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LOCAL BRIEFS

THE Graded School children say they are certain they will get holiday when the big circus comes, because it will be here on Saturday.

REGISTRATION books for precinct A are now open at the Goldsboro Book store for the election on the bond question A new registration is required.

THE ARGUS enters a new volume to-day, which, when completed, six months hence, will round up 13 years of its existence and its work for the advancement of Goldsboro.

MRS. S. D. Petteway is now receiving and displaying a handsome line of new fall goods for ladies' wear and general household utility at her place of business on West Centre street opposite the Messenger Opera House.

THERE is quite a humorous novelty on exhibition in the show windows of the jewelry store of Mr. R. A. Watts that does not fail to attract the attention and induce a smile from the passers by. It is the face of a little child listening to the click of a small clock that it holds to its ear. The automatic rolling of the eyes and the expression of wonderment are perfect.

THE Goldsboro School of Shorthand, Typewriting and Telegraphy is already meeting with success. We are all interested in a school of this kind, For right at home for a small sum of money any young man or young woman of ordinary intelligence can become self-supporting. Capt. T. H. Bain will give all information concerning the school.

THE death of Mr. Wm. Thigpen, 71 years old, occurred Tuesday night at his home in the Nahunta section. He was a deacon of the Primative Baptist church and held membership with the congregation at Nahunta. The funeral was held from the home yesterday afternoon, conducted by Revs. J. W. Gardner and T. B. Lancaster, and was attended by a host of sorrowing relatives and friends.

IN a letter to Mayor Hill Mr R. H. Lewis, Secretary of the State Board of Health says, "the Board will hold its annual health conference with the people of Goldsboro on the 14th inst. The subjects discussed will be both interesting and practical." He asks that the Mayor try to get the ladies as well as men to attend. Mr. Jos. E. Robinson, the editor of the ARGUS, will deliver the address of welcome to the board.

THE proposition of the Debs Social Democracy to build a railroad seventy-five miles long and turn it over to the city of Nashville at a nominal cost in order to give impetus to the doctrine of the public ownership of transportation lines, is a very emphatic illustration of the faith of the Debsites in the doctrine itself, but it will be a tremendous undertaking should it require the building of many roads on such terms before the doctrine takes a firm root in the minds of the people.

THE negro Sam Wright now confined in jail for the murder of Mr. W. A. Carr is now trying to bring in another as the perpetrator of this foul murder—one of the most dastardly ever committed in the annals of the State. It is true this big burly negro is a fiend, but at the same time he is a negro of more than ordinary intelligence—in fact, he is shrewd, and he is no doubt trying to concoct a plan to turn State's evidence and thus get clear himself. But in this he will sadly fail. From his own voluntary testimony before the Coroner there is not a shadow of doubt of his guilt. Furthermore, we believe he was the sole perpetrator of that bloody murder, But right here we desire to emphasize the fact, that there is not the shadow of a doubt that when the Superior Court meets next week, he will be tried, sentenced, and in a few days thereafter will be hung. Our people have felt this way all along—law abiding people as they are, they would not take the law into their own hands, but let the law take its course. And the people did right, too. There are no better and braver men in the world than many of the citizens of Fork township, and they have acted nobly in this matter, After the murder, they went to work coolly and deliberately to apprehend the murderer, and when he had been apprehended, bowing in respect to the majesty of the law, the great protector of us all, they have left the wretch in the hands of the lawful authorities.

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TRIBULATION HALL.

Where Justice is Meted Out Without Prejudice or Partiality.

(By Our Special Reporter.)

"The circus has come and gone," remarked His Honor, on taking his seat, "and I am glad to note that the arrests were few and the town was orderly like all other days."

"Call the first case, Mr. Clerk."

(Drunk and disorderly.) Officer Denmark rises. "Your Honor, I found this man on the corner of Walnut and John streets. He was talking as if to some one. I stopped and listened": "Ah, you beautiful and silvery moon, shedding your light o'er the land and sea, to guide the weary wanderer on; and you, too, twinkling little starlits, glimmering and blinking at me so, 'how I wonder what you are,' nit; 'Sweet Marie, come to me'—Whoopee, Whoopeela, garldarned police." "I collared him, Your Honor, and by the light of the moon I placed him where he could see the stars through the bars. I searched him and found two revolvers, one pair of brass knucks, two sticks of candy, one choroote, $41 in cash, a bottle of liquor, and a link of balona sausage."

"Well, that may do to stand around in the Yelverton Church section, Mr. Star Gazer, and walker around, but in this town, never. You can give bond in the sum of $50 for your appearance at the next term of Superior Court," remarked His Honor. He furnished the bond, and as the man that hailed from about Yelverton's Church went out, he remarked, "the moon is silvery because it is divided up into halves and quarters, and I don't care what anyone says to the contrary."

Next case—same old crap game.

"Yes, Mr. Jedge, I did 'dulge in a little pastime, jest for fun. You know a nigger ain't no nigger 'tall widout he know how to play crap; dere is somethin' fascinatin 'bout it, Jedge: you jes kaint help it to save yer life. Now it's dis way: I was settin down on de corner by Mr. Bass's store—you know de place. Well, chummy settin over dare say come on' Jim, less go over to de jint an, have some fun. Fust I said I'd never do it, 'Chief Freeman done gone and hodooed dat club room, and shore's I'm black he'll git you sartin—dis coon ain't gwine dare.' Lija he come 'long an blinked his off eye at me; I blinked back, (dats' our private club pass word), an we all gits up and promulgated to de club room. Well, all was serene and joyous, but somehow de rattle of de bones 'tracted 'tention In de 'citement o' de game, niggers forgot all 'bout perlice and fust news you know de whole club room was surrounded. One nigger he went up de chimney an' some behin' de doah, and de game come to a close; but 'fore de Lord Mr. Hill, dare was not a cent put up: we wus only playin' fur fun, jes like dey do all over town, and de Lord knows it's de trufe."

The Clerk was instructed to confine the whole crop of crap players for future reference. One of them, however, handed in a few remarks:

"There's a little side joint just over the way,
And people go there a game for to play;
They handled the cards and chips in a way
That one man lost big money, I heard 'em say.
He squealed and he kicked 'cause he'd lost,
And he looked like a "tater" vine after a frost.
He asked 'em to give a part of it back,
But they answered:
We ain't playing snipe, if you did hold the sack.'"

The spectators were many, but the look that hung over the Court caused them to depart silently, and in a short while Tribulation had resumed its wonted appearance.

Hood's pills are the favorite family cathartic and liver medicine, Price 25

TWO PEN PICTURES.

LOOK ON THIS.

"The only Republican I can find who approves Russell's course is Marshall Mott, and this is because Russell is the only man left for him to go to. Russell could not now get one vote where he got 500 last year. Butler's purpose is to kill Russell so far as Republicans are concerned. If the anti-Democratic nominee for the Senate in 1900 is to be from the East Russell would logically be the man. Butler will so kill him that as between the two, Republicans would rather vote for him than Russell. He is like wax in Butler's hands. He has no political sagacity and Butler has pandered to his vanity until he is beside himself. Our party will pay no attention to Russell. We can't afford to do so. He has voluntarily put himself 'beyond the pale.' He broods over imaginary things until he finally believes them and then acts. He will not serve out his term if any one will bring articles of impeachment against him before the next Legislature. His railway movements are all in the interest of his lawyers. I do not know one act of his which can be construed to be in the interest of the State."—H. L. Grant on Governor Russell in an interview in Thursday's Wilmington Messenger.

THEN ON THIS.

"Grant is a Hessian who betrayed his constituents in order to get the smiles and favors of the monopolists, and he is one of the sneaks and traitors whose existence and safety attest to the liberality and toleration of the decent people among whom he lives. He came to my house, uninvited, to tell me about his devotion to me and about how he had been misrepresented, and the rigmarole about his being ostracised and persecuted in Goldsboro on account of his being a Republican. I suppressed my contempt for him and treated him politely, but made him no promises and accepted none of his fraternal advances." — Gov. Russell on H. L. Grant, in an interview in yesterday's Raleigh News-Observer.

The ARGUS fully concurs in the estimates of the two talking celebrities above quoted—the one of the other interchangeably.

Wonder how Grant feels under this impress of Governor Russell's estimate of him? Wonder how Russell feels under the burden of Grant's opinion of him? Well, it does not make any material difference how they feel; but their interchange of compliments is proof positive—for they know each other well—that these "Reformers" whom fusion has foisted into prominence and place in North Carolina are the same ravenous rascals that ran riot here in '68.

It is an old adage, "When thieves fall out, just men get their dues." What with Marion Butler and Otho Wilson, Major Grant and Gov. Russell, the promoters of fusion and the ring-masters of "reform" now exposing one another's villiany as none other can, there is hope that the people the honest yeomanry who went off with this gang of leaders and by fusing with the lowest strata of citizenship, the uncouth and untutored negro, voted these men into office, will now see into what a pitiable plight they have brought our once proud and still grand old Commonwealth and return, with contrite convictions of their error, to their first love and only benefactor—the great Democratic party, whose adherents are patriots and whose principles are eternal.

Fits Cured

From U.S. Journal of Medicine. Prof. W. H. Peeke, who makes a specialty of Epilepsy, has without doubt treated and cured more cases than any living Physician; his success is astonishing. We have heard of cases of 20 years' standing cured by him. He publishes a valuable work on this disease, which he sends with a large bottle of his absolute cure, free to any sufferers who may send their P. O. and Express address. We advise any one wishing a cure to address Prof. W. H. PEEKE, F. D., 4 Cedar St., New York

Do You Use It?

It's the best thing for the hair under all circumstances. Just as no man by taking thought can add an inch to his stature, so no preparation can make hair. The utmost that can be done is to promote conditions favorable to growth. This is done by Ayer's Hair Vigor. It removes dandruff, cleanses the scalp, nourishes the soil in which the hair grows, and, just as a desert will blossom under rain, so bald heads grow hair, when the roots are nourished. But the roots must be there. If you wish your hair to retain its normal color, or if you wish to restore the lost tint of gray or faded hair use

Ayer's Hair Vigor.

In Memoriam.

On Sunday evening, July 22nd, 1897, the white-winged messenger of death entered the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Edgerton and bore away one of our fairest, sweetest flowers, Smithy Lillian, their little three-year-old darling. Though so young, the little one was a general favorite. All who knew her loved her. After the shadow of the angel wing was seen on her sweet face, all that loving hands could do was administered, but the little one gradually sank, and at 5 o'clock Sunday evening she fell asleep in Jesus, from which she will never wake to weep.

Little Lillian was a very intelligent child. Fond parents, though with crushed and bleeding hearts, look up to Him and pray that you may be resigned.

'Tis but a young and tender flower,
Wafted to the Heavenly shore,
Where in perpetual beauty,
It will bloom forever more.

Weep not, fond parents, for Lillian,
From this troublesome life she is free,
And is safe in the arms of Him who said:
"Suffer little children to come unto me."

—LILLIE BLALOCK,

Pinkney, N. C., October 6, '97.

THE tax collector is much in evidence. That tax law passed by the last legislature is outrageous. It is true people should pay their taxes, but the times of payment should be made as easy as possible. At this season of the year, just at the change of seasons, when winter clothes, shoes &c are to be bought, and the poor man is hard pressed, he must work his eye-balls almost out to get money to pay his taxes. And what is to be done with that money, that must be paid? Why, theusands of dollars of it will go up to Worth, the State Treasurer, and remain idle in his hands for months and months. These are cold facts.

Running sores, indolent ulcers and similar troubles, even though of many year's standing, may be cured by using DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve It soothes, strengthens and heals. It is the great pile cure. J. H. Hill & Son, Goldsboro, and John R. Smith, Mt. Olive.

JUST what is the matter with cotton is a perplexing problem. Various theories are advanced as to the present falling tendency, yet there is general belief that advance is bound to come. Mr. Worthington C. Ford of the Bureau of Statistics does not think that cotton from other countries will cut much figure in the way of meeting demands of the world for cotton. The crop this year is unquestionably less than will be needed, still prices are too low to enable farmers to meet expenses.

NO CURE—NO PAY.

That is the way all druggists sell GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC for Chills and all forms of fevers—Malaria. It is simply iron and quinine in a tasteless form. Children love it. Adults prefer it to bitter nauseating tonics. Price 25c. J. H. Hill & Son, Goldsboro, N. C.

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It was semi-officially announced in Madrid yesterday that Captain General Weyler, at to-day's session of the cabinet, will be recalled from Cuba.

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JEFFERSON ON WHISKEY.

N. Y. Sun.

While the advocates of the various brands of alleged Jeffersonian Democracy now on the political market in Greater New York all unite in condemning the Raine's Liquor law, not one of these mottled organization ventures to occupy the real Jeffersonian ground as to the making, selling, and drinking of whiskey.

The great founder of the Democratic party devoted much time and thought to the liquor question. It formed part of the text of at least one message to Congress, and in his rich and voluminous correspondence it was frequently the subject of thoughtful suggestion and speculation. In the second year of his first administration, when Jeffersonian principles were triumphant everywhere, Jefferson, in a special message to Congress, urged that body vigorously to prohibit the carrying of whiskey into the Indian reservations. "The Indians," he said, "are very sensible of the baneful effects produced on their morals, their health and existence, by the abuse of ardent spirits, and some of them earnestly desire a prohibition of that article from being carried among them. The Legislature will consider whether the effectuating that desire would not be in that spirit of benevolence and liberality which they have hitherto practised toward their own neighbors, and which has had so happy an effect toward conciliating their friendship."

But it was not from the untutored savage alone that Jefferson desired to remove the perilous temptation and unrestricted opportunity of indulgence in whiskey. In his earnest spirit of benevolence and exalted morality, he was eager to save his white fellow citizens from what he characterized its "poisonous contamination," by putting the price so high through legislative enactments that the masses could not afford to buy it. This was Jefferson's position on the whiskey traffic, as will be seen by the subjoined extract from a letter written by him, in 1823, to Gen. Samuel Smith:

"I shall be glad if an additional tax of one-fourth of a dollar a gallon on whiskey shall enable us to meet all our engagements with punctuality. Viewing that tax as an article in a system of excise, I was once glad to see it fall with the rest of the system, which I considered as prematurely and unnecessarily introduced. It was evident that our existing taxes were then equal to our existing debts. It was clearly foreseen also that the surplus from excise would only become aliment for useless officers, and would be swallowed up in idleness by those whom it would withdraw from useful industry. Considering it only as a fiscal measure, this was right.

"But the prostration of body and mind which the cheapness of this liquor is spreading through the mass of our citizens now calls the attention of the legislator on a very different principle. One of the important duties is as guardian of those who from causes susceptible of precise definition cannot take care of themselves. Such are infants, maniacs, gamblers, drunkards. The last, as much as the maniac, requires restrictive measures to save him from the fatal infatuation under which he is destroying his health, his morals, his family, and his usefulness to society. One powerful obstacle to his ruinous self-indulgence would be a price beyond his competence. As a sanitary measure, therefore, it becomes one of duty in the public guardians."

Evidently Jefferson's "personal liberty" principle was not intended by him to mean that the citizen should have the right to buy prime Kentucky bourbon whenever and wherever he pleased. On the contrary, Jefferson, could he have had his way, would have put in force all the enginery of national, State, and municipal legislation to raise the price of whiskey so high that only a very rich citizen could afford to purchase it. This is what Mr. Bryan would probably call legislating in the interest of monopolies and against the poor man.

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After eminent physicians and all other eminent physicians fail Botanic Blood Balm (B.B.B.) will quickly cure. Thousands of testimonials attest this fact. No case of rheumatism can stand before its magic healing power. Send stamp for book of particulars. It contains evidence that will convince you that B. B. B. is the best cure for all blood and Skin diseases ever discovered. Beware of substitutes said to be just as good. $1 per large bottle. For sale by all druggists and J. H. Hill & Son

Can't Eat

This is the complaint of thousands at this season. They have no appetite; food does not relish. They need the toning up of the stomach and digestive organs, which a course of Hood's Sarsaparilla will give them. It also purifies and enriches the blood, cures that distress after eating and internal misery only a dyspeptic can know, creates an appetite, overcomes that tired feeling and builds up and sustains the whole physical system. It so promptly and efficiently relieves dyspeptic symptoms and cures nervous headaches, that it seems to have almost "a magic touch."

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WHEN our Northern friends fully learn the advantages of living in a country where a man could work ten hours a day and 365 days in the year if necessaay, they will not be long in moving to North Carolina permanently. The idea prevails in the North and Northwest that the Southern summer is a terror—and only negroes and "natives" can stand it—and the latter only where they are indolent. The true state of affairs will be learned within a few years and will result in great good for our glorious State.

Moments are useless if trifled away, and they are dangerously wasted if consumed by delay in cases where One Minute Cough Cure would bring immediate relief. J. H. Hill & Son, Goldsboro and Jno. R. Smith, Mt Olive.

W. W. Ashby, Washington correspondent of the Norfolk, Va., Landmark, has been appointed United States consul at Colon.

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Proof, yes overwhelming proof can be furnished of the excellent curative qualities of Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup. "I caught a cold which led to a cough and pain in the chest. (pneumonia?) I bought Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup, and after taking one bottle of it, the cough began to disappear; when I finished taking the second bottle I was cured. Gustav Thurmaster, 49 Hickory St., Cleveland, O." Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup costs but 25 cents. Take only Bull's.

Mobile, Oct. 6.—There were six new cases of yellow fever today, Total cases to date, 109; deaths, 17; recovered, 60; remaining under treatment, 33. There were two new localities of infection found to-day.

If you have ever seen a little child in a paroxysm of whooping cough, or if you have been annoyed by a constant tickling of the throat, you can appreciate the value of One Minute Cough Cure, which gives quick relief. J. H. Hill & Son, Goldsboro, and John R. Smith, Mt. Olive.

Chicago, Oct. 8.—The evidence of the prosecution in trial of Adolph Luetgert is now before the jury. The State rested its case this afternoon.

A Timely Friend.

With perfect propriety may we call that excellent remedy, Salvation Oil, a timely friend. This liniment rapidly cures rheumatism, neuralgia and pains, when other remedies fail. Mr. Jno. M. Hall, Ashland, Va., writes: "I suffered with rheumatism in the ankle and the muscles connected therewith. Salvation Oil at once relieved the soreness, reduced the swelling, and cured the pain. No other liniment that I ever used did me so much good."

West Union, W. Va., Oct. 8.—An epedemic of fever six miles south of here is causing consternation among the inhabitants. Physicians differ in their opinions as to the kind of fever, some claiming it is typhoid, while two of the most prominent physicians in the State assert it is a mild type of yellow fever.

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Ex-Senator John R. McPherson, of New Jersey, died last night.

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