

Goldsboro Weekly Argus

"This ARGUS o'er the people's rights
Doth an eternal vigil keep;

No soothing strains of Maia's son
Can lull its hundred eyes to sleep."

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OUR STATE'S GREAT NEED.

Immigration is the Vital Requisite to Industrial Growth.

The ARGUS has for years advocated desirable immigration for North Carolina and diversified crops and manufacturing enterprises—such as intelligent, industrious immigrants would bring to us; and at no time has the foresight and consequent policy of this paper been more emphatically endorsed than by President Roosevelt in his recent message to Congress.

In that document he says—speaking of the class of immigrants as advocated by the ARGUS for this section:

"We need more of such immigration for the south, and special effort should be made to secure it. Perhaps it would be possible to limit the number of immigrants allowed to come in any one year to New York and other northern cities, while leaving unlimited the number allowed to come to the south."

The Chattanooga convention decided to invite Italians to come to the south, and all that is needed to complete the plan and give the south all the children of Sunny Italy that it can place is an adoption of the plan outlined by the President in his message.

The ARGUS has for years urged the turning of the Italian tide to New Orleans, Galveston, and Savannah. The government has full power over arriving immigrants. It can say when, where and how they shall be landed, or it can shut them out altogether, as it already has done in the case of the Chinese. It can say that all Italians shall be landed in New Orleans, and this is precisely what it should do. "As much as possible," says President Roosevelt, "should be done to distribute the immigrants upon the land and keep them away from the congested tenement house district of the great cities." Land them, then, in the south, where cheap lands are open to them—where one-third of the area is unimproved and unoccupied.

Let Congress study the situation, and approve all else let them view the question free from influences brought to bear by the esteemed steamship lobby. President Roosevelt has got the immigration sow by the right ear. The Italians will never be placed where they can grow ten-cent cotton while they are landed a thousand miles from the fields, and when this is done the congenial climate, fertile soil and inviting possibilities of Eastern North Carolina will be sure to attract a goodly share of this desirable element of citizenship; and Goldsboro, being the gate city of the east, will reap richly the results of such immigration.

RAW BLEEDING SCALY ECZEMA

Looked More Like Piece of Raw Beef Than Human Being—Doctors Useless—Blessed Relief and First Real Sleep in Weeks After First Application, and

SPEEDY CURE BY CUTICURA REMEDIES

"Words cannot describe the terrible eczema I suffered with. I was almost a solid mass of sores from head to foot, and looked more like a piece of raw beef than a human being. Blood and pus oozed from a great many places, and I was unable to get any sleep. My hair fell out, and I could not sit down, for my clothes would stick to the raw and bleeding sores. I tried many remedies, but they all failed. My doctor told me to try Cuticura. I did so, and in a few days I was able to get some sleep. In a short time I was completely cured. If any one doubts this, I will write to me.—Mrs. Wm. Hunt, 125 Thomas St., Newark, N. J."

Some one, through mistake, took away a shoe box from the store of Gardner, Thompson & Rockley, in Goldsboro on Saturday, containing a considerable number of articles of jewelry and fancy wearing apparel not made up. The person who took this box is requested to return it at the above store at their earliest convenience.

Rec'd by 3.50 active money and Tar Cases all Coughs, and expels Colds from the system by gently moving the bowels.

MILL RETAIN POSTMASTERS

CORTLEYOU PLANS TO APPLY CIVIL SERVICE RULES TO THEM.

Efficient Service to the People the Only Requirement to Hold Over in Administration Changes.

Washington Post, Dec. 7. The determination of the administration to enforce a rule permitting Presidential postmasters to continue in office beyond the four-year term, in the event that they have proved efficient, has been received by Republican Senators and Representatives with varying degrees of emotion.

It was brought out emphatically yesterday that Postmaster General Cortleyou has decided to apply what means, in effect, civil service reform in the appointment of postmasters, and that where the term of such an official has expired he will be continued in the service, if his record is reported to be "good" or "excellent." The statement was made several days ago that the Postmaster General contemplated the adoption of such a policy, but at the time it was not believed that the "merit principle" would be extended beyond the smaller offices.

"If the term of the postmaster at New York expired today he would be reappointed, regardless of organization or machine, if he had shown himself to be in every way efficient." This statement was made yesterday by a department official, who speaks with authority, and who is in every way conversant with the views of Postmaster General Cortleyou. New York was merely used as an illustration to show that the merit principle would be extended to the larger as well as the smaller offices. "While an efficient utterance on this point is not forthcoming, it is known that President Roosevelt is in hearty accord with Mr. Cortleyou's new policy, which is regarded in some quarters as revolutionary, and as likely to create a serious breach between the administration and a majority of the Republican members in the House.

PIKE BUFF ITEMS.

The weather has been warm and pleasant for the past week.

Rev. Barna Perkins gave us an interesting sermon Sunday, which was listened to by a large audience.

Miss Ella Holland of near Pikeville, is visiting her aunt Mrs. Mary Holland, of this section.

Mrs. Joe Brown and son Wade, visited Mrs. Leroy Bass of Walter section.

There will be a Christmas tree at Nahants, December 23rd, Saturday evening. Everybody is invited to come, and all that will and want to can put presents on the tree. Don't forget this.

At the home of Mr. Joseph Brown last Thursday afternoon at four o'clock, his daughter Nora, was united in marriage to Mr. Andrew Brewer. The ceremony was performed by Magistrate Nathan Hooks of Fremont. The following were the attendants: Wade Brown and Etta Brewer, Luther Edgerton and Lewis Brown, Fred Smith and Cora Brewer, Thedie Fulgham and Orval Smith, Willis Woodard and Carrie Edgerton. After the ceremony was over an elegant supper was served at the home of the bride's parents. This young couple who have just launched out on the sea of matrimony are both very popular and number their friends by the score, all of whom wish them a long and happy life.

SAY ITS A FAKE.

Report That Utley and Wilcox in Penitentiary Got Pistols and Planned to Escape.

Raleigh News-Observer. A report has been published in some papers out of Raleigh, sent out in Raleigh correspondence that Utley of Fayetteville, in the State's Prison for the murder of the clerk in the hotel at Fayetteville, and Wilcox, of Elizabeth City, in for the murder of Nell Crösey, had secured pistols, had plotted to shoot the guards and escape, but had been betrayed by a third party. From an official at the State Prison it was learned last night that the report was entirely wrong, that there was nothing in it. It was stated positively that neither of the men had pistols nor had they been found with them. "There is absolutely no truth in it," is the statement that is authorized to be made in the matter.

\$100.—Dr. E. Detchou's Anti-Diuretic may be worth to you more than \$100 if you have a child who soils bedding from incontinence of water during sleep. Cures old and young alike. It arrests the trouble at once. \$1. Sold by M. E. Robin.

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Cotton Growing Hereafter.

The Department of Agriculture says the present crop of cotton will prove to be but 10,167,818 bales. Its guess may be a trifle low, but it has thus far been sustained by the reports gathered from the ginners, and it may remain approximately correct to the final count of bales.

It is reasonably certain at any rate that the south has not made enough cotton to meet the world's requirements. It has not made enough to go around at a time when an unprecedented crop had supplanted the situation have been if there had been no such surplus?

The fear is felt that the south cannot hereafter meet the demands of the world in a season of average conditions. A crop of 12,000,000 bales will hereafter be expected from this country, and every bale of such a crop will bring ten cents. This is the assurance that brings comfort to this section of the country. Its great crop is needed by a naked world, which stands ready to pay 10 cents for it. Much comfort and accumulating wealth are involved in this situation, which has come to stay.

But the fact that the world looks to this country for its commercial crop of cotton brings a serious responsibility. We must meet it. We must grow an average crop of 12,000,000 bales. We must bustle, in other words, for it is far from certain that in a season of average weather, haps and mishaps, we can grow that much cotton. In order to maintain our position and render assurance doubly sure we must do it, and it is none too early to begin to hustle.

A TERRIBLE SIGHT.

Vanderbilt and Mackay See Train Strike Woman.

Greensboro, N. C. Dec. 8.—This afternoon at Jamestown, seven miles from here, while William H. Vanderbilt and Clarence Mackay were standing near their private car on a siding at Vanderbilt's game preserves, they had visual experience of an accident on Mr. Vanderbilt's Southern Railway which will not soon forget. A fast through freight was approaching, and in front of it walked a woman, Mrs. Susan Cavenish and three children.

The children hurried off the track just as the nother was pick up by the pilot and hurried twenty feet into ditch. She fell in ten feet of the wealthy New Yorkers; who rushed to her aid.

The woman, who proved to be a deaf mute, was carefully lifted and found to be conscious. She was badly injured, one arm broken and a hand crushed. Physicians were summoned and the unfortunate woman passed on a mattress in a spring wagon and sent to the hospital at High Point for treatment, with directions that the bill be sent to Vanderbilt and Mackay, and not to spare expense.

The scene of this accident was within a few miles of where George Gonid last year, while hunting, shot his vallet instead of a bird. The injured man was sent on a special train to New York, with both eyes apparently shot out, but one eye was saved. A handsome annuity was settled on the victim, who married his hospital nurse.

A man in Omaha called the "tax title king" wears a suit that cost him \$1,35 spends ten cents a day for food and is reputed to be worth \$1,000,000. He saved up enough tobacco tags to get a sewing machine from a tobacco company but when he delivered the tags he found that express charges on the machine would be more than it was worth. Somehow, we are glad.

NEWS FROM WALTER.

NEWS BRIEFS FROM THAT COMMUNITY.

Chronicle of a Week's Events in That Thriving Neighborhood.

ARGUS BUREAU WALTER, N. C. Dec. 13, 1905.

Miss Sadie Howell, of your city, who has been visiting the Misses Swinson, returned home Sunday evening.

Mr. Leon Smith and Misses Mabel Smith and Julia Gurley, of your city, were out here Friday night, attending the supper given at the Ebenezer school house.

Her many friends will regret to learn that Mrs. Toby Howell is confined to her bed by sickness. We hope soon to see her fully restored to her health.

Mr. Bright Thompson has purchased property in our community, and is building in the grove just beyond Chaptal church, having bought the Walter school house, which he will move, and remodel into a nice dwelling.

Mr. Geo. Mitchell has sold his farm here, and bought one near Smithfield, and will move to his new home in the near future. We wish him all sorts of success among the good people of Johnston.

Mr. Ellis Hine's cow having failed in her milk, he had about decided to get rid of her, when he discovered that three pigs, he was raising by hand, had a corner on the milk business. They would milk the cow every time they found her lying down, and when she was standing they would run around and squeal and root against her legs until she would "hyet," and "saw back your leg," and when they would strip her in a few minutes. Motherly instincts is wonderful and often strongly developed.

The ice cream and oyster supper at Ebenezer school house last Friday night was one of the most enjoyable occasions that ever had the boards of this community. There was plenty to tempt the inner man, and a good crowd present. The voting contest was a feature of pleasure and excitement, resulting in Miss Sarah Pipkin being awarded the prize, which consisted of a fine box of candy. The proceeds amounted to some over forty dollars. To Miss Emma Uzzell, the efficient teacher, is due the credit of the occasion.

Our hens are on a strike, and it now looks as if egg nog around here Christmas was going to be "gagacy" scarce, but if we can induce them to resume operations for one day, the result would be that we would have some to spare. It can find out the cause of the "work ing out of the shop," we will gladly remedy it and get them to get work again. But the strike has been on for a week or more, and we are anxious now for them to begin again to shell out the goods.

Our entire community regrets to see Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Tripp leave us. They have been here the full time allotted by Conference and during that time have made many warm friends, who regret to see them leave. They will ever have a warm place in the hearts of our people, and the good work done by Mr. Tripp on the entire circuit will stand as a monument to his untiring energy, and faith in that cause for which he has consecrated his life's work. May Heavens blessings attend them all through life's journey.

A Youth killed himself the other day because he was surfeited with pleasure. The mood which prompted him to do the deed was like that of the old Romans who drank potent wine at the banquet table and expired in the arms of their friends, convinced that they had drained the cup of life to the dregs and that only the legs remained. To them it was better to end life at the crest than wait for the slow decline, the enfeebling grip of old age and the relentless march of disease. They stood at the top of the hill, drunk with pleasure, and died gladly, rather than face the ruin which dissipation eventually brings. Lucky they are not yet enough wealth in this country to permit of the degeneracy and blindness of "pendid-Rome." Will the day come when Americans will seek escape in death from pleasures sought with gold?

Roanoke Rapids, N. C., Dec. 12.—At an election held in the town of Roanoke Rapids yesterday for dispensary or saloons the dispensary won out by twenty-nine majority, the vote being sixty-three for dispensary and thirty-four for saloons. Quite a number of prohibitionists refused to vote, that not being an issue.

Greensboro, N. C., Dec. 12.—News has been received of a distressing and fatal accident which occurred a few miles from Mount Airy in Patrick county, Virginia. The 14-year-old son of Robert Hery was carelessly handling a pistol when it discharged, the ball having effect in the heart of a young man named Gates, who was standing near.

Raleigh, Dec. 12.—Much interest is being manifested here over the recently disclosed plans of the South and Western railroad, under construction a portion of Virginia and Spruce Pine, Mitchell county, to Marion, and projected from there via Ruthersford to Spartanburg, S. C.

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Mr. Creech has established a reputation for "up-to-dateness," so that when you purchase an article from him you do not need to worry as to whether it is the latest creation of its kind. He keeps posted, and keeps his stock abreast of the times; and consequently his customers are always satisfied customers—and that is another secret of his phenomenal success and established reputation at home and abroad.

No where does public spirit tell to reflexive advantage as it does in a business man. The public appreciate it, and what the public appreciate they patronize.

Just now Mr. Creech is showing some of the handsomest goods ever displayed in Goldsboro—no finer to be found anywhere, and his store looks like the headquarters of wealth in its superb stock of cut glass, hand-painted chins, silverware, in exquisite designs and artistic shavers and decorative chests of silver, diamonds and other precious jewels, watches, clocks, silver and gold mounted umbrellas, beautiful pictures in handsome frames, and holiday goods in every conceivable variety and of use for Christmas or wedding presents.

A visit to this store can better portray than we can describe just what Mr. Creech is offering to the trade at this time.

GOV. GLENN AT HENDERSON.

The State's Chief Executive Was Warmly Received—Takes as Topic "Our Country."

Henderson, Dec. 12.—Governor Glenn last night delivered a speech under the auspices of the contemporary club at the opera house. Long before 8 o'clock, the hour set for the address, the auditorium was filled. The Governor was introduced by J. C. Kettrel and took for his subject "Our Country." He began with the settlements at Plymouth Rock and Roanoke Island and followed the growth of the country up to the present time. His reference to the rapid development of the South in commerce, agriculture, education and manufacture, his reference to our nation as a world power was fine and his special allusion to Mr. Roosevelt our President, brought forth storms of applause. Governor Glenn did not touch on partisan politics. After the speaking the club entertained the Governor at a banquet at Mauerburg Hotel where an elegant supper was spread.

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A GREAT SHOW.

Moving Pictures in the Messenger Opera House Friday Night.

The Southern Moving Picture Company on its tour through the South, is meeting with great success, no doubt for the simple reason of its attractive collection of high class interesting pictures, which are composed of the most excellent and entertaining subjects.

We cannot refrain from giving some of the headings which are interesting and sensational: "The Kentucky Moon-liners, their fights and illicit stills." "The Automobile explosion, and the fat passenger." "The Conflagration, the lynching of the man who committed the incendiary."

The Chicken Takers, the feast and coon dance. "The Escape of the Old Maid and her cat from a burning building." "The Kiss for young ladies only." The manager gives a beautiful, dressed doll away to the little girl holding the lucky number, and every girl gets a number on entering the Opera House.

This great production will have the boards of the Messenger Opera House on Friday evening of this week.

LIST OF LETTERS.

Remaining in Postoffice, Goldsboro, Wayne County, N. C., Dec. 12, 1905.

MEN'S LIST.

A—Rufus Ashford, B—Chas F Burns, C—J R Carson, Daniel O Carrol, D—Dublin Telegraph Co, E—Sam Ellis, K—T H King, M—Modge, P—Edgar Perry, Ed Parker, J M Peel, Dave Pollock, R—J D Root, S—Jefferson Smith, W P Spigner, T—S L Taylor, W—W Wells, George Williams.

LADIES' LIST.

B—Eliza Bryant, C—Rena Collier, Roana Chavis, Julia Collie, D—Hannah Douglas, Dora, Betsy Dukes, E—H J Emerson, F—J F Ferguson, G—Maggie Green, H—Lucy Mosley, Edtie McIver, Catherine Marcell, O—Frank Oats, S—Cherry Saunders, Elizabeth Sasser, Chancy Sutton, T—Lucy Tucker.

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ATTENTION.

Owing to the death of W. H. Smith, senior member of the firm of Smith & Yelverton, it becomes necessary to close up the business of said firm. In order to do this we are compelled to call upon all indebted to said firm, whether it be of long or short standing, to come forward promptly and make settlement. All persons having claims against said firm will present them to the undersigned for payment within twelve months from this date or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery.

W. T. YELVERTON, Surviving partner of Smith & Yelverton. Goldsboro, N. C., Dec. 1, 1905.

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