

Carolina Watchman.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 29, 1889.

Mahone will take the stump—may be to be flayed.

The Eiffel tower, Paris, was struck by lightning, last week, without damage.

Earthquake in Greece, last Sunday, and serious damage is reported from several towns and cities.

Mr. A. C. Hege, of Lexington, N. C., died Tuesday night. He was an old citizen and died suddenly.

It is officially announced that Mrs. Maybrick's sentence has been commuted to penal servitude for life.

London, Aug. 24.—Four of the largest mills in Blackburn have shut down, owing to the dullness of trade.

There is a gigantic strike among the coal workers in England. Burns, the socialist agitator, is said to be manager of it.

Burglars, says the Charlotte Chronicle, got into Mr. Worden's store early Tuesday morning, and made a big haul of merchandise.

The great oak tree under which Lord Cornwallis stacked his arms when "braving" around in the section of Roxboro, N. C., has fallen.

It is beginning to be estimated by men who watch the crop reports, that this year's cotton crop will be larger than that of any preceding year.

Mrs. Maybrick received the news of her commutation of sentence with a revulsion of feeling which prostrated her. She will probably not live long.

A great religious revival has been going on at Chapel Hill, with widening interest. Up to latest reports nearly 100 persons had professed conversion.

Two dead men were picked up on railroad track at Durham, Saturday morning. One of them was terribly mangled, the other had no bruise or scratch.

There was a grand Union Army parade at Milwaukee, Wis., on the 27th, in which fifty thousand people took part. What a jolly time for the railroad companies!

The New Albany (Indiana) postmaster has made a clean sweep of the letter carriers heretofore in service, on the distinctly announced ground that they were Democrats.

The Mahone candidate for Postmaster of Richmond, Va., J. C. Smith, killed a negro August 22 who had broken into his junk warehouse. He is held for murder.

The negroes of Ohio, complaining bitterly of their treatment by the State and federal governments, have called a State Convention of their colored brethren to consider the situation.

A cow that swallowed a pair of mittens died from some unknown cause, but on being cut open and examined it was found that the mittens had petrified in her stomach, causing death.

Gov. Fowle and daughter are at Hot Spring, N. C. They were received there with distinguished honors by the official dignitaries and other noted citizens who were visiting the springs.

What will be done with the fellow who takes an oath before a magistrate that the girl he is eloping with is 19 years old when in fact she is only 15? Will Castor, of Cabarrus, be reported to be in this case.

There is a special movement, by getting up petitions, for the repeal of the taxes on fruit brandy and tobacco. Both parties in Virginia, North Carolina and Tennessee, are appealed to in behalf of the movement.

The Ohio republican holders in Washington are already being notified that their presence at home at the coming state election is an imperative necessity, and if they stay away they do so at their own risk.

Four hundred white families from the Carolinas are said to be "booked" for Arkansas this fall, to labor this year as hirelings, and the next as croppers, if they choose. The same agent has also engaged to deliver a band of negroes.

The Democrats of Montana have agreed to bury their dissensions and harmonize on J. K. Toole for Governor, H. Conrad for Lt. Governor, and Martin Maginnis for Congress. They are hopeful of a victory over the Republicans.

A boiler explosion in the mill factory at Towanda, Bradford county, Penn., Tuesday, partially wrecked the factory, and killed five men. Two others were fatally injured. The explosion was terrific, and aroused the people for miles around.

Carjole D. Graham went over Niagara Falls in a strongly built barrel Aug. 25th, and was taken up at Lewiston, four miles below, "more dead than alive." He is not yet satisfied, however, and proposes another descent at a more dangerous part of the Falls.

The Davidson Dispatch says that Gen. J. M. Leach, on his way to Washington, attempted to get off the train at Charlottesville, Va., and doing so fell, and broke his leg in the thigh. Mrs. Leach has gone to him. Though about 75 years old, he is in good health.

A lot of railroad hands in Wilkes had whisky and were having a boisterous time in a barn, when the boss, Mr. Chatham, entered to remonstrate. An Irishman in the crowd became offended and cut Mr. Chatham across the abdomen, which caused his death.

Four murderers of women were hung in the Tombs prison, New York, last Friday. There were two places of execution in the yard, and two of the condemned men were hung at each place at one and the same drop. The wages of sin is death, and yet men will not heed it.

Maj. E. G. Harrell, the escort of the lady teachers in England, having been accused of getting down on his knees to kiss Queen Victoria's hand, the Raleigh Call denies it, and says that sort of foolishness has gone far enough. We didn't start it, and have nothing to "take back."

County Treasurers will do well to examine the law passed by the last Legislature requiring them to exhibit a full, perfect and itemized statement to the examining Committee, of the use made of the public money received by them. It is a stringent law and well deserving their attention.

Fire at Davidson College, Monday morning at 4 o'clock, destroyed the barns of H. P. Helper and S. G. Scofield. A negro woman has been arrested on suspicion of starting it, out of revenge against Mr. Helper who ordered her off his premises, Sunday, for disorderly conduct. Loss about \$2,400.

There was trouble between the whites and blacks at Mt. Pleasant, S. C., growing out of the accidental shooting of a negro girl by a white lad. Negroes wanted to lynch the boy, notwithstanding the girl's ante-mortem statement showed it was an accident. Troops had to be called out to prevent lynching.

Mr. Kenyon, a northern gentleman who had recently established a private bank in Newton, N. C., took typhoid fever after having nursed a child sick of that disease, and while in the delirium of the fever, leaped out of the upper story window and sustained injuries which caused his death. His body was taken North for burial.

A ten thousand dollar soap factory is to be built at Charleston, S. C., and it is confidently expected that it will pay a good dividend.

We believe a soap factory could be made to pay a good support at this place, if properly conducted. Mr. J. B. Lanier could probably more easily make it pay than any one we know of at present.

Chris. W. Luca, of Brooklyn, N. Y., was stabbed to the heart, early Thursday morning last by a burglar named McElevain, 19 years old, whom he had grappled in his dining room. Luca received several severe cuts in the struggle but one just below the heart, caused his death in a few minutes. The burglar got out at the window and ran, but he and a Confederate were captured and are in prison.

Dr. Grissom resigned the superintendence of the insane asylum on Thursday last, the resignation to take effect upon the election of a successor.

This is one of the saddest cases that has occurred in the State. We here see the downfall of an able man, whose genius and learning had made him famous throughout the State—almost throughout the country. Has he been fairly dealt with by his fellow citizens, and especially by the press? It is no small matter to blast the future prospects of an aged man like the sufferer in this case, and the cause should be clear forcible and sufficient beyond the shadow of a doubt. If the Doctor is an innocent man he will bring suit in form to show it. It is due to the innocence at all times, but it is especially due to one whose fall is hopeless ruin.

The Brown-Sequard elixir, for a short time heralded over the world as a rejuvenating preparation to be administered by hyperdermic injection has proved a failure in this country, where numerous experiments have been made, in some cases with fatal results, and in no case with permanent benefit. Doctors condemn it as of no practical value, and in some cases it has proved fatal.

A disastrous cloud-burst occurred on Sunday last in the vicinity of Rockingham in Richmond County. Five mill dams were broken and the mills and machinery of the Pee Dee, the Great Falls, and the Midway, damaged. The Carolina Central railroad between Lilesville and Hamlet, was also badly broken up. The damage to property is estimated at \$100,000, and five hundred persons thrown out of employment.

The navy department has had to issue new proposals for building the five new cruisers provided for at the last session of Congress, because bids received for those first issued were all in excess of the amount appropriated. It is feared that vessels of the class desired cannot be built for the amounts stipulated by Congress, and that the matter will have to be referred back to that body for further action. We seem to have all sorts of drawbacks in the building of our new navy.

The Wilmington Star says it is quite common for rice farmers in that section to lose 10 per cent. of their crops by the depredations of the rice birds. Men are employed to watch the fields and drive away the birds by the use of guns, but the birds get their share of the crop for all that.

The birds are getting their share of the grapes in this part of the State—the catbirds and the robins are the leaders in the steal not and English Sparrow seen among the vines.

Chicago is in dead earnest in trying to have the Exposition of 1892 held in that city. We have a circular signed by ten of the leading editors in the city, in which they set forth at length the reasons why Chicago should be selected as the place. The hotel accommodations are said to be ample for 150,000 visitors, to say nothing of 5,000 boarding houses. They claim every desirable advantage for such an occasion, and say there can be an agricultural and live stock exhibit there such as the world has never seen.

The Navy department has received a cablegram from Rear Admiral Gherardi, commanding the North Atlantic squadron, asking that the New American minister to Hayti be sent immediately as Legation had abdicated and Hippolyte is now on top in that changeable island. The French and English captains have placed themselves under Admiral Gherardi's orders in case of any trouble at Port-au-Prince. Fred Douglass is the new minister. It is said that the Haytiens object to Douglass as Minister; they want a white man.

The pension list has heretofore required from \$75,000,000 to \$80,000,000 annually. That was enough to stagger the people who have the burden to carry; but the demand will increase about one-half, or fifty per cent. under the present administration. It will be remembered that Mr. Cleveland fought against the corrupt gang who were continually trying to extend the pension. Commissioner Tanner will ask the next Congress for about \$30,000,000 additional appropriations for this service, and it may not stop at that. A pension list amounting to \$110,000,000 twenty-five years after the war is an item worth talking about.

A fearful riot occurred among a gathering of negroes in Sevier county, Arkansas, on the night of the 25th. They had been holding jolly gatherings in the woods near the little town of Lockesburg; and on Saturday night they were to have a grander time than ever, and for an inspiration a good supply of whiskey was provided. A fight occurred among them in which a man was fatally shot, and this seems to have been the signal for a general fight, in which pistols were freely used. Three men were killed and a number wounded, some of them fatally. The women fled to get out of the danger, and confusion reigned—the men shot at each other without knowing who they shot.

Mahone Nominated for Governor. The Republicans of Virginia were in State Convention at Norfolk, August 22d, and after several speeches, Gen. Mahone was declared unanimously nominated for Governor. The contest promises to be hotly contested. Mr. McKinney, his democratic opponent, is an able and popular man, and will no doubt carry the democratic standard fearlessly.

Civil Service Commissioner Lyman says that the report sent out from Washington stating that the Commissioners had talked with President Harrison about the proposed extension of the rules to cover the chiefs of divisions in the department is an error. The subject has not been called to the President's attention, but will be, when he returns to Washington as the Commissioners are unanimously in favor of its adoption. An open rupture between the Commission and one of the Cabinet is said to be one of the probabilities of the near future.

There was a terrible accident on the first trip on the Cumberland Gap & Louisville railroad, last Thursday. It was an excursion train that had on board a select company of distinguished persons; out of fifty-six, forty-one were either killed or wounded. Among the killed were Judge George Andrew, the most prominent lawyer in East Tennessee; S. F. Powers, leading merchant and former President of the East Tennessee Fire Insurance Company; Alex. Under Reeder, leading politician who has held many offices of trust. The accident was caused by the bad condition of the road. Part of the train left the track and went down from a trestle.

New Yorkers are still planning in regard to the proposed World's Fair, of 1892, in commemoration of the discovery of America, and the Star of the 25th canvasses the surrounding country in the vicinity of the city, settling down on some point north of the Harlem river, as the most suitable ground on which to hold it. Meantime, the Manufacturers' Record has obtained and published letters from all the Governors of the Southern States, and the Mayors of all the principal cities in the South, and many of the leading citizens of that section, who with singular unanimity say that Washington, the capital of the country, is the place where the exposition ought to be held. Out of thirty letters on the subject, there is only one which favors New York, one for St. Louis and one for Chicago—all the rest say Washington is the place for it. Thus the question of location seems to be unsettled, and the New Yorkers a little too fast in their claim and preparations.

The Twin-City Daily of the 24th August presents a list of premiums awarded to the exhibitors of fruits at the Fruit Fair recently held in Winston. There was a large number of exhibitors, and they took in every variety of fruits, dried and green, canned and preserved. The exhibit must have been very fine, and highly interesting especially to those who have a taste for horticultural pursuits. Dr. G. K. Faust, of Graham, took the largest number of premiums of any one exhibitor. N. W. Craft, of Shore, was awarded \$10 on the best and largest collection of grapes. Special mention is made of the goods exhibited by the canning factories of Messrs. Jenkins Bros., Salem; Hanes Co., Lexington; G. L. Anthony, Vandalia; and Dr. G. K. Faust, Graham—all North Carolina concerns. Our neighbor, J. B. Lanier, should also have been on hand, for he is doing a very handsome business in this line.

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NOTICE. RAILROAD ELECTION. NOTICE is hereby given that there will be an election held in Salisbury township, Rowan county, on Tuesday, the 10th day of September, 1889, for the purpose of submitting to the qualified voters of said township, a proposition to subscribe fifty thousand dollars to the stock of the Yadkin Railroad Company, in five per cent. bonds of the said township, to run forty years, with the privilege of paying any or all of them at the end of ten years, or at any time thereafter that the Board of Commissioners of said county may elect. Those who wish to vote in favor of said proposition will vote a ticket with the word "Subscription" upon it; and those wishing to vote against said proposition, will vote a ticket with the words "No Subscription" upon it. An entirely new registration of voters has been ordered for the said election. By order of the Board of County Commissioners, THOMAS J. SUMNER, Chairman. HORATIO N. WOODSON, Clerk, July 29, 1889.

NOTICE. RAILROAD ELECTION. NOTICE is hereby given that there will be an election held in Providence Township, Rowan county, on Tuesday, the 10th day of September, 1889, for the purpose of submitting to the qualified voters of said township a proposition to subscribe four thousand dollars to the stock of the Yadkin Railroad Company, in five per cent. bonds of the said township, to run forty years, with the privilege of paying any or all of them at the end of ten years, or at any time thereafter that the Board of Commissioners of said county may elect. Those who wish to vote in favor of said proposition will vote a ticket with the word "Subscription" upon it; and those wishing to vote against said proposition, will vote a ticket with the words "No Subscription" upon it. An entirely new registration of voters has been ordered for said election. By order of the Board of County Commissioners, THOMAS J. SUMNER, Chairman. HORATIO N. WOODSON, Clerk, July 29, 1889.

NOTICE. RAILROAD ELECTION. NOTICE is hereby given that there will be an election held in Gold Hill township, Rowan county, on Tuesday, the 10th day of September, 1889, for the purpose of submitting to the qualified voters of said township a proposition to subscribe seven thousand dollars to the stock of the Yadkin Railroad Company, in five per cent. bonds of said township, to run forty years, with the privilege of paying any or all of them at the end of ten years, or at any time thereafter that the Board of Commissioners of said county may elect. Those who wish to vote in favor of said proposition will vote a ticket with the word "Subscription" upon it; and those wishing to vote against said proposition will vote a ticket with the words "No Subscription" upon it. An entirely new registration of voters has been ordered for said election. By order of the Board of County Commissioners, THOMAS J. SUMNER, Chairman. HORATIO N. WOODSON, Clerk, July 29, 1889.

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