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The horn of the thrasher sounds a note of blessing to the bread consumer, as the wheat crop is abundant.

Two persons (very black) have by their conduct on the streets this week excited suspicions against themselves.

A Masonic Picnic will be held by the Amity Hill Lodge, at the residence of W. F. Lackey, near Back Creek Church, this county, on the 12th of July next.

On last Thursday the little steamer "Alice" took a party of ladies and ladies for a sail up the Yadkin. Ice cream, plenty of fun, and a jolly Captain always insure pleasure.

STATE EXPOSITION.—Persons who may desire space in the Exposition building at Raleigh, displaying goods, wares, minerals or manufactures, should apply for it soon. We have a few blank applications at our office for such as may call for them.

The young people's annual picnic will take place at the picnic grounds of J. A. Barkhead 7 miles west of this place on Sherrill's Ford road. No doubt many anticipate a pleasant time on this occasion.

PROF. MANGUM, of Chapel Hill, (together with his family), have been on a visit to his father-in-law, Mr. Wm. Overman, for a week or two. He filled the pulpit of the Methodist E. Church last Sunday, much to the gratification of his numerous friends in this place.

"THE TRUTH."—It may not be generally known that J. A. H. TURNER is again publishing a paper this time at Durham—entitled as above. Very little space is given to the news of the day, but its columns are filled up with historical incidents, gathered from living witnesses here and there, and unpublished records.

Prof. Neave is busy instructing his class in an opera to which the public will soon be treated, to wit: Wednesday and Thursday night, July 23 and 24. This will be no ordinary musical entertainment, but one which will be highly appreciated by lovers of the musical art. It will take place at Meroney's Opera Hall.

Mr. J. Douglass Brown informs us that on last Sunday night he was followed, as he was making his way home along Fisher Street, by some unknown person, who, after Mr. B. had entered the yard, passed on a little distance and got over the fence into the yard. Mr. Brown went into the house and got his pistol, and then ordered the person to leave, when he walked slowly away. He thinks whoever the person was, he was after no good.

If the policemen may delegate to any person, white or black, old or young, the duty of lighting or turning off the gas of the street lights, may they not delegate other duties also? If this privilege is secured by contract with the Commissioners it is all right so far as the policemen are concerned. But if it is not thus secured, the policemen should be held to strict account for the consequences of such illegal action.

COTTON SEED MEAL, according to the practical test and experience of at least two Rowan farmers, will not do as a substitute for corn meal to feed stock. Milch cows fail in their milk and in flesh when fed on cotton seed meal. We shall be pleased to publish any facts on this subject which our farmers or others are prepared to give. Practical facts are important to those who are interested on the subject.

An attempt was made to break into Mr. R. J. Holmes' store last Monday night by some unknown thief or thieves. First, it seems, holes were bored by an inch and an eighth auger around the hasp or key for the bolt of the lock sufficient to remove it, and finding the door secured with another fastening he then cut out a hole in the bottom panel of one of the large doors through which he ran his hand and loosed the fastening that held the blind over the glass panel of the door, when he must have discovered the large bar which still secured the doors against his entrance. He then attempted to bore away the bar, but the second hole made at this point struck the lower edge of the bar which was fortunately covered with a splice of sheet iron. He also left signs showing that he started to cut out one of the panes of glass, across which the bar passed, when, perhaps, becoming frightened he gave up the job.

Persons having valuables to be protected should not depend much on the night policemen but on more secure doors and shutters.

Capt. Pierce, of the little Steamer ALICE, now plying on the Yadkin river, left this morning on the eastern train to perfect arrangements for bringing the steamer in connection with the R. R., having had an assurance from the R. & D. Co. to co-operate with him in the design.

TURNING OFF GAS.—This work is sometimes entrusted to ignorant or dishonest persons and loss to the town follows. This was the case Monday night last. A negro was seen to blow out the street light at the corner of Bank and Fulton streets, and the gas flowed out all night long—a waste to town and a nuisance to the neighborhood. And we learn that it was the same case all along Bank street to Main, and up Main to Gaskill's corner. Was this ignorant fellow employed by a policeman or other person receiving a salary from the town? If so, the policeman should be held responsible for the loss, and we hope the Commissioners will hold him to it.

INSECURE.—We suppose there is not a burglar proof door in the town of Salisbury, unless it be at the county prison. A man with a brace and bit, a strong pocket knife and a fine saw, could cut through any door in town in from five to fifteen minutes. This is due to the modern style of panel work. Our grandfathers set less store on "looks" and more on security. When they made a door to turn regues they crossed the timbers and filled it with wrought nails from the top to the bottom, clinching them on the inside. They were proof against augers and saws. Not so our panel work.

Birgham school Catalogue is received. A handsome picture of the buildings is also received. Of the 256 pupils from 14 States, 111 are from outside of North Carolina. Gas light, a Gymnasium and a steam heated bath house are new features in a Southern school. Telegraphy is well provided for.

Special terms offered to young men of small means. There is a teacher for every 25 pupils in regular attendance. We are glad to see a North Carolina enterprise so progressive and so successful. See adv.

For the Watchman.

Mr. Editor: I observe that complimentary notices have been made of prominent democrats as suitable persons to represent this district in the next Congress. While acquiescing fully in all that has been said in regard to those gentlemen, permit me, through your columns, to invite attention to the merits of another genuine democrat. A gentleman of fine intellect and varied attainments, well versed in the science of law and of government, of calm and sound judgment, of uncompromising integrity and untiring industry, whose unsurpassed record in the legislative halls of his State, as an honest, indefatigable and intelligent worker, is the surest index of his position as a member of Congress and whose democracy is evidenced by his unceasing efforts for the advancement of the democratic cause and of democratic principles. I refer to John S. Henderson, Esq., of Rowan County. June 24th, 1884. A VOTER.

For the Watchman.

Mr. J. J. Bruner: It is scarcely necessary for me to say that, after reading your explanations, our millers and everybody else ought to be satisfied. However, I acknowledge to no "misapprehensions," except as regards yourself. Whenever and wherever the shoe fits those who have been trying to under-rate our flour and to influence a change of market tight enough to make them speak, I shall be ready with the proof. Respectfully, E. P. HAEEL.

Letter from Wilmington.

A Grand Time on the 20th. Opening Ball at Sea Side Park—Base Ball—The Sea Side Park Club Victors—Other Notes.

Everybody in Wilmington left home and went to the Sea Side Park Friday night of last week, the occasion of the opening Ball.

The Park was crowded with guests early in the afternoon, and the match game of Base Ball, between the "Sea Side Park" and the "Old North State" club, was very interesting. The game was won by the Sea Side club, the score stood 13 to 30.

There was a grand concert given by the Cornet Concert Club of Wilmington, and the Ball at night, was a grand success.

On the 4th of July there will be a grand celebration at Sea Side Park. There will be a grand Base Ball match between Goldsboro and Wilmington, the Carolina Yacht Club race, a Band contest and a Ball at night. There never was such a boom before in our town. We are certainly to have a large new Hotel, and our people are alive to the importance of the Onslow Railroad and the Cape Fear & Yadkin Valley Rail Road. We are looking out for better times and they are surely coming. The business men of our city are alive and working for the interests of the town.

The Kentucky Court of Appeals recently decided that a wife had a right of action against gamblers who had won her husband's money. An old statute makes the recovery of three times the amount lost. If the law were generally enforced the practice of conducting a gambler's lair would become too dangerous and costly to be followed to any considerable extent.

MINING.

T. K. BRUNER, MANAGER.

E. W. Lyon, Supt., of the "Copper World" mine in Person county, has about 30 hands at work, taking out a high grade of copper ore, averaging 20 per cent. copper and 35 oz. of silver to the ton.

Prof. Mallefert is erecting a Chillian mill, and mining ore on the "Glen Anna," near Thomasville.

Mr. Arthur Mallefert is erecting machinery to treat the ore of the "Little Lead," in Montgomery county.

N. C. Mines.

A Well Informed Correspondent's Views of the State and of the New Orleans Exposition.

From the State Chronicle.

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 18.—The mining interests of North Carolina are in their infancy. Granted that it is a pretty old infant, but all the same it still wears its swaddling clothes. My reason for saying this is that the area of mining lands in your State is so far greater than the development that you have scarcely touched the borders of your immense mining resources. This has been brought to my attention within a few days by some remarks made by prominent officers of the U. S. Geological Survey, and by the knowledge that has come to me of the immense exhibits that are to be made by the National Government, and by the great mining States and Territories of the West of their mineral wealth.

I am intensely desirous that the unequalled wealth of North Carolina, in gold, silver, copper and tin, and in all those minerals employed in mechanics and the arts, should be so broadly illustrated, first at Raleigh and then at New Orleans, as that these competitors of hers shall fail to take the first place in the estimation of the world, a place that belongs to North Carolina and that she can hold against all competitors, provided the needful effort is made.

In looking over the file of the Times Democrat of New Orleans recently, I noticed that twenty of the greatest iron manufacturing houses in Great Britain had made applications for space for the exhibits of their wares and products. It is but another indication of British enterprise, and of the determination of its shrewd manufacturers to obtain a permanent foothold in all the markets of the world. John Bull is a very persistent fellow—he is never discouraged—and he does not propose to allow the iron mines of America to interfere with his aggrandizement. J. B. aforesaid will send hundreds of his capitalists to New Orleans to see what the South has to show in the way of raw materials, and it depends upon the owners of mining property in your State whether or no their actions shall be presented in such tangible form to practical British eyes as shall result in the building up of such great furnaces and forges as within a few years have been erected in Tennessee and Alabama.

The eyes of J. B. always keep a sharp lookout for the glitter of gold, and the scintillation of gems. If in addition to splendid displays of these things that I know the State Board of Agriculture will embrace in the collection made under its auspices, there shall be furnished it through the instrumentalities of citizens engaged in those industries, a class specimen of all your minerals, ores and gems, an impetus will be given to the mining industries of your State that will add millions of dollars to your vested capital and give steady and remunerative employment to thousands of your citizens.

THE COLOR LINE.

The Issue Defined for the Approaching Contest.

From the Raleigh Register.

The great controlling reason why the Democratic party fights the Republican party, man to man and hit to hit, on this County Government question, is that the Democratic party is a white man's party, and recognizes its obligation to protect its members, in whatever part of the State they may be, from the curse of negro rule.

The Republican party, being a negro party, with 105,000 known negro voters in its ranks, cannot afford to make objection to negro rule.

The marrow of the whole thing, then, is that white men and not negroes must rule North Carolina. This is what County Government meant in 1876, when it was adopted, and exactly what it means now. White men of North Carolina, will you go with the negroes, or will you side with your own blood and your own color? In saying this, we mean no unkindness to the negroes; but simply to recognize the feeling that possesses every Anglo-Saxon and makes him revolt at the thought of being ruled by a negro. North Carolina white men will deal honestly by negroes, treat them with the utmost kindness and humanity, will minister to their sufferings, relieve their wants, will build asylums for their unfortunate and schools for their children; in a word, do everything in their power to improve the moral, intellectual, social and physical condition of the negro, but they will never consent to live under his rule.

ing from their homes, it means bad blood between the races.

Are you ready to pay this price for the Canby system? Answer, as before God and man you must do on election day. Answer.

Enochville Items.

This community which has been noted for health has been visited lately by that fearful disease Dysentery in an epidemic form. Quite a number of our citizens are confined to beds of sickness by it, but as yet we have had but one death.

We have perhaps never had better prospects for fine crops of grain of all kinds. Wheat is being harvested and is fine.

This village can boast of two more stores again, a thing that has not been attempted for some years, but there seems to be enough trade for them both.

Attention Colored Men!

Mr. Blaine's "Close, Personal Friend," Hinton Rowan Helper.

From the correspondence of the Charlotte Observer.

The Cincinnati Publishing Company issue "The Standard Authorized Campaign Biography," by J. W. Buel, "assisted by Mr. Blaine's private secretary at Washington, D. C., and by Mr. Hinton Rowan Helper, author of the "Impending Crisis," (published before the late war), which obtained a celebrity and circulation beyond that of "Uncle Tom's Cabin."

"Mr. Helper," the publishing company add, "is now a resident of Washington City, is in the maturity of his powers, enjoys the good will and confidence of the nation's leaders, and to Mr. Blaine is a close personal friend." What sort of a letter to the colored people this man is, any one may discover, by looking into his book, "No Joke," (published since the war), the opening sentence of which reads thus: "Were I to state here, frankly and categorically, that the primary object of this work is to WRITE THE NEGRO OUT OF AMERICA, and that the secondary object is to WRITE HIM, (and manifold millions of other black and bi-colored catiffs, little better than himself,) OUT OF EXISTENCE, God's simple truth would be told!"

NEGRO ANNIHILATION, the desire and aim of the "close, personal friend of Mr. Blaine!" This admirable Negro-Helper quotes the following words of comfort from another Negro-Helper, Abraham Lincoln: "I have said that I do not understand the Declaration of Independence to mean that all men are created equal in all respects. Certainly the negro is not our equal in color—perhaps not in many other respects. I did not at any time say I was in favor of Negro Suffrage. Twice—once substantially, and once expressly I declared against it. I am not in favor of negro citizenship. I am not, and never have been in favor of making voters and jurors of negroes; nor of qualifying them to hold office, nor to intermarry with whites; and I will say further, in addition to this, that there is a physical difference between the black and white races, which I believe will forever forbid the two races living together on terms of social and political equality."

"Write the negro out of America!" "Write the negro out of existence!" Such are the sentiments of Mr. Blaine's "close, personal friend," and chosen biographer! These are the leaders who invite the negro army to follow them! To march to victory is to march to ruin! For the banners they must bear, are blazing with these fearful inscriptions, in letters of hell-fire: "THE NEGRO OUT OF AMERICA!" "THE NEGRO OUT OF EXISTENCE!" JACKSON.

How the Money Goes.

The Army and Civil Appropriation Bills.

WASHINGTON, June 20.—The Army appropriation bill, as passed by the Senate to-day shows an increase of \$295,000 over the amount appropriated by the House of Representatives, making the whole amount now appropriated \$24,530,450, \$235,000 less than the estimates and \$417,000 less than the appropriation of 1884.

The changes made by the Senate increase the amount for the pay of the army over that allowed by the House \$315,000, and for medical and hospital supplies \$35,000, striking out the items for quarters for non-commissioned staff \$25,000, for quarters for hospital stewards \$15,000, and for field steel guns and metal cartridges \$15,000.

The sundry civil appropriation bill was reported to the House to-day from the appropriation committee. It appropriates \$20,988,980. The estimates were \$30,346,794. The amount in last year's appropriation bill was \$34,713,404. Among the items are the following: Custom house at Charleston, S. C., \$35,000; court house and postoffice at Danville, Va., \$1,300; completion of court house at Jackson, Miss., \$150,000; marine hospital, Key West, Fla., \$100,000. Total appropriations in the bill were for public buildings \$1,292,190. The total appropriation for 1884 for public buildings was \$2,298,000. The bill provides for the repeal of the laws to appoint a national board of health. An appropriation is made of \$500,000 to enable the several executive departments, the de-

partment of agriculture and the Smithsonian institution to participate in the World's Industrial and Cotton Centennial Exposition at New Orleans.

Hon. W. A. Smith, of Johnston.

From Raleigh News Observer. A gentleman of this city, a personal friend of Maj. W. A. Smith, having written to him, received in reply a private letter, not intended for publication. But the sentiments expressed therein are so honorable to Maj. Smith that we take the liberty of giving an extract: "My sympathy for the distressed and poor, together with my natural prejudice against the Democratic party made me a Republican, without sufficient reason. But no act or vote of mine in any legislative body or elsewhere has ever been given against my race or my State.

Blaine is the straw that broke the camel's back." The most of my personal friends, in county, state and nation, are Democrats, and in my old age I prefer to be with them in every respect. I have no ambition to gratify, nor do I want an office of any kind. I like my friends as well as any living man, and while I feel some regret at leaving my old Republican friends, I have the satisfaction of not doing so until they disbanded their army and put deserters in the lead as their chosen generals."

HORATIO SEYMOUR'S VIEWS.—"I do not apprehend that the Democratic party will divide on the tariff. The difference between Free trade and a Tariff for Revenue is not one calculated to split any party, certainly not the Democratic party. The real difference lies between a Revenue Tariff and a high Protective Tariff. The Republican party has adopted the latter."—N. Y. Herald.

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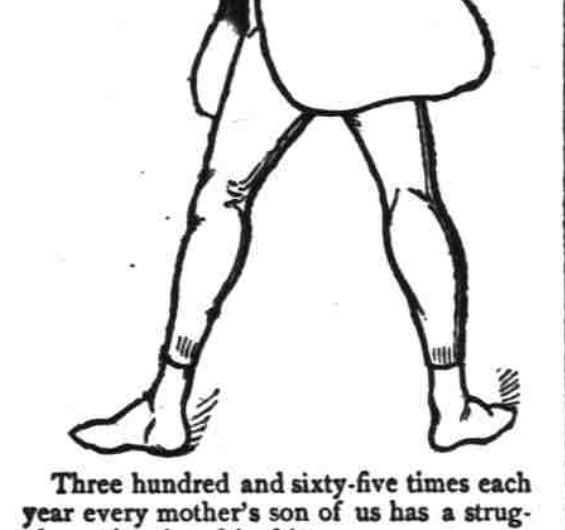
June 23d, '84, Henry Earle, infant son G. W. and Annie C. Whitlock. Aged about 13 months.

June 6th, '84, Rosalie McNeely, infant daughter of E. B. and Carrie R. Neave. Aged 21 months.

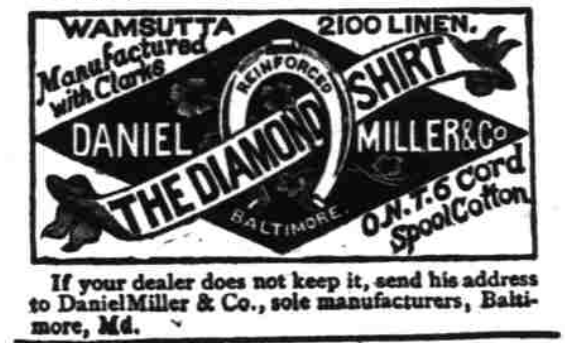
Business Locals.

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Salisbury Tobacco Market.

CORRECTED WEEKLY BY JNO. SHEPPARD. Lugs, common to good, 4.50 to 6.00. Lugs, med. to good, 6.00 to 8.50. Lugs, good to fine, 8.50 to 11.00. Lugs, fine to fancy, 11.00 to 18.00. Leaf, common to med., 5.00 to 6.25. Leaf, med. to good, 6.25 to 8.50. Leaf, good to fine, 8.50 to 15.00. Wrappers, com. to med., 15.00 to 16.50. Wrappers, med. to good, 16.50 to 25.00. Wrappers, good to fine, 25.00 to 40.00. Wrappers, fine, 40.00 to 55.00. Wrappers, fancy, none offered. New tobacco breaks for the past week have been light. Prices stiff for all grades. Good, rich, waxy fillers, smooth cutters and lung cutters are in great demand and prices a shade stiffer than the quotation. Wrappers of all classes are high and eagerly sought after. Planters would do well by putting some of their good tobaccos on the market at this time.

THE TIME HAS COME

AT LAST FOR LOW PRICES!

I will from this date offer my entire stock at GREATLY Reduced PRICES.

If you want a good suit of cloths, now is the time to buy cheap.

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We have one of the largest and best assortments of Sugar, Coffee, and Molasses in town, which we offer very cheap.

We have the largest stock of FRUIT JARS, TABLE and Glass Ware in the place. We have a full supply of FIVE-CENT TRICKS. We still have a full stock of FANCY FLOUR, Meal, Shorts, Bran, Corn, Bacon, Ham and Pure Lard.

We Sell the Celebrated PEARL SHIRT. WE are Agents for the LIGHT RUNNING DOMESTIC SEWING MACHINE. WE are Agents for COATS' SPOOL COTTON. WE sell the Unexcelled COR-TICILLI SPOOL SILK, all colors at 10 cents.

Be sure and see us before you buy or sell as we mean to do you good. D. J. BOSTIAN, Salesman. and H. A. NEELY, Jr.

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Death To Worms.

MEARS, DODD, CORNER & Co., GENTS. I have quite a demand for your "Worm Killer." It is the best Vermifuge I can get. A farmer bought a bottle of mine, gave a half teaspoonful to his child, came in next week with a "chow-chow" jar filled with worms, the result of one dose. Since then all want yours. R. B. EDWARDS, M. D. DICK CREEK, N. C. May 18th, 1884. Boykin, Carmer & Co., Balt. 34:3m.

DAVIDSON COLLEGE, MECKLENBURG CO., N. C., 1884-'85.

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Administrator's Notice.

Having qualified as administrator, with the will annexed of the estate of Richard Harris dec'd., I hereby notify all persons having claims against said estate to exhibit them to me on or before the 1st day of May 1885. R. B. HARRIS, Administrator Cum testamento annexo of Richard Harris. April 27th, 1884. 29:6c.