to vote [illegible] if elected to Congress he would vote for [illegible] Republican [illegible] for Speaker against Mr. [illegible] silver Democrat. He also charged and Mr. Strowd did not deny, that in order to get Republican votes in 1894 Mr. Strowd promised to vote for the Republican candidate [illegible]. Pritchard, if the election of President was thrown into the House of Representatives.

Mr. Strowd in his speech did not answer any of Mr. Poe's questions, because we think it [illegible] they could not be answered [illegible] votes. The old man looked decidedly "stacked" and seemed to feel his [illegible] position. Finally at the close a [illegible] was [illegible] again by Mr. Poe, who asked [illegible] "Would you for Pritchard [illegible] as Pritchard stands [illegible]? Pritchard [illegible] was [illegible] to the [illegible] Mr. Strowd was [illegible] to answer or [illegible].

The next speaker was Mr. F. P. Dewees, of Granville, who was the Republican candidate for Congress in this district in 1892. He said he came as the representative of Mr. Massey, the Republican nominee for Congress, who was detained at home by sickness. He then proceeded to make a regular old fashioned Republican speech, which seemed to please his colored hearers, who cheered him most lustily. He was not here [illegible] voting against Mr. Strowd, when he accused him having violated every promise which he had made to the Republicans in 1894 in order to get their votes. He made light of Mr. Bryan and free silver, and appealed to all Republicans to stand by their own party and vote the full Republican ticket, from McKinley down.

Maj. Guthrie spoke next and his speech was frequently applauded by both Democrats and Populists. There was more of it that Democrats could very consistently applaud, especially his denunciation of Pritchard, Butler and his gold bug Republicans. He was especially eloquent and earnest in his appeal for all silver men to get together, and urged them to forget and forgive the past, to let bygones be bygones, and all friends of silver to unite in one grand effort against the enemies of financial reform. He said that no true friend of silver would vote for any gold bug candidate for the Legislature, or for any [illegible] candidate who would vote for Pritchard or any other Republican [illegible] for the United States Senate. He congratulated the Populists of Chatham [illegible] recent county convention, they had passed a resolution against voting for any gold bug candidate. He emphatically declared that no Populist could vote for a gold bug Republican against a free silver Democrat, and said that in this district he would vote for Kitchen, the silver Democratic nominee, against [illegible] the gold bug Republican. He said that he did not wish to reply to what Mr. Strowd had said about voting for Pritchard, but he differed from him and would not vote for any man who would vote for Pritchard. At this rebuke to Mr. Strowd there was surprise, but Maj. Guthrie had the crowd with him and they evidently thought his position was honest and consistent—in striking contrast to Strowd's unsteady straddling. He said it would be the height of folly to elect Bryan as President, and then tie his hands by electing a Senate composed of gold bugs like Pritchard. He highly eulogized Mr. Bryan and called on all Populists to vote for the joint electoral ticket as recently agreed on.

Maj. Guthrie impressed his hearers as being sincere and earnest in his convictions, and earnestly desirous of saving his party from any sacrifice of its principles. If all the Populist leaders in North Carolina were as honest and true to their principles as he is you would not hear of any more trades, or bargains and selling of principles for office!

At the conclusion of his speech Mr. F. B. Arnold made a few remarks, urging all Democrats to vote [illegible] disagreed on, the hearers greatly regretted that Mr. Arnold did not have time to make a speech, but the time for the recess having expired the Judge ordered the court to be opened.

A Card of Thanks.

The [illegible] family return [illegible] to [illegible] in Pittsboro who [illegible] their [illegible] affectionate [illegible] our [illegible] sickness.

W. W. T[illegible]

J. B. A. [illegible]

Mt Vernon Springs Dots.

Mt Vernon Springs, N. C., Sept 29, 96.

Times are a little dull. All the boarders have gone from Mt. Vernon [illegible] is rather small, though we are hoping for it to be better in the near future.

Mr. J. M. Keenan has been very sick [illegible].

Several days past Mrs. Mary Bush [illegible] and her [illegible] Keenan and [illegible] visit [illegible] of St. [illegible] years [illegible] disaster, and [illegible] is now [illegible] and [illegible] it is true. [illegible] and Will [illegible] were down [illegible].

Miss Sue [illegible] from Goldston [illegible] friends.

[illegible] is slowly improving.

Miss Kate Bynum leaves the 29th [illegible] and Springs [illegible] missed [illegible].

"All [illegible]" was enjoyed [illegible] RECORD. We [illegible] next.

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Mr. J[illegible] White, of Holland, [illegible] dropped dead on [illegible] a few days ago, and it is [illegible] was due to [illegible]. He had been married only nine days.

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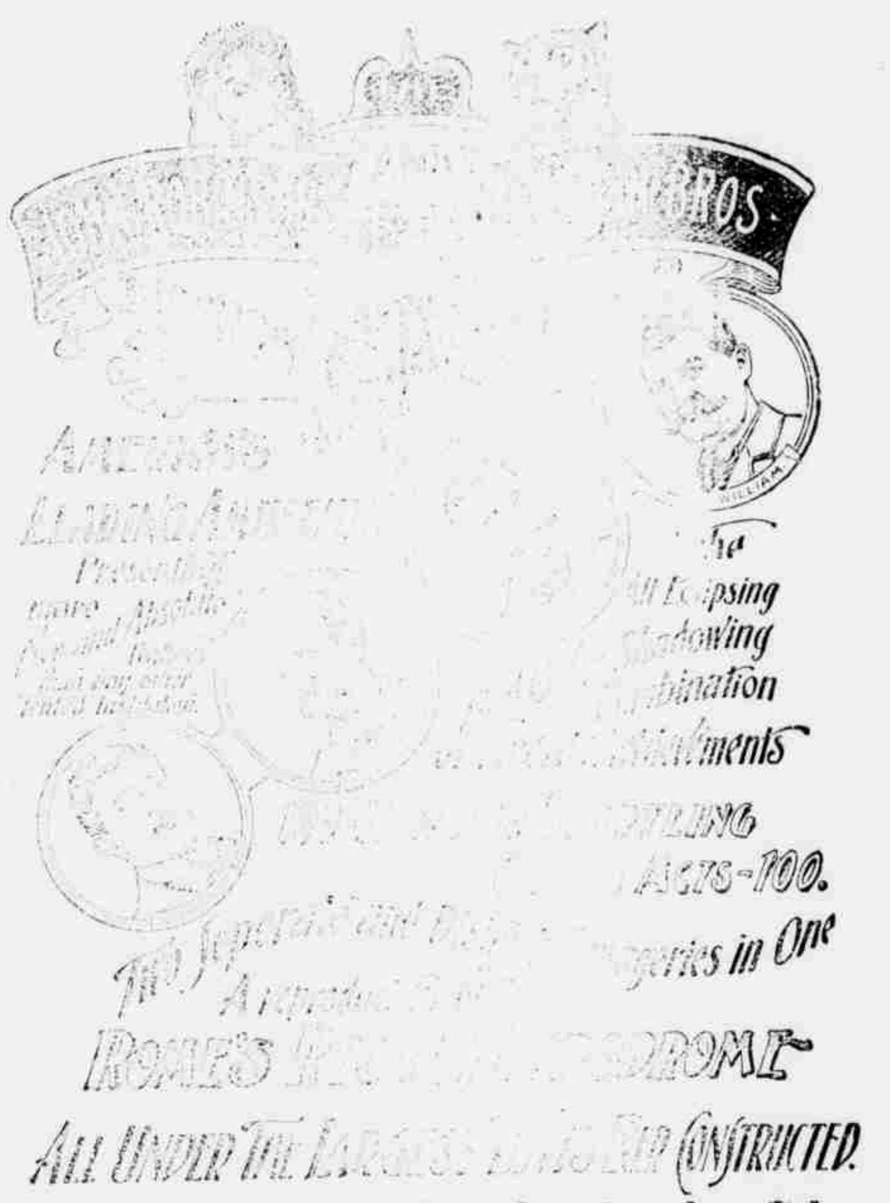

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AS REQUIRED TO THE STATE TREASURER, ON THE 13TH DECEMBER, 1895.

RESOURCES		LIABILITIES	
Loans and Discounts,	$366,617.01	Capital Stock paid in Cash,	$100,000.00
Overdrafts, secured	7,000.00	Undivided Profits,	20,81.22
Overdraft unsecured,	1,349.77	Bills payable,	80,000.00
$25,000 N C 4 per ct. Bonds	21,045.00	Due to Banks,	10,880.06
Banking House, Furniture, and Fixtures,	18,702.4[illegible]	Deposits Subject to Check,	350 110 88
Other real estate,	11,878.58	Cashier's checks outstanding	1,859.87
Demand loans,	36,500.00		
Cash Due from Banks,	61,216.2[illegible]		
Checks and cash items,	4,921.77		
Cash in Vaults,	35,500.98		
	$513,531.98		$513,531.96

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