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On another page of this issue will be found some figures of comparison which make interesting reading. Every man, regardless of his political faith, must note the difference between the present administration and the former republican administration.

With the enlargement and improvement of the Raleigh Afternoon Times is also added the talent of Mr Maxwell Gorman as telegraph and city editor. Mr Gorman will have charge of the local and telegraph work. He has for years been the Raleigh correspondent of the Courier and is one of the most capable and accomplished newspaper men in the State.

This is a day of barbed wire fences and it would be well for people who are building barbed wire fences to remember that the law requires a three inch plank at the top of all such fences along public highways as a protection to stock, and that persons erecting barbed wire fences without placing such a plank all along the top of it, are violating the law.

In his letter of acceptance Judge Parker expresses himself clearly on the issues of the campaign and answers the challenge of Mr. Roosevelt in regard to the executive Pension order, and says he will revoke it and urge a lawful equivalent. He reterates his belief in the gold standard, clearly and forcibly defines his position on imperialism, the tarriff and expresses himself in favor of independence for the Filipinos. The letter is not as lengthy as his opponent's, but is an able document.

Much has been said in the newspapers about the lady in Union county who arose in the congregation and criticised a young clergyman for soliciting money for the cause of the church from the pulpit. One editor comes to the preacher's defence and states that possibly he has to beg from necessity. The lady who criticised the preacher boasted that her husband had enough money to supply all the preachers. No doubt that is true and frequently that kind of residents are the ones who do not support the church as they should. And often the ones who are the least able to pay are the ones who are the most willing.

Causes and Prevention of Consumption.

The North Carolina State Board of Health has issued a pamphlet entitled "Causes and Prevention of Consumption."

Acting upon the fact that "an ounce of prevention is worth a pound of cure," the State Board of Health undertakes to show that consumption is a preventable disease. It also shows that ignorance is, in a large measure, the cause of its spreading, as well as the cause of the disease in many instances. The Board of Health is inaugurating a vigorous campaign against what is commonly known as the "Great White Plague." Twenty-five thousand copies of the pamphlet have been prepared for distribution. A postal card addressed to Dr. R. H. Lewis, Raleigh, N. C., Secretary of the State Board of Health, requesting that a pamphlet be mailed you, is all that is necessary to get one of them. Send for a pamphlet and do not delay it a day longer.

The Randolph Creamery Company was chartered by the Secretary of State September 23rd, with an authorized capital stock of $25,000. The creamery is located at Randleman.

RALEIGH LETTER.

Raleigh, Sept. 26.—Governor Aycock returned Saturday from his trip to Maine, where he made a dozen educational addresses. Next month, beginning October 26th, he will make a number of political speeches in Indiana, New Jersey and New York.

The following appointments of Senator Simmons were given out at Democratic headquarters today:

On October 4th he speaks at Monroe; October 10th at Morganton; October 25th at Concord; October 29th at Troy.

The people of these sections will look forward with interest to these appointments, and it may be well predicted that the issues of the day will be ably dealt with by the Senator.

D H Senter has issued a call to the Populists of Harnett county to assemble in convention at Lillington September 29th. Some of the Populists have already gone into the Republican party and accepted nominations at their county convention, and we cannot see how any true Populist, who acts from principle, can endorse such a candidate. We are glad to hear of many good men who have gone off into the Populist party for reform, and thought they would find the things sought, have at last opened their eyes and found where their leaders were drifting, body and soul, into the Republican campaign, and all good men are denouncing the leaders and say they will not be lead into the Republican party. Many of them will vote the Democratic ticket in the approaching election.

THE A. & N. C. R. R.

The final decision of the court in the matter was that the receivership be vacated, this leaving the case in force and the lessee in charge, with the court costs, amounting in all to some $400 to $500, to be paid by the defendant railroad company, this to be effective when the appeal to the circuit court of appeals in Richmond be withdrawn. The Cuyler plaintiffs were given the right to amend their bill of complaint as to acts complained of as ultra vires, such as the wood and oil contract and the purchase of the hotel, while their demand for allowances for clients and attorneys' fees was held up till the litigation comes to an end or all the matter is in shape for the discretion of the court.

The effect of the decision is that it makes certain that there will be no more litigation in the case as to the validity of the lease.

Franklinville Locals.

September 26.—Several of our people attended the meeting at Gray's Chapel Sunday.

The public school will begin Monday. Miss Mabel Stuart will assist Prof Weatherly in teaching it.

Prof Weatherly has moved into the new house recently erected by Hugh Parks Sr., and F B Parks is making preparations to move into the house vacated by Prof Weatherly.

Miss Malinda Hodson, who has been visiting her aunt at Staley for some time, has returned home.

Dr T I Fox, left last week, for St. Louis to take in the World's Fair.

B F Stuart is at Asheville for his health.

Jesse Cox, of Greensboro, visited his parents here last week.

John Allred, of Rockingham, visited his brother Peter Allred here last week.

A G Murdock spent a few days in town the past week.

J S Free has resigned as depot agent at this place, and is succeeded by J S Stout. We are sorry to loose Mr. Free.

Washington Fox, returned to his home on Sandy Creek last week after spending some time visiting Dr. Fox.

W S Russell, of Gulf, was in town Friday.

L C Laughlin and W C Jones went on the excursion to Winston-Salem last week.

Zanga Ellison celebrated his 85th birthday last Sunday. Rev James Jordan was the speaker of the occasion.

C E Stuart and daughter went over to Asheboro one afternoon last week.

Franklinville and Whites Chapel boys played a game of ball last Saturday, resulting in a score of 29 to 0 in favor of Franklinville. The Franklinville boys will play Oakdale nine at Staley next Saturday.

Rev J F Allred is having his residence remodeled.

Mr Willie Allred and Miss Minnie Martindale were married last Sunday by J F Brower, J. P. They well make their future home at Cedar Falls. Their many friends extend their congratulations.

Miss Venetia Smith, of High Point, will have her fall opening of millinery and fancy dress goods and trimmings of all kinds today and tomorrow and insists that the ladies of Asheboro and elsewhere come to it. Miss Smith is carrying a splendid line of millinery as a great many people here know and makes a specialty of real also dress materials.

Democratic and Republican Administrations in Randolph Compared.

EFFECTS OF THE WATTS LAW.

Below we give the average monthly jail expenses for Randolph county before and after the Watts Law went into effect:

From 1885 to 1903, per mo.	$56.09
Since Dec. 1, 1903, per mo.	14.09
Since Jan. 1, 1904, per mo.	10.57

At the March (1904) term the solicitor completed the criminal docket in about three hours; at the July (1904) term he completed it in less than a day.

Court costs have been greatly reduced.

Not a distillery in the county.

WHAT DEMOCRATIC ECONOMY HAS DONE IN RANDOLPH.

By cutting down unnecessary expenses the Democratic county officials have paid the indebtedness left by the Fusionists when they went out of office, at the same time making an annual expenditure of $2970.81 for bridges. The average annual expenditure of the Fusionists for bridges was $745.92. The Democrats have spent for bridges in the last three and three-fourth years $11,883.38. The Fusionists spent during the last four years of their administration $3634.74.

The Democrats averaged only $33.10 for contingent court house expenses, while the Republicans spent $154.45 for the same purpose for every year they were in power, and worse than that, they employed negroes to do the work.

The Democrats have spent in three years for small pox expenses $520.89. The Republicans spent for the same purpose alone in 1900 $941.46. It appears that there was as much small pox to contend with under Democratic administration as when Republicans were running the county's affairs.

EDUCATION IN THE COUNTY.

During the last three years the Republicans had full control of the public schools in this county they spent for education $37,401.76. During the last three years of the Democratic administration the amount spent for education was $57,291.05. The average length of school term in the county the last year of Republican administration (1899) was 14.14 weeks; the average length of term for the last year of the Democratic administration (1904) was 17.51 weeks. The average salary for white teachers in 1899 was $23.00 per month; the average in 1904, under Democratic rule, was $27.07 per month. The total value of school property in the county in 1899 was $15,545.00; the total value of school property owned by the county board of education in 1904 is $29,805.00, not counting the good buildings that are being built at present.

Ramseur Items.

September 26.—Caswell B Craven returned home last Friday from an extended trip to Indiana.

Miss Sallie Thomas left last Saturday to spend two weeks with friends at Goldston.

W H Watkins and H B Carter have been in the northern markets for the past ten days purchasing the large fall and winter stock of goods for the Ramseur Store Co.

Mrs H B Carter and Miss Lucy Covington visited in Greensboro the past week.

E B and O T Leonard and wives went up to Greensboro last week.

A large number of our young people went to Gray's Chapel Sunday.

J O Forrester & Co opened up a nice line of pictures, chairs and other furniture recently.

Max Glachner, the popular and genial drummer, was the guest of the Hotel Ramseur last Sunday.

The Literary Society of Ramseur High School was organized last Friday with the following officers: Miss Ada Marley, president; Edith Driver, vice-president; Miss Lola Whitehead, secretary; Miss Ada Myrick, treasurer; Misses Katie Campbell, Nannie Ferree, Ida Duke, committe on programme; Miss Pearl Ferree, critic; Misses Ora Scott, Vernie Zerkle, Earl Duke, janitors. The society will add much to the interest of the school and improvement of the students.

Mr Ingold and friends, of Randleman, visited C C Randleman Sunday.

The latest from Indiana is that Parker and Davis will be elected.

At a meeting of the democratic township executive com. Saturday night Robt Alexander and R W York were nominated for justices of the peace and J M Brewer constable.

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Horrible Tragedy at Kernersville.

As the result of a separation Louis Carmichael, a carpenter aged 64 years, killed his wife and seriously wounded his step daughter, and then ended his own life, at Kernersville Monday.

Carmichael and his wife separated several weeks ago. Sunday he went to her home and told her if she did not consent to live with him he would kill her before night. The next morning he went to her home and she again refused to live with him, whereupon he cut her throat, nearly severing her head from her body. He then turned upon his step-daughter and cut two severe gashes on her breast and shot himself four times. He lived three hours, but was not conscious after the shooting.

West Ramseur Sayings.

Sept 26.—Rev J W Calder was quite ill last week, but is better at this time.

Long Shanks has a curiosity in the shape of two gourds with only one handle.

Mrs Lillie Williams sent her mother, Mrs T H Ellis, a beet that measured 25 inches in circumference.

Dr Caddell will have the telephone line from his home to the Ramseur Store Co. in operation the latter part of this week. He can then get the news of his defeat from Asheboro in November by 'phone.

A large number of Ramseur people attended meeting at Gray's Chapel Sunday.

A pumpkin pie supper with other goodies will be served by J O Forrester in the near future on the occasion of the husking of his large corn crop on his barn lawn.

It has been reported that there has been some illicit snuff dipping and tobacco chewing by some of the holiness people hereabouts, but of course this must be a mistake, for as they claim all who use the filthy weed are on the road to a devil's hell.

Some of those good people who preach and believe in Divine healing while in good health, seem to be trying to run the blockade by calling in worldly physicians when they get sick. Guess their faith is not sufficient.

Several of the relatives and friends attended the funeral services of Mrs. Milton Leonard at Union Grove Sunday.

Rev M E Hammer will begin a series of meetings at the Christian church here, beginning next Sunday.

Deputy Sheriff Brewer received a telegram from Greensboro Saturday night stating that they had under arrest in that city one Dennis Stroud, colored, long wanted by Deputy Brewer. Mr Brewer went up to Greensboro Monday and brought his man back and lodged him in Asheboro jail the same day.

SHANKS.

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tendency to take cold
morning pain in the throat
hawking to clear the throat
pain in the chest
a cough
effects in side
feeling of fever
variable appetite
low spirited at times
making of frothy mucous
expectorating yellow matter
difficulty in breathing frequent sneezing
hoarseness of voice
discharge from the nose
stopping of the nose at night
aching of the body
dropping in the throat
mouth open while sleeping
tickling back of the palate
formation of crusts in the nose
dryness of the throat in the morning
loss of strength
spasms of coughing
cough worse nights and mornings
loss vital force
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EXACTIONS OF TRUSTS

Republicans Say There Is No Serious Complaint.

THE PUBLIC THINKS OTHERWISE.

How the Combines Are Working the Man of Small Capital—If the Beef Barons and Their Ilk "Come Down" Freely They Will Not Be Molested.

When Elihu Root as temporary chairman of the Chicago convention made the opening speech of the Republican campaign he especially held up for glorification the aggressiveness of the Roosevelt administration against the trusts and declared there is "no longer any serious complaint of trust exactions." Now surely Mr. Root did not believe that his statement was true, for the newspapers of the country, which are mirrors of public opinion, are **constantly** filled with complaints about **the way** the trusts are plundering the people, and Mr. Root is a great newspaper reader. But defending the Republican party and the Roosevelt administration from their evident partiality for trusts was a difficult job for even such a renowned special pleader as Mr. Root. Nor was he satisfied to rest his case there, but tried to prove it by adding:

"No investment in lawful business has been jeopardized, no fair and honest enterprise has been injured, but it is certain that wherever the constitutional power of the national government reaches trusts are being practically regulated and curbed within lawful bounds as they never have been before, and the men of small capital are finding in the efficiency and skill of the national department of justice a protection they never had before against the crushing effect of unlawful combinations."

There again the facts do not agree with Mr. Root, for not one industrial trust has been "regulated and curbed within lawful bounds" by the Roosevelt administration. Only two prosecutions of trusts have been commenced, and only one of these was against an industrial trust, and that is still hanging fire in the courts, and the trust in question—the packers' combine—shows no signs of being regulated or curbed. The other trust—the railroad merger—has been ordered dissolved by the courts, but is still charging "all the traffic will bear," and there is still no competition between the railroads that were combined in the merger. The people of the northwest, where the merged railroads are located, are obliged to pay the same freight and passenger rates as before, "the efficiency and skill of the department of justice" was brought into play. These two cases against the trusts in all the Roosevelt administration has to boast of, and we have the word of Mr. Knox that there will be no attempt "to run amuck" against any other combinations.

The further boast of Mr. Root that the men of small capital are being protected from the crushing effect of unlawful combinations will be news to most of them.

The Washington Post, that cannot be said to be prejudiced against the Republican party, says, "There is nothing in the record to show that the man of small capital is finding any protection 'against the crushing effect of unlawful combinations.'"

A man of small capital, if he thinks of embarking in the coal trade, will find the coal trust fixes the price and rules for that business, and most of the profits go to the trust.

An independent meat market owned and operated by men who refuse to deal with the beef trust and adhere to prices fixed by the trust would be forced into bankruptcy in short order in any city of the country in which the trust seeks to control business. In Philadelphia and other cities the tobacco trust is refusing to sell goods to merchants who will not agree to sell none but trust made tobaccos. In fact, there has been nothing in the commercial or industrial history of the last year to indicate that the man who wishes to engage in business has any more protection from the trusts than he has had at any time since the era of consolidation and combination began.

We have noticed that the department of commerce and labor and the department of justice have a large force of very expensive experts at work running the beef combine to its lair. We are also informed by the administration newspapers that Mr. Moody, the new attorney general, and Mr. Metcalf, the new secretary of commerce and labor, "have something up their sleeves," and the beef combine should beware.

Why this extraordinary activity just as the campaign is opening, if the bad trusts have all been curbed as Mr. Root assures us they have? There is a shrewd suspicion by those who ought to know that any activity by the administration against the trusts at this time is to goad them to the proper frame of mind to be liberal when Mr. Cortelyou presents the contribution box. That, like Chairman Hanna, he will promise immunity from molestation if the campaign fund is appropriately "fattened" can hardly be believed of this honest reform administration. Yet there are those well versed in Republican politics who are certain that even a bad trust "that comes down with the dust" need have no fear of the law.

That possibly explains why Mr. Root says there is "no danger of any serious complaint of trust exactions" and President Roosevelt agrees with him, for he read and reread the Root speech before it was delivered and said he was delighted with it.

The Crucial Test.

"Are you sure you love him?" asked the girl who gives advice.

"Almost," answered the girl with the conflicting nature. "I have watched him eat an orange and a cream puff and still retain the impression that he is serenely noble. I am going to watch him eat corn from the cob, and if that doesn't disturb my impressions I shall feel absolutely sure."—Washington Star.

Familiar Example.

"Now, little boys," said the Sunday school superintendent, "I want you to tell me what faith is."

Tommy Tucker broke the silence that followed.

"Goin' out on the pier early in the mornin' to ketch a mess of fish for breakfast," he said.—Chicago Tribune.

Really Parted.

"He's quite bald, I understand."

"Almost. He has just two wisps of hair left."

"Indeed?"

"Yes, and he calls one 'the fool' and the other 'his money.'"—Philadelphia Ledger.

Pinson News.

September 24.—The farmers of this section are busy gathering bountiful harvest.

We are sorry to note the illness of Miss Minnie Loftin.

James Hall and family, of Troy, are visiting in this section.

J M Talbert is working in Thomasville now.

The protracted meeting is in progress at Center. Rev J F Lyndon is assisting Brother Strider in the meeting.

Hack Saunders went to Troy on a business trip a few days ago.

Our photographer, Marion Cagle, is doing some fine work here now.

The protracted meeting will begin at Macedonia the second Sunday in October.

While L M Russell and family were at church, a thief entered his smoke house and stole 25 pounds of meat.

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LAND SALE!

By virtue of an order of sale granted by the Superior court of Randolph County on the petition of S. Brittain, Commissioner, et al against Jacob Coltrane et al, I shall sell at the court house door in Asheboro, N. C., at 12 o'clock M. on the 26th day of October 1904, the following real estate, to wit: A tract of land in Liberty township in said county and bounded as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at red oak Troy's corner, thence s 41 degs. W. 12 chs. and 66 lks. to a white flint, thence s 32 degs. E. 8 chs. and 50 lks. to a bunch of sech bushes in the meadow, thence s. 55 degs. W. 27 chs. and 70 lks. to a stone in Holder's line, thence N. 41 chs. and 42 lks. to a persimmon Coltrane's corner, thence E. 5 chs. and 50 lks. to a hickory, thence N. 2 degs. E. 75 lks. to a white oak, thence E. 80 poles to a stone in Troy's line, thence south on Troy's line to the beginning, containing 78 acres more or less, being the will tract allotted to Steven Coltrane in the division of the lands of Abner Coltrane, subject however to 15 acres sold to Frank Coltrane, and 8 acres sold to Isaac Smith, Dennis Alfred and John Smith, leaving 57 acres more or less.

Terms:—One third cash the remaining two thirds on a credit of six months, the purchaser giving bond and approved security therefor, and the title reserved till the further order of the court.

This 26th day of September 1904.

JOHN T. BRITTAIN,
Commissioner.

LAND SALE.

By virtue of an order of sale granted by the Superior Court of Randolph county on the petition of S. W. Kivett, Jr., administrator of S. W. Kivett, sr., dcecd. against Jesse Rodgers, Claudia Rodgers and others, I shall sell at the court house door in Asheboro, N. C., at 12 o'clock M. on the 26th day of October 1904, the following real estate, to-wit: four tracts of land in said county.

First tract in Randleman township adjoining the lands of Wm. Hardin and others, and bounded as follows: Beginning at a stone Hardin's corner, running thence s. 84 degs. E. 8.33 chains to a stone Hardin's corner, thence N. 29 degs. E. 94 links to a stone corner, thence N. 84 degs. W. 8.33 chains to a stone on the east side of the R. P. R. A. and S. railroad 50 feet from center of track of said railroad, thence south to the beginning. Containing one half acre more or less.

Second tract lying in New Market township near the depot at Sophia, N. C., and bounded as follows: Beginning at a stake in the line of the depot lot running at right angles to said line one chain and 50 links to a stake in the original line, thence west with said line 2 chains and 50 links to a stake corner of depot lot, thence with line of depot lot 2 chains and 50 links to the beginning. Containing one fourth of an acre more or less.

Third tract near Sophia, N. C., in said county, known as the Sampson C. Lassiter lot adjoining the lands of Oliver Garner and others, and containing one acre more or less.

Fourth tract in the town of Staley, N. C., containing one acre more or less, and known as the A. Jordan lands.

Terms:—One-third cash, the remaining two-thirds on a credit of six months, the purchaser giving bond and approved security therefor, and the title reserved till the further order of the court.

S. W. KIVETT, Jr.
Admr. of S. W. Kivett, Sr., decd.

This 26th day of September, 1904.

MORTGAGE SALE

By virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain Mortgage Deed executed by S. C. Miner and J. T. Brewer and wife, Emma M. Brewer to the undersigned Mortgagee, which said mortgage is duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Randolph county in Book No. 107, Page 326. And because of default having been made in the payment of the bond therein secured as provided therein, I will sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash at the court house door in Asheboro, N. C., at twelve o'clock M. on Saturday, October 29th, 1904, the following described real estate conveyed by said mortgage deed, viz:

Beginning at stone, thence N. 20 chains and 79 links to a stone, thence E. 10 chains and 60 links to a stone, thence N. six chains and 60 links to a stone, W. H. Tippett's corner, thence E. 24 degs. east with Tippett's line 11 chains to a small red oak on east side of public road said Tippett's corner, thence S. 33 degs. east with said Tippett's line 19 chains and 50 links to post oak said Tippett's corner, thence E. 10 chains to a black jack or lateral corner, thence W. 7 chains and 50 links to a stake, thence S. 2 degs. W. 32 chains and 40 links to a stone W. D. Burke's corner, thence W. 7 chains to a hickory near the spring said Burke's corner, thence S. 30 links to a pile on the spring branch 8 chains and 30 links to the old Brown's corner, thence down the various courses of said ditch one chain and 87 links to the old line of a stone W. D. Burke's corner, thence with the old line to the beginning. Containing 70 acres be the same more or less. Said land is sold to satisfy the indebtedness secured by said mortgage.

September 27th, 1904.

J. W. TIPPETT,
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