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THURSDAY, OCT. 23 1890.

My Friend—A Word With You.

Do you know that every man who does not vote at this election must register anew? Even if you have REGISTERED and VOTED before, you must register and vote under the new election law to vote this year.

Do you want the Republicans to carry the elections and have your neighbor arrested and put in jail as in 1868-9? If not REGISTER and VOTE THE DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

Do you wish the negro to get control of your county and State? If not REGISTER and VOTE for the DEMOCRATIC NOMINEES.

Do you not know that EVERY NEGRO in this State will REGISTER and VOTE? And so must every WHITE MAN.

You can't register after Oct. 24TH—so REGISTER AT ONCE. Don't say you have plenty of time—take time—YOUR HAPPINESS depends on it; the GOOD NAME AND PROSPERITY OF YOUR STATE DEPENDS ON IT; WHITE GOVERNMENT AND WHITE MAN'S CONTROL DEPENDS ON IT. DON'T WAIT. Delay may cost the defeat of the party.

ED. CHAMBERS SMITH,
Chm'n. Dem. State Ex. Com.

Go register.

Vote for Watson.

Vote for Jim Monroe.

Vote for Hon. John S. Henderson.

Vote the straight Democratic ticket.

Don't put off registering another day.

Secure your tickets for the concert to-night.

The season for 'possum hunting is upon us.

Remember you can't register after this week.

Miss Dreher, of Mt. Pleasant, is visiting the Misses Crawford.

Go register quick, so you can vote. Vote the straight ticket.

Our dealers in Christmas goods have placed orders for large stocks this year.

Telegrams passing to and from parties here to Shendun, Virginia, are numerous.

The membership of the Rowan County Medical Association numbers about twenty.

The grand piano purchased by the Choral Union is in all respects a splendid instrument.

Rev. Dr. Rumple is in attendance upon Synod at Wilmington and will be absent from his pulpit next Sunday.

Mr. T. C. Guthrie, son of Rev. T. W. Guthrie of this place and editor of Rockingham Rocket, was here this week.

The Western North Carolina Conference will meet at Concord the last week in November. Bishop Keener will preside.

Maj. Robbins, of Statesville "the old war hoss" will speak upon the issues of the day, at China Grove on Friday October 31st.

Those who attended the Fair at Raleigh last week pronounce it a success in point of attendance and very creditable as to exhibits.

Mr. Banks has accepted a position on a paper at Shendun, Va., and has left Salisbury. We will miss his letters in the Chronicle.

Mrs. Senator Vance and son Mr. Harry Mart visited Mrs. Fannie Hairston at Cooleme and are here to-day to meet Senator Vance.

Miss Lillian Warner is visiting relatives at the North. She will be absent till Christmas. In her absence Miss Hattie Bringle is organist at the Methodist church.

Mr. Valentine Mauney of Stanly county, father of our townman J. W. Mauney Esq., had the misfortune to loose all the fingers of one hand last Saturday by a cotton gin.

It is reported here that Charlie McKesson and Will Pearson of Morganton were numbered among the converts at the recent meeting held at that place by evangelist Fife.

Save the best of every thing for display at the Alliance fair next month. The way to make a show is to show the best you've got, and get a crowd to show the things to.

Maj. G. P. Erwin, formerly Treasurer of the W. N. C. Railroad, and who for a term of years was a citizen of Salisbury has been elected President of the Piedmont Bank at Morganton.

The limit to registration expires to-morrow. If you wish to exercise the right of an American citizen which is a duty you owe your country, see that your name is on the registration list.

Coal will be more generally used here this winter than ever before. We must admit that we are partial to the old wood fire and open fire place; but the preference for coal as fuel is on the increase.

The Old North State Orchestra of Statesville, N. C., will give a concert on Wednesday night Oct. 29th at Meroney's Hall under the directorship of Prof. F. H. Barratt the brilliant violin performer.

We see it stated that Durham, Greensboro and Fayettevile will soon have the free mail delivery system. What is the matter with Salisbury? Her population is equal to that of the two last named places.

When our citizens cease to contribute to the booming of other places both in and out of the State, and devote their energy and means to the upbuilding of Salisbury she will boom as many other places are doing.

Mr. D. A. Sifford is having strawberry pie at his house, not the canned kind but regular old sure enough strawberry pie. He brought a paper of them to our office this morning gathered an hour or two before from his patch.

Most of the Salisburians who attended the drawing and sale of lots at Shendun, Virginia last week, have returned. Speculation is rife and they all expect to get rich. We hope their highest expectations may be realized.

We are in receipt of an invitation to attend the marriage of Miss Marrie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Gates, to D. McL. Therrell, of Charleston, S. C., on Oct. 29th, at Wilmington. The best wishes of a host of friends in Salisbury are with them.

Several of Salisbury's hard cases were jugged last week charged with breaking into a car and stealing a lot of wine. If they are convicted, and it is said there is a pretty strong case against them, they will undoubtedly go to the penitentiary and it will be a happy riddance to the community.

Joseph James, son of Mr. W. L. James of this place, has been promoted in railroad circles at Columbia, S. C., whither he went about a year ago. He is one of the many young men who served the required time at the R. R. Shops here and one now holding responsible places connected with the business of various railroads.

Married at the Presbyterian church yesterday at 10½ o'clock, Mr. Peter Bryce Beard to Miss Pauline Parker. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Mr. King of the Lutheran Church, in the absence of the pastor, Dr. Rumple. The happy couple left on the noon train for an extended trip to Florida. The best wishes of the WATCHMAN are theirs.

Considerable interest is being manifested here now by the membership of the Lodges, in behalf of Free Masonry. Fulton Lodge No. 99 ranks among the brightest and best equipped in the State. The Royal Arch has recently been revived and its affairs are now in the custody of young blood which means that the order is well manned and will grow.

We notice in the advertising columns of yesterdays Chronicle, an application for a coal black kitten at the Presbyterian manse in Salisbury. We hope that our town with its varied resources can supply the demand. Can our enterprising boys not effect a capture, if necessary and do so promptly? No price is stated but doubtless, a liberal one will be paid.

The members of the Orchestra cannot expect to attain to any very high degree of proficiency as musicians until they secure the services of a competent instructor. The proceeds of a few first class concerts during the winter, would contribute largely towards paying for proper instruction. This plan has been adopted by like organizations in other towns.

The members of the Young Men's Christian Association desire to give public expression of their thanks to the young ladies who so kindly assumed the task of adorning our hall for the assembling of the District Convention. The decoration was so tastefully done that it elicited many complimentary remarks. The young ladies have certainly placed us under a new sense of obligation, and again we thank you and assure you that we are much encouraged in our work by such evidences of appreciation.

From Montgomery County.

The Hamilton mine discovered a short time ago was sold last Monday to the Moratock Mining company for $600,000. This property is in the Uwharrie river district about three quarters of a mile from the Sanders mine and about the same distance from the river. It is close to the top of a mountain and in a crysolite formation. The ledge has been uncovered about ninety feet across, the whole being good pay ore while a great deal of it is cut up by small quartz stringers which are very rich probably assaying way up in the thousands. This find is a good one and at present probably has more gold in sight than any other mine in the state.

A ten stamp mill and other machinery is being delivered on the property and Mr. Mufley of Thomasville is in charge.

At the Russell mine the only work being done is in keeping the water down, but it is reported that the mill will be running again in a few days.

At the Appalachian, ten stamps are running on good ore; they are driving on the lower level and expect to run forty head as soon as they get to stoping.

It is reported that a plant will be put up very shortly at the Morris Mountain mine and work will be carried on on an extensive scale.

There have been a number of good finds in the Uwharrie section lately, not enough to call them mines but still enough to gladden the hearts and fill the purses of the finders, among them is that of Eleck Bean and Jno. Beaman on Horse Mountain, Morgan and Warner on Bunnell Mountain and L. Harper on the Pass Harris place.

Choral Union Concert.

The concert to be given to-night by the Choral Union at the rooms of the Y. M. C. A. is the first of a series which will be given during the fall and winter, and is for the purpose of raising funds to pay for the splendid grand piano recently purchased, and to defray other necessary expenses of this home musical organization. Remember, when you purchase a ticket to the concert to-night, you are contributing to the success of an enterprise worthy of the support of the citizens of Salisbury, to say nothing of the musical treat in store for all who attend. Many of the young ladies and gentlemen of our town have taken advantage of the opportunity offered to improve themselves in vocal music; and with proper encouragement in the way of attendance at these concerts, will develop into singers of merit. Both the choir and congregational music at our various churches will be improved as a result of regular practice and intelligent training in vocal music now being received by the members of the Choral Union. Purchase a ticket whether it is convenient for you to attend or not.

Birchall Reiterates His Story.

WOODSTOCK, Ont., Oct. 21.—Mrs. West Jones had an interview with Birchall, her brother-in-law, a day or two ago. They conversed about his case, and in answer to pressing question put by her, Birchall declared as emphatically as he could that he did not fire the shots which killed Benwell, leaving her to suppose that he had a confederate. He has stuck to his story from the start—it is the only one he has stuck to—but a great majority of the people hereabouts still believe that he alone committed the crime.

The petition started in London in Birchall's behalf has not been numerously signed here. It has been in circulation several days, but up to to-night only nineteen signatures have been obtained. The Rev. Mr. Wade, Birchall's spiritual adviser, and one or two other clergymen and doctors are among the signers. Several minsters refused to sign the petition.

A Budget of News.

Raleigh Correspondent Wilmington Messeng.

Yesterday some information was sent regarding the Political situation. To-day several leading men of both parties were interviewed. A Republican of influence and position talked to me with great frankness, and said the indications were that the Democrats would carry every district except, of course, the second. They have the advantage and are gaining. He spoke of the appointment of Rollins as collector of the Western district as one of the principal causes of Ewart's defeat, and said the revelations regarding Brower's personal life would crush the latter. The action of Ewart in joining the farmer's Alliance was referred to as militating greatly against him. Ewart is depressed and shows it plainly. Brower's acts with regard to his female proteges have for some time been known, but up to the time of Cranfield's exposure of them had been kept out of print. The Republican leader referred to said he knew of them and had remarked at first of the year that Brower would meet with defeat and deserved it. In fact some of Brower's supporters had cut loose from him weeks ago.

The information gathered from leading Democrats was that the prospects have improved. The trouble is yet as to registration. A light vote is a certainty. Vance's letter to Secretary Beddingfield is a valuable aid.

There are people here this week from the most remote sections of this State. A gentleman from Currituck said to-day that his county is coming into line all right and one from Ashe county gives good news from that section, though he said the Democrats were not as enthusiastic as one would wish to see them.

A Mistake.

Al Fairbrother, the new editor of the Durham *Globe* from the "wild and wooly" West, is jumping in the midst of things like a Texas steer on the rampage. He hasn't the North Carolina brand on him yet, but will soon become civilized. A few days ago he said that Governor Fowle was trying to step into Zeb Vance's brogans and that the breezes were gently playing through his wiskers. Now he accuses brother Josephus Daniels of crawling on his stomach before the Alliance and giving them advice at the same time. Mr. Fairbrother forgot to wash his western war paint off before emerging into civilization.—*Winston Sentinel.*

This is a sad, sad mistake, All the war paint and feathers worn by this melancholy and emaciated cuss were thrown into the Sim river as he headed towards this greatest state in the Union. So far as the brand is concerned, we confess that the old time brand of the South—which was a tombstone—is not implanted on our wide and sweeping brow. But the war paint is gone; the feathers have vanished and our wigwam is closed for repairs. The advice which Farmer Daniels gives to the many Alliance men makes us tired, and we propose to say so whenever we feel inclined. Mr. Fowle wanted to secure the brogans of Vance but alas, he failed to connect. These little gems of thought go with the paper—six dollars a year—fifty cents for one month—fifteen cents a week, five cents per single copy. And now is the time to subscribe.—*Durham Globe.*

The Last of the Buffaloes.

Chicago Herald.

The herd of buffaloes that the Government has preserved at the Yellowstone National Park, as almost the last specimens of the noble species have got loose and wandered away. News of their escape has been sent out in every direction, and an expedition has started in pursuit. But up to this time nothing has been heard as to their whereabouts, and their recovery is doubtful. They are likely to be picked off by the settlers and hunters, who can get almost a fabulous price for their skins. At the herd comprised the only known buffaloes it is a serious one and their slaughter would almost complete the extinction of a once countless race.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF DAVIS & WILEY BANK,

SALISBURY, N. C.

At the close of business Oct. 2, 1890.

RESOURCES:

Loans and discounts		$177,886.03
Overdrafts		915.43
Bonds		14,000.00
Due from Banks and Bankers		37,209.48
Checks and other cash items		1,350.19
Currency and specie		16,882.84
Total		$177,585.97

LIABILITIES:

Capital		$60,000.00
Undivided profits		1,707.52
Deposits subject to check	106,758.58	
Cashier's check outstanding	745.54	
Time certificates of deposit	None.	107,505.12
Due to other Banks		8,373.33
Total		$177,585.97

I, O. D. Davis, Cashier of Davis & Wiley Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

O. D. DAVIS, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this the 21st day of October 1890.

I. H. FOUST, Notary Public.

Special Bargains and Notices.

Advertisements in this column inserted for 7½ cents per line. Watch it and try it.

BUILDING LOTS FOR SALE, CLOSE to Livingstone College. Enquire at this office.

LOST:— A POCKET BOOK CONTAINing a considerable sum of money; the finder will be rewarded by leaving it at this office.

SEE THE DOUBLE DRAUGHT PARIS range at Baker & Neaves, one of the best stoves ever put on the market.

FRESH GROCERIES AND COUNTRY produce received daily at D. R. Julian & Co's.

FOUND:—A GOLD BRACELET WITH initials, owner can have same by calling at this office and proving property.

FRESH BEEF, MUTTON, AND ICE always on hand at Coughenour and Shaver's on Main Street.

BLACKSMITHING IN ALL ITS BRANches, and the best of workmanship, at J. P. Webers, next door to James' stable.

Cotton and Grain Market

Reported by BOYDEN & QUINN.

Strict good middling,	none
Good middling,	9¼
Middling,	9¼ to 9.40
Low middling,	9
Stains,	8¼@9
GRAIN.	
Wheat	85@100
Corn	75

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Sale Of Town Property

By virtue of a decree of the Superior Court of Rowan County, I will offer at public sale subject to the widows dower to the highest bidder, at the Court House door in Salisbury on Monday, November 3d, 1890, the House and lot in the South Ward of the town of Salisbury, late residence of Oscar Sumner, lying on the South side of the N. C. R. R. adjoining John Mowery and others, containing one half acre more or less.

Terms: Cash.

J. O. Crosby, Admr.

Theo. F. Kluttz, Atty.

Sept. 26, 1890.

DISSOLUTION NOTICE

The partnership heretofore existing between P. H. Tompson & Co., is this day by mutual consent dissolved. The business will be continued by P. H. Thompson. All persons indebted to the firm will please call at once and make settlement.

P. H. THOMPSON & Co.

Sept. 24, 1890.