

Carolina Watchman. CITY AND COUNTY.

The Best News in Rowan and Vicinity. Local Editor.

THURSDAY, JULY 28, 1892.

Very little baled cotton comes to this market now. There will be fifteen hundred premium bales printed for our next Fair.

The young folks will have a tackey party at Mrs. M. S. Scales' to-night. Politics in Rowan have passed the simmering point and are now boiling hot.

A new school house has been erected near Yost's Mill in China Grove town. The Salisbury Light Infantry will drill in the Farmers' Warehouse to-morrow.

The mother of Mr. John Bell Sloan, a former salesman in Salisbury, died at her home in this county on Monday morning.

Eighty-seven car loads of watermelons passed through here yesterday going north. The democratic primary conventions throughout Rowan county will be held Saturday.

A store, carrying a new line of business, will be opened in a few days under the old WATCHMAN office.

Fruit is very scarce on our streets. The late frosts entirely destroyed the peaches and killed many of the apples.

The People's party meeting at Cleveland on the 23d inst. was well attended, about seventy-five persons being present.

A few days ago Mr. W. M. Ruth showed a cucumber of his own raising that measured 11 inches in length by 10 in circumference.

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As yet we have not heard what "the oldest citizen" has to say about this weather.

According to the Charlotte News Mrs. F. Allison, of Concord, has ordered a handsome baptismal font for our new Presbyterian church.

Bicycles are becoming very popular in Salisbury. There are ten in use here now, another has been ordered and others will come soon.

The Salisbury Light Infantry met at the court house last Friday night and elected Mr. James D. Ennis as captain and transacted other business.

The North Carolina Press Convention met in Charlotte Tuesday and is still in session. A large number of the fraternity are there.

The new postoffice at Elm Grove school house went into operation recently, with Mr. Eli Beaver as postmaster.

We have received the premium list of the State Fair, which will be held in Raleigh on October 18th, 19th and 20th.

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The fence enclosing the Mt. Vernon Hotel on Council street has been set back several feet in order to make the sidewalk wider.

An exchange tells us that Salisbury has contracted for a complete system of sewerage. This is news to us, and good news.

The law taxing dogs went into effect on the 15th inst., and so far the chief of police has sold about fifty tags. Only one dog has been killed, and that one departed this life yesterday morning.

Some gentlemen who have been over a good part of the county with threshers tell us that they sounded the politics of the people on their rounds, and they found a majority of them People's party men.

MECKLENBURG NEWS.

What is Going on Among the Descendants of the Signers of the Declaration of Independence.

The Alliance is in the service of the people. The military boys returned from the encampment Tuesday night.

All men should be protected by law in their rights to one day's rest in seven. The WATCHMAN three months for only 25 cents.

Some of our papers have a bad case of force bill jim jams. A speedy remedy is wanted. Winnifred, the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph G. Shannonhouse, died at their residence near the city on the 23d.

Mr. Alexander, superintendent of the Alpha Cotton Mill, had his hand badly mangled by the machinery Tuesday afternoon. Mr. E. M. Andrews yesterday shipped a large lot of furniture to Red Springs for the furnishing of a new hotel at that place.

Roland Brown, the ten-year-old son of Mr. C. N. Brown, of Sharon, died Thursday evening, after an illness of five days, of fever. Mr. Isaac N. Weaver, of Steel Creek, had his arm broken and badly lacerated in a threshing machine last Thursday afternoon.

Senator Mills, of Texas, says a true democrat will stand by the party no matter if the party is wrong. This is splendid advice. Brother Fairbrother, of the Durham Globe, informs the press committee at Charlotte that he will gnaw his way into anyone's larder.

Mr. John H. Newcomb died at his home in this city, at 12:15 o'clock Sunday night, after five weeks illness with typhoid fever. Protection backed by Winchester rifles in the hands of Pinkerton thugs is a good thing sometimes, but it did not work at Homestead.

Your Uncle David Hill did not turn up at the grand marble playing in New York. What is the matter with you, David, are you not playing? If the people have as much sense as the honey bee they will drive the drones from the hive and let the producer enjoy the fruits of their labor.

Mrs. John M. Hannah, who lived three miles from this city, on the Statesville road, died Monday night, aged 35 years. She leaves a husband and six children. If you wish to increase the power of the Alliance in this county you should aid in circulating the WATCHMAN. Our trial three months for only twenty-five cents.

Prof. Alex. Graham, superintendent of the graded schools, is having the buildings whitewashed on the inside, the paint freshened up and other improvements made. Esquire William Taylor says that the campaigning at Hickory Grove will be again this year at the usual time, on the first Friday night before the fourth Saturday in August.

There are 8,000 children in Chicago debarred from going to school because of insufficient clothing. This is all caused from overproduction. Too much cotton and wool, of course. Mrs. J. H. Williamson died at her home in Berryhill township Monday night. She was 23 years of age, and leaves a husband and three children. The internment took place at Steel Creek.

What have you done to get your neighbor to read? You are in a measure responsible if he remains in ignorance of the great questions that so vitally concern him. See that he reads at least one reform paper.

Mrs. West Thomas died at her home in Seversville, early Sunday morning after a very long illness. She leaves a husband. Her body was interred in Elmwood cemetery. She was a sister-in-law of Mr. Thomas, keeper of the cemetery.

The Dispatch says that sixty delegates attended Davidson county Alliance meeting last week, and upon being polled, it was found that fifty-seven of them were for Weaver and Field. It seems as Messrs. Weaver and Field has some following over in parts of the Tar Heel State.

The Union Printer declares that there have crawled into the labor organizations too many moral cowards, and the sooner we get clear of them the better. A man who trembles in his boots when the boss looks up, should be made to walk the plank.

The date of the veteran's annual picnic at Latta park will not be changed from the third Thursday in August, unless by order of the executive committee. A change was only spoken of in order not to conflict with the veteran's going to the encampment at Wrightsville, which is the same day.

Dr. Shearer, of Davidson College, informs your scribe: that there is a log house standing between Knoxville and Clarksville, Tenn., way back in the Alleghany mountains that was built of brick made in North Carolina before any railroads were thought of, or scarcely any wagon road. How did they get the brick there?

Three thousand six hundred and forty-two national bankers are the favored few, to whom the government has given the power and privilege of lending every dollar that the people and business of America demand.—Ez. Well, what is wrong about that? Don't the bankers make all the money, and if they do they have a right to lend it to the dear people.

The following is the qualifications of the democratic voters of Fredell county: The voter must be without spot or blemish, they must be men free born, of lawful age, under the tongue of good report, and properly vouched for must promise to vote his party ticket hereafter, must stick to his father's church, must not change his place of going to mill if the miller steals all of his corn; as long as he gets his sack back he must not kick.

"What is the use of flooding Congress with petitions?" asks Pomeroy's Advance Thought. "As well send so much waste paper to the national rag-bag. The way for the farmers and laborers to reach the ear of Congress is to send to Congress a complete new set of congressmen, senators and executive. This is the common-sense plan. This is the only way they will ever be heard!"

A Chicago physician says that the human nose is frequently not in the exact center of the face, and it is a well known fact that the two sides of the face are rarely symmetrical. "We know men who have a face for the preacher, one for the tax collector and another when they go out to cut stove wood with a dull axe and they are all on the front part of the same head."

The Craighead school house will not be rebuilt on its former site. Mr. Steele says the situation was too convenient to the railroad, and therefore for tramps. The loss of one building is about as much as they care to stam!; so an effort will be made to secure a new site. A spot near Mr. J. H. McClintock's offers great attractions and will be purchased if sufficient money can be raised.

Mr. W. A. Davis, director of the Naval Batical Band, has come into possession of a large estate in England. He received notice from the Bank of England yesterday to that effect, with accompanying statement that the amount to which he had fallen heir is £18,000. Mr. Davis was so overcome at his good fortune that he hasn't had time yet to realize it, or decide what he will do with it.—Observer.

It would be a horrible thing you know for a farmer to be allowed to place his grain in a warehouse saved from the necessity of selling to the speculators for a mere nothing. But it is all right for the speculator to buy the farmer's products for a song and lock it up until the necessity of the people living in towns and cities enables him to realize a fortune. See?—Cincinnati Herald.

You old hayseepers don't think you have any time to spare for the study of politics for the bosses say the country is suffering from overproduction. You know you may just as well work a little less and study a little more.

There came near being a serious accident at Mr. Burwell Love's, in Morning Star township, Monday afternoon. Mr. Love had his threshing machine attached to a portable engine, and he and several others were threshing wheat. Suddenly there was a loud report, and before Mr. Love could realize that the boiler had burst, he was blown against the straw-stack, and a little negro, who had been standing near him, was blown fifty feet away. Besides the injury to the machine no serious damage was done.

Mr. McCreary, a democrat, of Kentucky, called up a resolution in the House expressing sympathy with the Russian Hebrews in their distress and authorizing the president "to use his good offices to induce the Russian government to mitigate its laws and decree respecting Russian Hebrews." Why not send the Pinkerton cut throats over there and have the poor Jews killed out. Think of such balderdash as McCreary's resolution. He is afraid some Jew over here will fall to vote the regulation ballot on the 8th of November.

Mr. J. M. Kirkpatrick, who was in from Sharon several days ago, says that his brother, J. Watt Kirkpatrick, had a fine mule which he prized highly. One evening after the day's work was over he put his stock up and locked the stable door. The next morning when he went out to the stable he found the lock of the door broken, and on entering found his fine mule writhing in great agony. On examination it was found that some fiend had entered the stable in the night and cut the animal's tongue out. The wretch who did it merits the same punishment.

We have on our table the monthly bulletin for July sent out by commissioner John Robinson. It takes occasion to tell us some good things Mr. Cleveland says about the farms. Now the point we want to make is this: Is not Mr. Robinson paid by the people's money, all parties, all classes and all callers; if so, by what authority does he boom Mr. Cleveland. Is the Bulletin a partisan sheet or not. As long as the whole people pay Mr. Robinson we move that he have Mr. Cleveland, Mr. Harrison, Mr. Bidwell and Mr. Weaver be made honorary members of the Board and they can tell us about hard money, force bill, grape juice and green backs. That would be partisan.

History Lesson. History class give us the political make up of Congress for the past twenty years. Q.—What about the Congress of 1872? A.—Republican Senate and democratic House. Q.—How about 1874? A.—Republican House and democratic Senate. Q.—How about 1876? A.—Republican Senate and democratic House. Q.—How about 1878? A.—Democratic Senate, and democratic House. Q.—How about 1880? A.—Republican Senate and republican House. Q.—How about 1882? A.—Republican Senate and democratic House. Q.—How about 1884? A.—Republican Senate and democratic House. Q.—How about 1886? A.—Republican Senate and democratic House. Q.—How about 1888? A.—Republican Senate and democratic House. Q.—How about 1890? A.—Republican Senate and republican House. Q.—How about 1892? A.—Republican Senate and democratic House. Q.—Why did they not pass the silver bill? A.—Don't know, sir, think Mr. Cleveland objected to it. Q.—Has not either House had it in their power for the past twenty years, with two exceptions, to have blocked the passage of any odious law the other might have got up? A.—Yes, if they had not went to the races when they were needed at their places. Q.—How much do we pay a congressman per day to misrepresent us? A.—\$16,167. Right. Get next lesson.

Rankin News. Correspondence of the Watchman. Rev. A. G. Kirkpatrick, of South Carolina is visiting his brother, J. M. and J. W. Kirkpatrick, this week, and will fill the pulpit of Sharon church next Sunday at 11 a. m. Mr. Kirkpatrick has been both a pupil and teacher of Sharon academy. He is at home and will have a large and attentive congregation.

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