The Franklin Times. J. A. THOMAS. Editor and pro prieto

FRIDAY ----- JUNE 7, 1889

THE FAULT OF OUR POLL-TIUS

Referring to the sorry showing made by North Carolina at the recent centennial celebration in New York, the Mecklenburg Times says:

Well, why did not our State have a better representation ? Every one of the old thirteen states had troops in the procession save North Carolina. Even Florida, twice the distance away and ever so much poorer, had 200 men in

der."

The fault lies at the door of our Legislature. It is an open secret that Gov. Fowle requested the Legislature to appropriate the moderate sum of \$1,000 for this purpose. The bill was drawn and introduced, and some opposition being developed in the discussion, the sum asked for was reduced to \$500, and when the time to vote arrived the bill was tabled.

South Carolina has a standing appro-priation of \$10,000 for such purposes. "To the above the Statesville Land-

murk, by far, one of the best papers in the State of North Carolina, adds the following sensible comments:

The Times is not wholly correct in its statement that North Carolina had no troops in the procession for it had one or two companies, Lut its position upon the general question is sound. Gov. Fowle paid his own way to the centennial celebration; the members of his personal staff present paid theirs; the few gentlemen who went as commissioners representing the State paid their own expenses and the handful of military from the State paid its way. It is stated that the Governor's Guards of Raleigh at one time about despaired of raising the money necessary to carry them to New York, keep them while there and Lring them home, and that officers of the company laid the case before Gov. Fowle who told them to raise all they could and that he would make up the balance, which he did out of his own pocket.

It would have been a very humiliatng thing to every North Carolinian in whose breast is found any sentiment of State pride, if North Carolina, one of the original thirteen States, had gone wholly unrepresented at New York, while the Governor and State officers of nearly every other State were there with hundreds and some of them thousands of military. Yet by what right could the State call on its Governor, its military companies and its private citizens to abandon their business and go to New York to represent her and themselv's and pay for the privilege of doing so? Had they all remained at home no one could have complained against them, for no provision had been made for their go-ing; yet had no one gone and the space assigned to North Carolina had been va-cant while that of every other State way cant while that of every other State was filled, the blush of shame would have mantled the cheek of every North Carolinian who is worthy of the name. "The fault lies at the door of our Leg-islature," says the Times. It is to be looked for deeper than that. It is found in our politics, which has reached a con-dition for which narrow-guage is no ad-equate description. Had the Legisla-ture appropriated \$1,000 or \$500 to help defray the expenses of the State's repre-sentation at New York, every cross-roads would have heard in the next cam-paign the charge of extravagance paign the charge of extravagance "wasting the people's money," "appro-priating money wrung from the toiling tax-payer to spend in show," and all such balderbash as that. It would have been begun before the campaign and would not have been confined to either party, but the vote of any member in invor of it would have been used by some aspiring party associate to defeat the re-nomination of the "extravdefeat the re-nomination of the "extrav-agant" legislator. Republicans like Judge Russell, Logan Harris, Thos. B. Keogh, Dr. J. J. Mott, Judge Furches and H. Z. Linney despise such narrow-ness in their hearts, yet it has become to be regarded by both parties in North Carolina as legitimate to pander to the narrow-minded element among the peo-ple. An appropriation for the purpose indicated, one which would not have amounted to a quarter of a cent PER CAPITA, would have helped to seal the doom of some good and useful men, and would have called for apology, defense and explanation on every stump. It is a system of polities which debases the people. Ats tendency is to make them mean and sordal. It stiffes state pride and causes them to regard a govthem mean and sordad. It stiffes state pride and causes them to regard a gov-emment which protects them in their lives and properly not as a beneficience but as a yoke. Year by year this spirit is growing until by and by it will come to this that the politician who can prove himself the most niggardly smong his as-sociates will be the popular favorate. The cure for this increasing evil? That is not so easy to suggest. It is easier and alas I more protitable to pan-der to a groveling spirit than to ele-vate it. And yet it is not certain that there is not breadth enough in North vate it. And yet it is not certain that there is not treadth enough in North Carolinians to ju tify the courage us spirit who is yet to come upon the stage and point out to the people that that is not the highest sta esmanship which asks concerning everything proposed, Does it come cheap? of every public servant, Will not somelody else take the job for less money? or of

charge of one warehouse, and the pros-NOTICE. pects for another good main to take charge of the other warehouse are good. This Having contracted with L. Mitchell for the year 1889, and having left me without a chuse, I is good news, and the kind the TIMES

has been wishing to tell its readers for hereby forbid any and all persons some time. Our business men are now from hiring, or in any way employing said Mitchell under the penalty preunited in the movement and will put forth every effort to make the enterprise scribed by law. B. B. TOMLINSON.

successful. A number of gentlemen June 3rd, 1889. have joined in, and are preparing to Roses, Best Everblooming Sorts erect a brick warehouse 60 x 100 feet Geraniums, tube-roses, and other on the lower corner of the vacant lot in flowers for spring planting. Moon rear of the Court House. This shows vines or evening glories. Also that they mean business, and that any splendid vines for the varanda. stumbling blocks thrown in the way of Choice cut-flowers, boquets, baskets and floral designs, best varieties of a tobacco market in Louisburg will be tomato plants (once transplanted) kicked out of the way and "snowed unegg plants, cabbage and celery

plants and everything in a firstclass florist line. As THE Wilmington Star says, the establishment of the agricultural college at Raleigh is something in which not only the farmers of the State are interested but the people of the State atlarge, for the proper training of the far-Again the painful duty of remer's son for the calling of the farmer minding you of the fact that you owe us, and that we must have it means more intelligent farming, with improved methods, and this means more right away, forces itself upon os. prosperity to the farmer and to the State. This, of course, is based upon the pre-We are compelled to close up our business having sold out to King sumption that the college will be put Bros; and, kind friend, unless you into the hands of competent managers pay within the next ten days your and instructors, who understand their account-yes, even yours, will be business and who will devote themselves placed in the hands of a collector. zealously to the work assigned them. we dislike to do this, and would They should be thoroughly equipped. not ordinarily. Please make us practical men, and selected with a view smife by coming forward and setto efficiency and fitness, entirely ignortle your account at once. ing all all other considerations.

THE recent floods have done great damage in various parts of the North to-Loth life and property. In portions of NOILCE, Having qualified as Executor of Pennsylvania whole towns were submerged, and thousands of people drown-Roena Johnson, 1 hereby notify all ed. Great damage was also done in persons owing the estate to come for-Virginia; as well as in this State. Railward and settle at once, and all perroad traffic has been cut off between sous holding claims against the said the North and South. No Northern estate will present them for payment mail has been received in Louisburg on or before the 6th of May 1890, or since Saturday up to this writing this notice will be pleaded in lar of (Wednesday,) and a telegram has been their recovery. This May 6th, 1889. received by Mr. White, agent at Louis-C. M. COOKE, W. K. PHILLIPS, Thi'y, Frecusor Lurg, not to receive any more freight for the North until further notice.

NOTICE, Having qualified as Administrator d.b. n., c. t. a., of Simon Baker, notice A great many bridges, mills &c., have been washed away in this State. Halifax, Warren and Nash have suffered in this particular very much. - The is hereby given to all persons owing said only one washed away in Franklin, estate to come forward and settle, and that we have heard ones the joint bridge | all persons holding c.aims against the

OF THE TREASUREE OF THE TOWN OF LOUISBURG, FOR FISCAL YEAR FROM 14th OF MAY 1888 TO 13th OF MAY 1889.

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RECEIPTS.

Balance in Treasury, 14th May 1888 Received on account of 1887 Tax s 41 14 1888 44 u u re town scales

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DISBURSEMENTS.

For Street-Lamp Wages, Oil and repairs "Work Laborers, Timber, Nails &c

- " Extra Police on Special occasions " Printing, Tax Book and Advertising
- " Ladder for Signal Service
- " Sanitary Purposes " Burnal of John Sullivan
- " Salary for Constable. Tax Collector, Weigher, Supt. Streets and Policeman " Salary of Mayor " C.erk

 - * C.erk " Attorney

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- 45 ·· Commissioners " Commissions for Collecting Liquor Licenses
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SPECIAL RAIL BOAD FUND.

Balance 14th May 1888 Due by the State National Bank Cash on hand

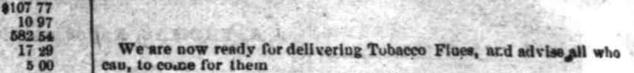
Received on account Taxes for 1487

DISBURSEMENTS.

Pail interest on Town Bonds to 1st April 1889 " for the Town Bonds of the Town of Louisburg " Tre surer's Commissions Balance due b. State National Bank

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at Ransom's bridge. HOME FOLKS.

If it would not look like acting upon the principle of you scratch my back and I'll tickle your elbow, we would write an editorial upon the present condition of the State Press, a fruitful theme. We will only say that in more than thirty-one years of editorial life and with an acquaintance with North Carolina journalism as far back as 1845, when we wrote our first crude communication for the press, we have never known the average so good. There are more carefully edited papers in the strict sense of the word, now in North Carolina than ever before; there is more of genuine work to be seen in dailies and weeklies than we remember to have noticed before. The rewards are in dolhars but slim. The only genuine re

ward is in the good opinion of worthy people and in the consciousness of duty done. Gen Lee thought DUTY the sublimest word in the language,-Wil, Messenger.

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state will present them for payment of or before the 17th of April 1890; or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their re-covery. This April 17th, 1889. W. K. PHILLIPS, Adm'r. C. M. COOKE, Att'y.

Executor.

H. STEINMITZ.

WEMEAN YOU.

With great respect,

KING, JONES & Co.

Raleigh, N. C.

NOTICE. FRANKLIN COUNTY. Court. F. C. HOLDEN, Guardian of) BENJ. HOLDEN, Lunatic

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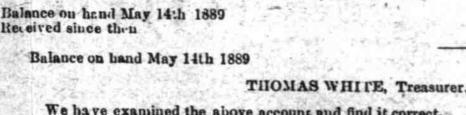
C. BATLEY and LUCY BAILY his wife, The defendants above named will take notice that a proceeding entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior Court of Franklin county to sell for par-Court of Franklin county to sell for par-tition a certain parcel of land situate in Freemans Township in said county in which defendants have an actual interest; and the said defendants will further take notice that they are required to appear on Thesday the 25th day of June 1889 in the office of the (lerk of the Superior Court of Franklin county in Louisburg N. C. and answer or demur to the meti-BOCERIES GROCERIES TO N. C. and answer or denur to the peti-tion in said proceeeings or the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief de-manded in said petition. This 13th day of May 1889. WM. J. KING, Clerk Superior Court.

Administrator's Motice. Having this day qualified as Adminis-trator of John Winston, deceased, all per-sons having claims against the estate of the said John Winston, deceased, are hereby notified to present the same to me on cr before the 6th day of April 1890, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery, and all persons indebted to said estate will please settle at ones. N. Y. GULLEY, Adm'r of John Winston, dee'd. April 1st, 1889.

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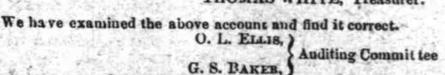
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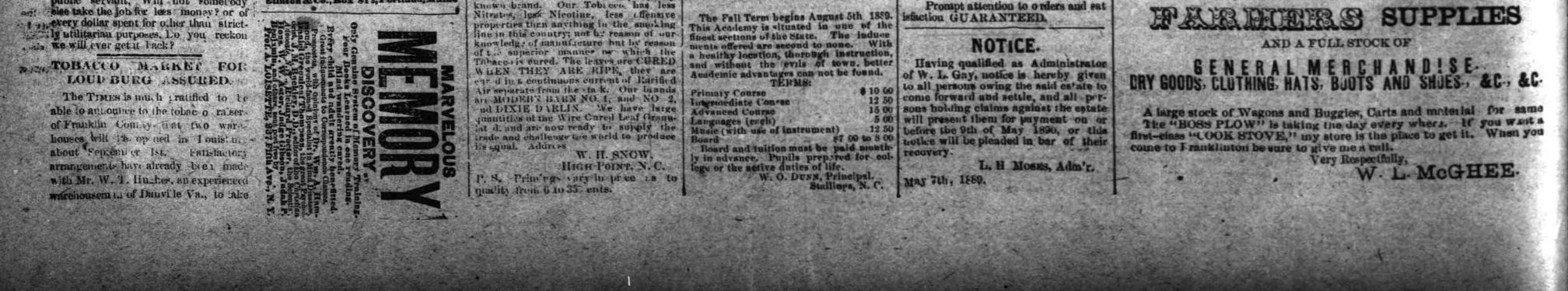
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