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ALBEMARLE AND STANLY COUNTY.

Spencer and his \$20,000. Hon. Theo. F. Klutz Talks to the People.

Stanly Enterprise, October 9th.

Blackburn returned last week from his skirmishing among Northern money kings. He secured \$20,000 to assist him in prosecuting his campaign. It is the price he is to place upon the "honest voters" of the eighth district. How many of them will be bought? We would like for Stanly county to be firm and let not a man fall a victim to Blackburn. Each voter should maintain a self-respect that will not allow him to be bought, persuaded, in any way drawn into voting for a man whose methods of campaign are a reproach and insult upon the integrity of an honest people.

Our New London correspondent writes: "The most interesting game of ball of the season was played here last Saturday between the Granite Quarry team and the boys of our town. The score stood 11 to 15 in favor of the New London team and now the boys challenge any team in the county."

Dr. R. T. Vann, president of the Baptist Female University at Raleigh, will hold dedicatory services for Rev. C. J. Black at New London Baptist church on the fourth Sunday in this month at 11 o'clock. The public is cordially invited to attend.

Those who knew Mrs. J. L. Palmer of New London will be grieved to hear of her death. She was a devout Christian lady, and her life was a blessing to all who came in contact therewith. The sympathy of this community goes out to her son in our midst and to the bereaved family.

There are scores of friends here and in the county of Hugh Turner who will hear with profound sorrow of his death. He was a member of the Albemarle Wholesale Grocery Company, a son of Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Turner, and was cordially liked by all who knew him. It is a sorrow in which this community shares deeply with parents and relatives. Mr. Turner was of modest, retiring disposition, attentive to business and was but entering into business cares of life which gave promise of a bright future.

Saturday afternoon ex-Congressman Klutz was greeted by a large crowd at New London. He made a strong and able speech, and awoke great enthusiasm among his hearers. The democrats at New London are in fine working shape, and in the evening organized a club with 123 voting members. The supper that was spread and the open-hearted hospitality shed genuine good feelings over the entire throng, and many timely speeches were made by candidates and local orators. It was a blue day for radicals.

A Certain Cure for Croup.—Used for Ten Years Without a Failure.

Mr. W. C. Bott, a Star City, Ind., hardware merchant, is enthusiastic in his praise of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. His children have all been subject to croup and he has used this remedy for the past ten years, and though they much feared the croup, his wife and he always felt safe upon retiring when a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy was in the house. His oldest child was subject to severe attacks of croup, but this remedy never failed to effect a speedy cure. He has recommended it to friends and neighbors and all who have used it say that it is unequalled for croup and whooping cough. For sale by Jas. Plummer, Salisbury, N. C., and Spencer Pharmacy, Spencer, N. C.

CONCORD AND CABARRUS COUNTY.

Newell's Republican Speeches Make Converts for the Democratic Party.

Concord Times, October 9th.

Hon. Theo. Klutz, former Congressman from this district, spoke at Forest Hill last Wednesday night to a large crowd. He spoke at the ball grounds, and notwithstanding the cold weather, several hundred went out to hear him. Mr. Klutz made a telling speech. He is a man in whom all the people have confidence, and they believe what he tells them. Mr. Klutz spoke for over an hour, holding up the Democratic record, which had nothing to be ashamed of, and puncturing successfully the false claims of the Republicans. Some good music was furnished by the Forest Hill band, and there was much enthusiasm.

Miss Fay Brown was taken to the Salisbury hospital Monday morning to have an operation performed for appendicitis. Her mother accompanied her.

Mrs. Daniel Corl died last Sunday at her home near St. John's church at an advanced age. She leaves only her husband, as no children were ever born to them.

Hon. Jake F. Newell, of Charlotte, spoke at Gibson mill last Friday night to a good audience. He must have made a good Democratic speech, for we learn that two good Republicans saw the error of their way in listening to Mr. Newell's speech and will vote the Democratic ticket this year.

Tom Hendrix, who had been confined with typhoid fever for several weeks, was able to be out on the streets yesterday.

H. P. Turner, son of D. W. Turner, Esq., of No. 10 died on Saturday, October 6, of typhoid fever. Mr. Turner moved to Albemarle last March, and was one of the firm of The Wholesale Grocery Co. He was their traveling salesman. He was 22 years old, and much liked by all who knew him. Rev. N. W. Stamper preached the funeral sermon Sunday. The wife of Dennis Edwards, colored, known as "Aunt Betty," died the same day. She cooked and washed for Esq. Turner's wife, and lived with them for 18 years. She was a highly respected colored woman.

Cargo of Immigrants Confiscated.

After having evaded the United States customs and immigration officers for more than two weeks the schooner yacht Frolic, which left Placentia, N. F., with a cargo of contraband Chinese immigrants, was boarded in Providence river early today and confiscated in the name of the United States government. Two Portuguese, members of the crew were placed under arrest, they being the only persons found on board; two men were arrested on suspicion of being concerned in the smuggling of Chinese into this country; while 17 Chinese, believed to have been passengers on the Frolic were also arrested.—Providence R. I., dispatch.

Quinsy, Sprains and Swellings Cured.

"In November, 1901, I caught cold and had the quinsy. My throat was swollen so I could hardly breathe. I applied Chamberlain's Pain Balm and it gave me relief in a short time. In two days I was all right," says Mrs. L. Cousins, Otterburn, Mich. Chamberlain's Pain Balm is a liniment and is especially valuable for sprains and swellings. For sale by James Plummer, Salisbury, N. C., and Spencer Pharmacy, Spencer, N. C.

BIG TIMBER DEAL IN SWAIN.

Cherokee Indians Make Profit of \$150,000 in Sale of 35,000 Acres of Land.

Another important timber deal has been closed here by Stevens & Anderson whereby Messrs. Ward and Hutton for themselves and associates have acquired 35,000 acres of land in western North Carolina, holdings of the Cherokee Indians. The lands are located in Swain county and contain, it is said valuable timber properties. The consideration is said to be \$245,000. The recent purchasers of the boundary will shortly begin cutting lumber and otherwise developing the boundary. Some 10 miles of standard-gauge railroad will be necessary to reach remote parts of the boundary and enable the holders to transport systematically and economically the product.

Associated with Messrs. Ward and Hutton in the purchase of the lands from the Indians are John C. Arbogast, of Lake Charles, La., B. M. Yeager, of Marlinton, W. Va., and A. H. Winchester, also of West Virginia. The sale of the land was confirmed at the regular annual council of the Cherokee Indians through their chief and the government agent, Mr. Harris. It is stated in connection with the sale of the valuable timber interests that ten years ago the Indians purchased the lands for about \$1.70 per acre, thus realizing a net profit of more than \$150,000 on the transaction.—Asheville, special to Charlotte Observer.

Except for Local Issues Rowan is Likewise.

What a change has come over this county in a political way. Ten years ago a prominent political speaker could fill the court house to overflowing. People neglected their work to talk politics. The papers were full of political matter. Now a corporal's guard cannot be mustered to hear a political speech. The first date for political speaking here was by Senator F. M. Simmons. He had an appointment to speak in the court house at noon last Thursday. The speaker was there but there was a mere handful of people out to hear him. Folks were busy, too busy to listen to a politician. The street were lined with wagons loaded with cotton and it was the greatest day of the season in a business way. The speaker waited, but still no hearers.

The speaking was postponed until night and the place changed from the court house to the opera house and handbills were scattered over the town asking the ladies to attend the speaking. About sixty people attended the speaking at night. The people of North Carolina were told during the campaign of 1900 that when the constitutional amendment was adopted they could go about their business during campaign years, that the turmoil and bickering during campaigns would be a thing of the past. The political papers declared that after the adoption of the amendment to the constitution they would publish news and not political stuff. Up to this good date this paper has been true to its little promise. The people are taking politicians at their word. You cannot interest people in this county in politics after the nominations are made.—Monroe Enquirer.

Metallic Pianos.

People who know real music often say: "I would willingly pay more for a piano that is sure not to become metallic after a few years use, and yet has a clear, distinct ringing tone." The Weaver Piano is made for this class of purchasers. Recommended and sold by G. W. Frix & Co., Salisbury, N. C.

CUBA'S NATIONAL HOLIDAY.

Small Army of Office Seekers Collecting in Cuba's Capitol City.

This being the thirty-eighth anniversary of the beginning of the ten years war for independence, the day was observed as a national holiday. Public offices, with the exception of the Palace, were closed, as were many stores. Public and other buildings were decorated in Cuba's flags. The usual parade of troops was dispensed with. The celebration was not marked by any great enthusiasm.

Several leaders of the revolution arrived here today from various parts of the island for the purpose, it is said, of attending a meeting tonight at the home of General Del Castillo. They would not discuss the object of the gathering but it is said that the Rebel generals intend to make urgent requests to Secretary Taft for official positions under the provisional government. They feel, it is asserted that their hopes are vain unless they voice their ambitions before the departure of Mr. Taft.

It is stated that each of the generals has selected a position which he desires and will make a demand for it on the ground that Mr. Taft is under obligations to them for their assistance in disarming the Rebels.

Among the generals known to have been requested by telegraph to come here are Guzman, Ferrera, Nuchado and Guerra, and it is believed that others are coming.

It is considered significant that the Rebels who have served under Gen. Del Castillo have been instructed not to sell their horses, and it is feared that Del Castillo has a wild idea of enforcing his demand for position under the provisional government.—Havana dispatch.

Tillman on Race Riots.

In a speech on the race problem delivered here tonight, Senator B. R. Tillman declared the time had come when the South must act, and suggested the adoption of a European passport system by which each person must have a certificate of good character before moving from a residence or home, or before being received into a new section, and that any persons without such certificate be imprisoned. This, he admitted, would be placing great inconveniences on the whites who would have to be included in the law because of the fifteenth amendment, but he declared if this plan or some peaceable one was not adopted immediately, the country was surely toward the brink of an abyss which meant a horrible and bloody race war of extermination.

His speech was heard by thousands of people and was enthusiastically received. The Atlanta riots, he declared, had illuminated the situation and shown the people they were living on the crust of a volcano. The riot, he believed, would too soon be repeated in other sections if no other solution of the problem was found.—Augusta, Ga., dispatch.

Afflicted With Sore Eyes for 33 Years.

I have been afflicted with sore eyes for thirty-three years. Thirteen years ago I became totally blind and was blind for six years. My eyes were badly inflamed. One of my neighbors insisted upon my trying Chamberlain's Salve and gave me half a box of it. To my surprise it healed my eyes and my sight came back to me.—P. C. EARLE, Cynthia, Ky. Chamberlain's Salve is for sale by James Plummer, Salisbury, N. C., and Spencer Pharmacy, Spencer, N. C.

LEXINGTON AND DAVIDSON COUNTY.

Reward Offered for Slaying of Eubanks. Cattle Inspectors at Work.

Lexington Dispatch, October 16th.

Three federal cattle inspectors and cattle quarantine officers are expected in the county to assist the State officer, Mr. Steele, in his efforts to free the county from ticks and tick fever. We understand that a large part of the county is practically free from this pest and will doubtless be released from quarantine in a short time. The remainder of the county is not in as good shape but it is thought if the people will go to work and inspect their cattle twice a week, the entire county will be released. If it is not done of course a line will be run through the county and it will be unlawful to move cattle from one part to the other. This interferes with the marketing of beef and affects the price of cattle.

Lane Bros., the railroad contractors, have raised their original reward of \$50 to \$150 for the apprehension of Oscar Gaddy, the slayer of Mr. Eubanks on Sunday. Monday night word came that the negro was seen at Fletch Wagner's some miles from town, and officers at once left for the place, but it proved a false alarm. Later a message came that his tracks were seen in plowed ground near Press Clinard's, eight miles off. It is thought he was in that vicinity Sunday night. The posse was all over the region around there on Sunday.

Saturday night Mel Wagner and Walt Hoover, two negroes returning from Salisbury on train No. 12, engaged in a cutting scrape and slashed each other pretty severely. Wagner used a razor blade on Hoover and Hoover used a pocket knife. They were badly cut up and bloody Monday morning, when the mayor bound them over under \$100 bonds, which they managed to give.

Last Thursday afternoon 97, the fast mail, met with a slight accident in the lower part of town and was thereby delayed a short time. "The wheels under the thing that carries the coal," it was explained, jumped the rails. It appears remarkable that there was no more serious mishap than there was. Nothing was damaged much and nobody hurt.

John Q. Finch caught a bushel of eels in a fall trap in Abbott's creek last week, which he sold for \$5.00. Two of the eels were monsters, weighing one and one-half pounds, together, each being a yard long and about eight inches around. They were sold for a quarter each.

Score Indicted at Atlanta.

The Fulton county grand jury today returned indictments against 20 white men, charging them with rioting in Atlanta on September 22. The names of those indicted have not yet been made public. Previously two white men have been indicted on the same charge, and indictments found against 60 negroes, charging them with complicity in the murder of County Policeman Heard, September 24.

All of these indictments are a result of the investigation being made by the grand jury of the recent race riots here. Further indictments are looked for when the jury meets again next week.—Atlanta dispatch.

A Guaranteed Cure for Piles.

Itching, blind, bleeding, protruding piles. Druggists are authorized to refund money if PAZO OINTMENT fails to cure in 6 to 14 days. 50c.

STATESVILLE AND IREDELL COUNTY.

An Old Engineer Retires. Statesville Citizens Visit Mobile.

Statesville Landmark, October 9th.

Mrs. Henry Hartman, aged 77 years, died Saturday night at her home near Rod postoffice, north Iredell, and was buried Sunday at Tabor church. Rev. Mr. Johnson conducted the funeral services.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Hughey spent several days here with friends and relatives, returning yesterday to their home in Salisbury.

Capt. L. B. Alexander, district auditor of Iloilo, Philippine Islands, was in Statesville two or three days last week, the guest of Gen. J. E. Armfield. Mr. Alexander has just completed a trip around the world. He left the Philippines in May and since that time has made the trip, stopping at many noted points along the line.

R. F. Henry, who went to Mobile, Ala., last week, returned Friday night accompanied by his son, Otto Henry. The Messrs. Henry say that the newspapers have in no way over-estimated the loss of life and property along the Gulf coast. They brought home with them a lot of photographs showing the devastation in the streets of Mobile and along the coast.

J. W. Spence, who has been in charge of the pump station of the Southern Railway just south of town, has been put on the Southern's pension list and has retired from active service. Mr. Spence has been in the service of the railroad company for over 40 years, having been an engineer 39 years. He and Mrs. Spence are boarding with their son-in-law, Jacob Matheson.

People on the streets yesterday morning were favored with a sermon from a negro woman preacher who walked up and down Center street between the Statesville Drug Co.'s store and the square, expounding the gospel in the good old camp-meeting fashion. Her voice was strong and she could be heard two blocks away. One gentleman remarked that she had one of the political speakers "skinned a block."

Dr. Julius McGath, who is in Statesville a few days on the invitation of the First Methodist church, preached Sunday at this church to very large congregations. Asking the question at the morning hour: "What does the world owe to the Jews?" he at night put the question, "Has its debt been paid?" Dr. McGath showed from many historical and other facts that the mode of payment had been largely in the form of persecution by a semi-pagan power acting in the name of but falsely representing Christianity.

It comes to The Landmark that one of the local Republican campaigners—he is not a candidate—has been telling it about the county that when Secretary Shaw spoke in Statesville recently prominent Democrats—two being named—went to Mr. Shaw on the conclusion of his speech, congratulated him, told him he had convinced them and that they hoped to see him the next President. The gentlemen named who are said to have been converted by Secretary Shaw are Mayor Steele and J. K. Morrison. Both these gentlemen say the statement is utterly false, and those who know them did not need their denial to contradict the report.

Read over our prize contest.