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We appeal to every reader of THE ROLKINE BRACOS, to aid us in making it an acceptable and profitable medium of news to our citizens. Let Plymouth people and the public iknow what is going on in Plymouth. Report to is all items of news—the arrival and departure of Triends, social events, deaths, sorious linness, accidents, new buildings, new enterprises and improvements of whatever character, changes in justicess—indept additing and everything that would be of interest to our people.

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 18, 1891.

A MERRY CHRISTMAS TO ALL.

As FRIDAY next is Christmas, a national holiday long observed by the American people as the birth-day of our Savior, and at which time all business is suspended, we among the many, will suspend all business down about Jan. '92. and strive to enjoy the day with the rest,

The BRACON will not be issued on that day, but we hope to greet you all again on New Year's day 1892.

It has been our aim for nearly three years to serve our people faithfully. Not an issue has failed to appear on time during this period, and now we are sure our friends will allow us one day to be called

bince the BEACON made its first bow to the public, it has stood up for right and justice to all men, and tried to deal wi h all men and all subjects in the most friendly manner, and to make friends of all mankind, regardless of nation, color, politics or financial standing; but while thu, trying to please all, and working for the advancement of our town and county, as well as the State of North Carolina, we may have made some enemies, but if so, it was done Without our knowledge, and we hope our faithful endeavors in the future may merit their friendship and hearty co-operation in the work we are engaged in.

Now, wishing one and all, in advance, a merry Christmes. We miss one issue, but will greet you again when the old year has died and the new year been born.

THE Washington Progress has issued a neat and well edited industrial here of twelve pages, which gives a general escription of the climate, soil, heal.h, advantages, etc, of Beaufort county, to gether with sketches of the lives of some of the most noted men of the county. It is an honor to the county and reflects much credit upon brother Jacob on, the talented

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STATE NEWS.

THE LATEST HAPPENINGS, AS GATHERED FROM OUR EXCHANGES AND ELSEWHERE,

The Stanly Gazette says a regular cy clone passed through the Randall church neighborhood in that county, blowing down the house of a Mr Lizenby, while he and family were in it; but no one was

Newbern Journal: At Pantego, Beau. fort county, 33 bears have been trapped and shot by the hunters during the present season within an area of six miles. Still others were wounded but esceped

The commissioners of Monroe considered a proposition of Chattanooga capitalists, to establish water works and an electric light plant there. The proposition, the Register says, was thoroughly and carefully considgred, and adopted

Wilkesboro news: Mr Ambrose Wiles, who resides about six miles from this place on the Trap Hill road, while driving home on the running gear of his wagon, was daugerously hurt Both legs were broken just above the ankle against a stump

State Chronicle: The Carolina iron, mining and investment company haz been organized with a capital stock of \$1 000,000. The property consists of the magnetic iron prines near Lambury, Stokes County. This is perhaps the richest mine in the South

Charlotte news: The lexas car was at the Trade street depot to day, and attracted a great deal of attention. The car is a traveling advertisement for Texas and is a most jutgresting affair, all the productions of Texas and being displayed in an attractive way.

last Thursday night from the stables of the Planters Warchonse. It pelonged to Capt. T M Anderson. On Supday it was found about three miles from town. It is thought that the search proved so yigorous, that the thief turned the suimal out in the road.

State Chronicle: Peccepber 22d, the people of Iredell are to vote on the issue of \$60,000 of 6 per cent bonds to the cap, it atock of the Statesville At Line rairroad which it is proposed to build from Mt. Airy to Lippointon by way of Statesville.

The State Farmers' Alliance adopted at More pead (ity last August, a resolution by manually requestly requestly that all the emb Alliance. 'carpendy requesting that all the sub-Alli-arces of the biate observe the first day of January of each year as an occasion of

Thanksgiving and Prayer to God" for his numberless blessings.

Wilmington Star: The rolling machine for the Streets Department of the city government has been received It is in-tended for use in making permanent roadways with shells or marl on streets in the upper part of the city... Jailor King reports fifteen prisoners in the county jail —ten males and five females; five write and ten colored. Some are in for non pay ment of costs, and the others are held for the Criminal Court. Among them are the two white pick-pockets, arrested a short

Monot Holly Naws: News has reached this place that on Monday tast Clabe Reinhardt, brother to the negro that was killed several years since by Eugene Line. berger, was riding on a passenger train on the narrow Gauge railroad, and when the conductor (whose name we were unable to learn) asked Clabe for his ticket. Clabe said THE ROANOKE BEACON,
Plymouth, N. C.

al to every reader of THE ROANGE and the conductor reached to pull the bell cord and the negro shot him through the head, not have any money.

The conductor reached to pull the bell cord and the negro shot him through the head, killing him almost instantly. The negro then jumped from the train and ran, but the train hands caught him, and it is said they broke his neck at once.

Washington Progress: Mr. W. T. Sears who has been superintendent of the R. R. & L. Co., at Bath and Bayside since its foundation to the present has by mutual corsent and agreement sold out his interest in the contract of the manufacturing department and will turn over the entire work to Mr J. D. Eborn on Jan. 1, 1892. Mr. bears has under consideration other enterprises by which he may stay with us for several years yet we are giad to say. He has fluished up the Bayside and Yeates. ville R. R and is stipping all the iron, Locemotives and cars to Psymouth which R. & L. Co. The Cath mill will be shut

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MACKEY'S FERRY LETTER.

MACKEY'S FEBEN N. C., Dec 14, '91.

Editor ROANORE BEACON: After a loog absence I will try and send ou a few items, though news is scarce

Several of our farmers are complaining for want of hands to pick off peannts and pick out cotton, and fearing that the weather may become such that they may yet lose part of their crops

We see the Norfoik & Southern R. R. still keeps improving about their whatf at this place, and we see that Mr L Marriner, agent at this place, has purchased the old store formerly occupied by Mr W S Daven-port, and turned it into a five room dwelling house, which will be occupied by Mr. J Q Headen and family who will attend to the freight business for Mr Marriner.

We see quite a quantity of peanuts and other produce coming it for shipment We see the schooner Wm 8 Kerby laying at the wharf awaiting a cargo Mr W S Dayenport is the happy recipi.

ent of another fine cop, but his business as agent at Edenton, prevents his enjoying the pleasures of fonding it, only on sun-

Johnson, of E City.

BAD NEWS DOESN'T MAKE BADMEN

State Chronicle "The world is growing worse," comments the reader of the daily newspaper, 'for I find the papers full of the record of horrible crimes and tragedies every morning." To be sure the papers are full of crimes

that the world is growing worse. The newspapers print what is news. If most men were dishonest, the papers would devote whole columns with big head lines to telling of the upright life of an honest man If most preachers were corrupt the papers would not print the lapse of one from the paths of virtue. Men would not stand aghast as they read the story of his wrong doing. If most wives were unfaithful, the infidelity of one would not be telegraphed

to all quarters of the globe.

Newspapers print what is news, i. e. What is out of the usual run of things Tosay that Rev. John Smith preached regularly during the year, was orthodox in his teachings, and was faithful in all things would not be news. Ninety-uine preachers out of one hundred do that But if Rev. John Jones preaches a sermon that is in direct conflict with the teachings of his church, that is something unusual and it becomes news that everybody wants to read. Newspapers would be as duli as the Congressional Record if they printed the oldinary good things which daily charac-

terizes the bulk of humanity.

Newspapers must be bright and interes. ting and also be teachers of truth. The truth requires that the news be printed If it is ood, the editor rejoices; if it shows the wickedness of the brunan heart, he is and But the editor, if truthful, earnot suppress the news Not long ago a prominent North Darolinian sent the editor of the Chronicle this joking message: you do not quit printing about my building operations before I begin work, I am coming to Raleigh and kill you." We sent him this reply: "Come on. It is better to be dead than to publish a daily news. paper and not print the news."

It is therefore not true that the publica tion of crimes means that the world I growing worse. It is related of an old lady in Eogland that she said: "It is always observable that crime increases rapidly when Parliament adjourns." She was judging by the London papers. When Parliament was in session they devoted their headlines and most prominent positions in the paper to the doings of that body. When Parliamentary proceedings no longer take up most of the paper, the publication of other news is given first lage. The couclesion of the old lady was therefore not correct, though a superficial glance at the papers induced her to believe that somehow the ressions of Parliament suppressed crime. The mistake is made by those who think that because the papers print the conduct of many bad doers, the world is rapidly going to the bad.

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NATIONAL ALLIANCE RESO-LUTIONS.

TO INCREASE THE PRICE OF COT-TON BY INCREASING THE CONSUMPTION.

MR. BUTLER'S RESOLUTION.

During the late session of the Supremo Council of the National Farmers' Alliance will be used on Plymouth, Washinfton & and Industrial Union the following resolu-Kinston line which is controlled by the R. tion was offered by Marion Butler of North Carolina and quanimously adopted:

'Resolved, That a committee consisting of one delegate from each cotton State b appointed to take under consideration and Is it not worth the small price of 75c. to if possible formulate some plan by Which free yourself of every symptom of these the world's greatest producers of the distre-sing complaints, if you think so call South's greatest staple, cotton, may be able

> By motion the committee was made a standing one to make a figal report at the

next annual meeting Several resolutions relative to acreage marketing etc were introduced by L. F. Lavingstone, of Georgia; R F Rodgers, of Florida and others. The committee made a partial report by offering as a substitute the following resolutions:

REPORT OF COTTON COMMITTEE.

WHEREAS, The cetton growers of the South are greatly oppressed because of the depressed price of the raw meterial, caused. in a measure, from combines and speculations in futures, but mainly from an unjust, oppressive and discriminating fluancial eyetem and a high potective teriff on manufactured cotton materials; and

WHEREAS, It is now alleged by specula. tors and combines that over-production is the prime cause of depression in prices, when in fact, we have reason to know that the cause is not overproduction but underconsumption caused by inability to buy re-ulting from advance prices of man. ufactured articles of cotton and other causes as stated above; and

Wherekas, It has been recommended by members of the Farmer.' Alliance in several States in the cotton belt, that the acreage be decreased one third by the mouth at 11 o'clock a. m., by the Rev. Dr. while, in fact the affort to thus reduce the Johnson, of E City. FERSYMAN quantity would actuate thousands of grow ers to increase their acreage in cotton.

Therefore, as one of the remedies to secure an advantage price in raw cotton material by cheapening the manufactured products, and thereby locrease the abinty of the masses to consume; be it

Besolved, That the National Farmers' Altiance and Industrial Union representing the best interests of the producers and and tragedies—lisuonesty and unfrithful-ness, But these things do not indicate ask that Congress entirely relieve manufactured articles of coaton from any tariff duty whatever, and place the same on the free list of American products.

Resolved. That a copy of these resolutions be certified to the pesser of the House of Representatives and president of the Senate of the fifty second Congress of America, duly attested by the President and Secretary of the National Farmers' Alliance and Industrial Union under seal of the supreme counsel

Marion Butler, Chairman N. C. W D. G Gibbs, Mississippi; H 1) Greer, Tenn. ess e; S M Adams, Ambania; R F Rog rs, Florida; L P Featherson, Arkansas; I A. Clayton, Louisiana: Harry Tracy, Texas; D Duncau, South Carolina; G M Loiden,

Missouri; L F Livingston Georgia. Mr Butter, of north Carolina, on behalf of the committee, made a further report as

Resoived, That being in possession of facts that are thoroughly reliable, which warrent us in a besief that a false estimate has been purposely made of the present crop of cortou, we feel safe in guaranted g better prices if cotton can be held for sixty

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