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COMMITTEE MEETING.

Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the Democratic Executive Committee of Halifax county is called for Tuesday, July 3rd, 1894, at 12 o'clock M. at Halifax, for the purpose of fixing the date of the county convention for the transaction of such other business as may come before it.

A full attendance is desired.

I. E. GREEN, Chairman.

Weldon, N. C., June 26th, 1894.

THE Asheville Citizen has figured out a majority of 3,000 against Richmond Pearson the Republican-Populist Independent candidate for Congress in the ninth district.

JETER C. PRITCHARD, of Madison county, one of the leading Republicans in the State, and a probable candidate for Senator, it out in a letter in which he warmly favors fusion with the Populists in North Carolina.

THE interior department has decided to cancel pensions of those who deserted their first service and enlisted in another place and from whom the charge of desertion has not been removed by the war department. This will cause the cancellation of several thousand pension certificates and save considerable to the overburdened tax payers.

WASHINGTON is alarmed over a plot by anarchists to blow up the capitol, treasury and other public buildings with dynamite. The police have been kept warned by a spy among the conspirators. Honore Saxon is said to be leading conspirator. He was a prominent figure in the Populist convention that nominated Weaver for President.

A rainmaker in India has an apparatus consisting of a rocket capable of rising to the height of a mile, containing a reservoir of ether. In its descent it opens a parachute, which causes it to come down slowly. The ether is thrown out in fine spray, and its absorption of heat is said to lower the temperature about it sufficiently to condense the vapor and produce a limited shower.

MR. JOSEPHUS DANIELS, appointment clerk of the Interior Department and therefore in a position to know, writes his paper, the North Carolinian, that the savings in pensions in one year of Democratic administration have been $25,000,000. If the Democratic party had done nothing in its one and one-fourth year of power except save this $25,000,000 of money and repeal the Federal election law, it would still have claim upon the continued confidence of the people.

THE New York Sun in speaking of George Ransom's sugar speculation says:

There is no similarity between the McPherson family's investments in sugar and the investment of the Ransom family. It surprises us to see that the two cases are by some minds confounded.

Senator Ransom's son George went into a bucket shop and bet $10 that sugar would go up. The young man apparently had no other motive than the impulse to be real devilish. He certainly was not gambling with the idea of achieving a fortune at a single stroke. He did not consult his father. The Senator knew nothing about George's little flyer until a few days ago. George had no tip from his father; it is absurd to suppose that if inside information had been lying around loose in the Ransom establishment, George would have been playing sugar for any ten dollar limit. The size of the transaction is the strongest possible guarantee against scandal, as affecting the Senator. There is absolutely nothing in the affair to show that the North Carolina Senator ever had the remotest idea of indulging in stock speculation of any sort, much less of turning to private advantage the opportunities of his official post.

That George should be caught visiting a bucket shop and risking $10 of his own hard earned money, is a matter of purely personal concern to Senator Ransom; it affects him in no way officially. It is one of the incidents of paternity.

The Senator's statement before the Investigating Committee was manly and straightforward, and it should increase the respect in which he is held by the public.

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SENATOR JARVIS made his first speech in the Senate several days ago. It was well received. We quote a portion of it:

Referring to Mr. Hill's prediction that the passage of an income tax would sound the death knell of the Democratic party, Mr. Jarvis said:

"If the Democratic party has no higher mission than to bow at the footstool and worship at the shrine of the accumulated wealth of the country, the sooner it dies the better. (Applause in the galleries.) As I understand Democracy it means sympathy with the struggling people of the country. It means, while it is its duty to protect property, to go into the highways and byways and take in its great arms the laboring people, and to lift them up into a higher and better life. I, for one, thank God, that the Democratic party is today in the hands of those who have the courage to take some of the burdens from the people and put them on the accumulated wealth of the country. Instead of this bill sounding the death knell, I believe that it is the first step onward to a higher prosperity and a more glorious career for the Democratic party. And if it will only have the courage to move onward on the lines that have been selected, I believe that, instead of our Republican friends in 1897 seeing a Republican President inaugurated, the standard of Democracy will be advanced still higher, and our banner will again float over the Senate, the House of Representatives and the White House."

M. FRANCOIS CARNOT, president of France, was stabbed in the breast by an assassin in the city of Lyons, France, last Sunday night by an Italian anarchist named Cesare Giovanni Santo. President Carnot was on his way to the theatre when a gala performance was given in his honor. The assassin mounted the steps of the president's carriage, and by the glare of the electric lights a knife was seen to gleam in the air, then the bright flake descended and was buried in the president's breast. President Carnot was seen to fall back, his hand pressed over his heart where the steel entered his body.

The President lived several hours after being struck down by the hand of the assassin.

The murderer was grasped by a dozen hands, and his life would have then and there paid the forfeit of his crime had it not been for the sergeants de ville, who seized and hurried him off to jail. But for the protection afforded him by the police he would undoubtedly have been torn from limb to limb.

It is difficult to predict the immediate outcome of the assassination of President Carnot, but as the explosion of Vaillant's bomb in the chamber of deputies last year wonderfully strengthened the hands of the Casimir Perrier ministry, so may the blood-stained knife of Santo strengthen republican France and rally around a strong, patriotic government all that is good and law abiding in France.

The late president of France was grand master of the Legion of Honor, as chief of the state, and had also been honored with a number of foreign decorations, including the Russian Cross of St. Andrew bestowed upon him by the czar in 1891.

The dead president also distinguished himself as the translator of Stuart Mill's "The Revolution of 1848 and its Detractors."

A president of France is elected for seven years by a majority of votes by the senate and chamber of deputies united in a national assembly or electoral congress.

President Carnot came into power on January 1, 1888, and would, in the natural order of things, have retired on January 1, 1895.

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RINGWOOD NEWS. — Paul Vance Matthews has returned from the A. & M. College, at Raleigh.

Children's day at the M. P. church here was a delightful entertainment. A large crowd was present, the church being filled to overflowing. Misses Sallie Jones, Irene Threewits, Burgess, Spruill, and Whitehurst filled their parts to perfection, while little Bennie Johnson, Tom and Emmett Matthews were fine for 7 year olds. All did well and the crowd passed enconiums.

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No matter how they bawl,
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The world is out to spot it—
To listen for its fall;
And if you haven't got it,
You're gone, good people, all!

SCHEMING mammas with marriageable daughters are now outlining the summer campaign.

DR. TYRE YORK, of Wilkes, ("Old York," as he calls himself on the stump,) and Gen. John Quincy Adams Bryant, of the same county, were long time political enemies and competitors in the good old days when the doctor was a Democrat, and Wilkes people tell how, on the campaign in those times, when Bryant was speaking, Dr. York would lie on his stomach on the ground a little way off from the stand, the stem of an oak leaf in his mouth, his elbows on the ground and his face resting between his hands, and would every now and then interrupt his competitor to say in that peculiar drawl of his, "Now, Quincy, you know that is a d—n lie!" The York Bryant campaigns present the only North Carolina parallel that we are aware of to the business that has been going on in South Carolina for the past week. But then, Wilkes is an exception to all rules.—Charlotte Observer.

HEADQUARTERS of the State Democratic executive committee have been opened in Raleigh, in charge of Mr. R. H. Cowan, secretary to the committee. The orders are that the preliminary campaign work shall begin at once.

LIZZIE HALLIDAY, the triple murderess, who has been on trial at Monticello, N. Y., has been convicted of the murder of her husband and two innocent women, will be electrocuted the second week in August unless the governor interferes.

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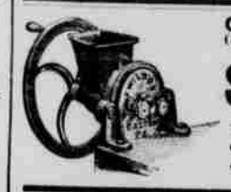

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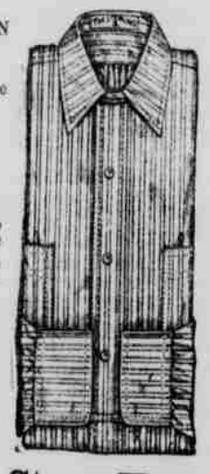

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