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NEGOTIATIONS

NOT BEGIN

State Library.

Affairs in China Still in a
Disturbed Condi-
tion.

Paoting Fu Captured on Sat-
urday by Allied Forces.

Secret Societies Causing Trouble
Wherever They Get a Chance.

Reported That Cinese Imperial
Troops Have Been Defeated.

London, Oct. 15.—Reports from
South Africa do not indicate a speedy
pacification of the Boers. Marauding
parties are busy in the Orange river
colony wherever there are no garrisons.
They are now threatening Filip-
pino tactics. The story of a American
intervention seems to have supplanted
the promised European aid. The
irreconcilable leaders assure the
burghers that the democrats will cer-
tainly win in the United States in the
coming elections, and 20,000 Ameri-
cans will then immediately sail for
South Africa to oppose the British.

Shanghai, Oct. 15.—A telegram
received today from Li Hung Chang
reporting that he has seen all the for-
eign ministers except the German and
Russian, who are still at Tien Tsin.
Peace negotiations have not yet been
opened. Paoting Fu was captured
on Saturday by an English, German,
French and Italian expedition de-
spatched from Pekin for that purpose.
The local secret societies continue ac-
tive. They entertain pronounced en-
mity against England for her failure
to protect the participants in the Han-
kow trouble. They say they must now
depend wholly on their own resources
and raise disturbances wherever it is
possible to do so.

Hongkong, Oct. 15.—It is reported
here that Sun Yatsen has seized Kiu-
shan, on the East river, and is besieg-
ing Hi Huichau. It is stated that the
Cinese imperial troops have been
defeated, losing 200 killed.

STONEWALL JACKSON'S WIDOW.

A Surgical Operation Performed Yes-
terday by Dr. Tiffany.

Baltimore, Oct. 15.—Mrs. "Stonewall"
Jackson, widow of the famous
confederate general, today submitted
to a surgical operation. The operation
was performed at the infirmary of Dr.
Tiffany. It was said that the opera-
tion was successful, and no unfavora-
ble result is anticipated.

LEAGUE GAMES YESTERDAY.

At Pittsburgh— RHE
Pittsburg .. 2 5 4
Brooklyn .. 6 13 1
Batteries: Waddell and Zimmer; Mc-
Ginaty and McGuire.

SENATOR PRITCHARD.

To Speak Tomorrow Evening in the
Court House.

United States Senator Jeter C. Pritchard
will address the people of this city
at the court house tomorrow night at
8 o'clock.

Senator Pritchard has just returned
from a very successful campaigning
tour through Ohio, Maryland and Ten-
nessee.

All are cordially invited to hear Sen-
ator Pritchard discuss the issues of
the campaign.

Some men are always wanting people
to tell them how good looking they are,
but a woman will stand up in front of
a mirror and see for herself.

THE COLD WEATHER IS HERE,
AND WITH IT HAS COME THE DEM-
AND FOR BANNER OIL HEAT-
ERS. SEE THEM AT J. H. LAWS,
35 PATTON AVENUE. d-f

The man with the hoe is entitled to a
grub.

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GENERAL NELSON A. MILES.

General Miles has begun a vigorous crusade of reform which is stirring
army circles very deeply.

YOUTSEY'S TRIAL PROCEEDS.

Some Sensational Testimony Given by
Arthur Goebel Yesterday.

Georgetown, Oct. 15.—The prosecu-
tion closed its case tonight in the You-
tsey trial which Judge Cantrill ordered
to proceed today notwithstanding
Youtsey's condition. The most sensa-
tional testimony was that of Arthur
Goebel, who reported a conversation
which he claimed to have had with
Youtsey in Franklin county jail, in
which Youtsey said that Combs had
been first engaged to kill Goebel, but
Governor Taylor objected because he
was a negro and then Howard was en-
gaged.

CAMPAIGN APPOINTMENTS.

United States Senator J. C. Pritchard
and Hon. J. R. McCrary will ad-
dress the people on the issues of the
day at the following times and places:
Yadkinville, Tuesday, Oct. 23.
North Wilkesboro, Wednesday, Oct.
24.
Jefferson, Thursday, Oct. 25.
Boone, Friday, Oct. 26.
Lenoir, Saturday, Oct. 27.

Hon. Richmond Pearson and Hon. J.
A. Hendricks will address the people
on the issues of the day at the follow-
ing times and places:
Shelton Laurel, Saturday, Oct. 20.
Big Sandy Marsh, Monday, Oct. 22.

A NEW LOT OF JARDINIERS
AND ERIC-A-BRAC, VERY RICH IN
COLOR AND DESIGN, AT J. H.
LAWS, 35 PATTON AVENUE.

It's impossible for a short man to fall
in love with a tall girl. He must climb
for it.

Adam was the only man ever married
on his wedding Eve.

DRUG STORE NEWS.

Baldwin's Crab Apple Cream is
an excellent application for chapped
hands, rough skin and all in-
flammatory conditions requiring
a cooling, soothing application. It
is pleasant to use, being nicely
perfumed and neither sticky nor
greasy. 25 c.

Grant's No. 24 for cold.

When your child needs to take
Cod Liver Oil give it Grant's Egg
Emulsion. We have a number of
little ones who are now taking it
with a relish and showing re-
markable gains in flesh and
strength.

Grant's Cold Cream, 15 and 25
cents.

Baldwin's Mel Myrrhine is a
tooth and mouth wash that gives
splendid satisfaction. For clean-
ing the teeth, strengthening the
gums and correcting the breath
it is an efficient substitute for
tooth powder. 25c.

Grant's Talcum Powder, 10c.

GRANT'S PHARMACY,

TELEPHONE 10.

WILD TALK BY WEBSTER DAVIS.

Extraordinary Utterance at a Demo-
cratic Mass Meeting Yesterday.

Cumberland, Md., Oct. 15.—Webster
Davis, in an address at a democratic
mass meeting tonight, contradicted the
statement made by Hanna that he
(Davis) had accepted 25,000 pounds
from the Boer government. He declared
that Hanna was a liar, and asserted
that Hanna and his gang played into
the hands of the British and kicked
the bloody British boots for gold. He
said that the British had millions and
Hanna's crowd had millions and if he
(Davis) was out for plunder he would
not have upheld a little band of rag-
ged farmers fighting for liberty. He
declared that the blood of the Boers
was on McKinley's head.

RELRY ON DIVINE AID.

Services to be Held Morning and
Evening at Central Church.

At Central Methodist church Sun-
day evening Pastor Weaver spoke of
the protracted meetings which will be
held during the week at the church, ev-
ery morning at 11 o'clock and evening
at 8. Dr. Weaver asked the sympathy,
prayers and co-operation of the com-
munity in the efforts to be put forth
while the meetings are in progress.

Dr. Weaver expressed the hope that
the church members would make full
spiritual and temporal preparations for
the services. All temporal arrange-
ments, he said, should be made with
reference to the meetings, and that
members should have no other en-
gagement than that of meeting Christ
in his sanctuary.

Dr. Weaver thought many people at-
tached too much importance to hu-
man agency in conducting revival
services. Several times he had been
asked who would assist in the meet-
ings. He thought only Divine aid
was needed, and he advised those who
were relying on some evangelist to ex-
amine the foundation of their faith.

The traveling man wants full fare at
the hotels, but he doesn't object to half
fare on the railroads.

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10 Room House, furnished.....\$200
9 Room House, furnished..... 175
11 Room House, furnished..... 75
9 Room House, furnished.....100
9 Room House, furnished..... 50
5 Room House, furnished..... 35
10 Room House, furnished..... 85
9 Room House, furnished..... 40
Beautiful Country Place, furnished 100
Beautiful 10 Room (new) House
furnished..... 45
8 Room House, unfurnished..... 25
10 Room House, unfurnished..... 25
18 Room House, unfurnished..... 75
12 Room House, unfurnished..... 30
6 Room House, unfurnished..... 16

We have a large amount of property
for sale. Call and see what we have
before you invest. We have some of
the best stock, grain and fruit farms
to be offered in the county for sale very
low.

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SPENCER BLACKBURN SPEAKING IN MITCHELL.

The Rock Ribbed Republican County
Will Give Him 1500 Majority.

Special Correspondence of the Gazette.
Pittsboro, Mitchell County, N. C.,
Oct. 12.—We have arrived in Mitchell
county, faithful old Mitchell with her
solid and sure republican majority.
There has not been a democratic official
elected here for nearly fifteen
years. There are about 2,600 voters in
the county and not more than 600 of
them are democratic. The vote
against the amendment was 1,477 and
the county will give L. N. Spencer
Blackburn majority of at least 1,500
for congress. This means his election, for
he will have a majority of
the votes of the remaining
eleven counties. His majority will de-
pend to some extent on the rascality
resorted to by the democratic machine
in counting the votes. It seems prac-
tically certain now that suppressing
votes isn't such a picnic as the democ-
rats imagined. One of them said a
few days ago that they would be "a little
more careful" since the indictment
of the six registrars at Greensboro.
The after effects of the vote stealing
won't be as pleasant as the work was.
A term in the penitentiary (and they
will all get it) will take the edge off
their keenness to take the right of suf-
frage away from honest men.

Mitchell county was taken away
from the Ninth congressional district
by the democratic legislature to weak-
en the republican strength in the
Ninth. The Ninth was almost certain-
ly republican then and the Eighth to
which it was attached, was considered
strongly enough democratic to offset
her republican majority. The Ninth is
still republican and will elect her re-
publican candidate, Major Moody, and
the Eighth is made certain for the re-
publican column by the addition of
Mitchell.

If any people in the United States
realize the importance of keeping the
present administration in power, it is
her citizens. They are better off than
they have ever been, I am told, and de-
spite the fake democratic issues will
vote right. They know that under
Harrison their products were high.
When Cleveland was elected every-
thing dropped, and rose again after
McKinley came into office. They will
turn out to a man to make Mr. Black-
burn's majority so large that there can
be no doubt of his election.

The country is devoted mainly to
grazing and Mr. Blackburn's contrast
of prices admits of no contradiction.
And another reason for their support of
him, aside from this agreement
with his policies, is that he is a mount-
ain boy and they respect and admire
him as every one of the mountain coun-
ties do. He takes a personal interest
in them also, and in contrast the dem-
ocratic candidate has actually made
enemies of his own people in this coun-
ty.

Today has been cold, dark, dismal
and altogether disagreeable, but despite
all this Spencer Blackburn was
greeted by a fine crowd at Vance's
store, with a number of women among
them. His talk was well received.

Major W. W. Rollins of Asheville
will speak soon at Harrell, Red Fern
and Spruce Pine, in the county. He
is popular here and is just the man
needed.

Today is lost if you pass it without
having laughed at least once.

The man who owes money usually
worries less than the man he owes it
to.

Best grades coal, coke, lard coal.
Lowest prices. Phone 40.—Asheville
Ice & Coal Co.

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ple's Column.

"ROCKBROOK FARM CREAMERY BUTTER."



We are showing every day an
EXHIBITION OF HIGH GRADE FOODS
and choice provisions, that will
inspire confidence in our gro-
cery methods.

Ferris Hams at 17 cents and
Ferris Bacon at 18 cents is the
best the market offers.

Have you tried "Pillsbury"
Flour for light bread and rolls?
It is used by our bakers.
24 lb. sacks, 75 cents.

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THE SITUATION IMPROVING

It is Thought That Strike
Will Not Continue
Long.

Leaders Spread Report That
Work Will be Resumed.

Favorable Answer From Reading Co
Expected by Wednesday

Sliding Scale, it is Said, Not Likely to
be an Obstacle.

Wilkesbarre, Oct. 15.—The leaders
here are spreading the report that
work will be resumed on Thursday, the
strike being declared off on Wednes-
day. They say that several big com-
panies will accept the propositions of
the convention. They declare that the
companies which have not yet offered
an increase will be forced to do so and
the whole region will be at work in a
week. The operators on the other
hand say that they have no knowledge
when the end of the strike will come.

Scranton reports from all quarters
this evening show that the situation is
more hopeful and those in a position to
know say the strike will not continue
longer than the present week. Mitch-
ell said before his departure today that
if the operators would appoint a com-
mittee the miners would be only too
glad to appoint one and to convey to
the operators the result of the conven-
tion.

Pottsville, Oct. 15.—The general be-
lief here tonight that the Reading com-
pany will be among the first to an-
nounce they have accepted the terms
of the miners' convention and that the
sliding scale will be no obstacle. The
miners look for Reading's favorable
answer by Wednesday.

Hazleton, Oct. 15.—Mitchell arrived
here this evening. He declined to be
interviewed or have anything to say
about the situation.

LOCAL FREIGHT PLANT

Will be Materially Enlarged and Im-
proved.

The freight buildings on the local
yards of the Southern Railway com-
pany are to be greatly enlarged and
improved. It is understood that the
improvements have already been au-
thorized, but it is not yet certain when
the work will be begun. The change
will include a number of office rooms.

The Southern has for a great while
been doing a big freight business in
this section, and there is a strong de-
mand for enlarged facilities on the lo-
cal yards.

DEATH OF MR. PENNIMAN.

Funeral Services Will be Held This
Morning.

William Ridgely Penniman died yes-
terday morning at his home at Emma
at the age of 79. The funeral will take
place this morning at 11 o'clock at
the residence and will be conducted by
Rev. McNeely DuBose. The interment
will be at Riverside.

The deceased left four children, W.
Talbot Penniman, William Ridgely
Penniman, jr., Miss Anna W. Penni-
man and Miss Ellen B. Penniman.

A man may select his own compan-
ions, but his relations are thrust upon
him.

Woman can't always measure a lov-
er's sincerity by his sighs.

IT'S POPULAR.

1500 boxes of Wheat-Hearts were con-
sumed in Asheville during August.



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