

The Morning Star. VOL. XXXV. -- NO. 17. WILMINGTON, N. C., SATURDAY, OCTOBER 11, 1884. WHOLE NO. 5638

DEMOCRATIC NATIONAL TICKET. FOR PRESIDENT, GROVER CLEVELAND, OF NEW YORK. FOR VICE PRESIDENT, THOMAS A. HENDRICKS, OF INDIANA. Electors—State at Large: JOHN N. STAPLES, of Guilford. W. H. KITCHIN, of Halifax. District Electors. 2d Dist.—W. H. LUCAS, of Hyde. 3d Dist.—DONNELL GILLIAM. 4th Dist.—C. W. MCCLAMMY, of Pender. 5th Dist.—B. H. BURN, of Nash county. 6th Dist.—R. B. GLENN, of Forsyth. 7th Dist.—ALFRED ROWLAND, of Robeson. 8th Dist.—R. C. PURYEAR, of Yadkin. 9th Dist.—R. McBRAYER, of Cleveland. 10th Dist.—M. H. JUSTICE, of Rutherford. DEMOCRATIC STATE TICKET. FOR GOVERNOR: ALFRED MOORE SCALES, of Guilford. FOR LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR: CHARLES M. STEDMAN, of New Hanover. FOR SECRETARY OF STATE: WILLIAM L. SAUNDERS, of Wake. FOR TREASURER: DONALD W. BAIN, of Wake. FOR AUDITOR: W. P. ROBERTS, of Gates. FOR ATTORNEY GENERAL: THEODORE F. DAVIDSON, of Buncombe. FOR SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION: S. M. FINGER, of Calabau. FOR ASSOCIATE JUSTICE SUPREME COURT: A. S. MERRIMON, of Wake. FOR CONGRESS IN SIXTH DISTRICT: RICHARD TYLER BENNETT, of Anson. OUTLINE. The Cincinnati Enquirer accused Major J. C. Morgan, chairman of the Republican Executive Committee, with bringing negroes to Cincinnati for the purpose of illegal voting; Morgan has sued the paper for libel.—Total net receipts of cotton at all the ports since September 1st, \$36,761 bales.—Four deaths from cholera in Spain during the past twenty four hours.—Three Russian frigates have been ordered to China.—Watson & McCall's tobacco factory, Petersburg, Va., suspended on account of the secrecy of tobacco for manufacturing.—Five masked men robbed a farmer of Johnston, Pa., of \$1,100 which he had secreted.—Crop reports for October show the average condition of corn higher than for the past five years; the wheat crop will exceed that of last year by about one hundred million bushels; returns of cotton indicate a reduction of nearly eight points in the average of condition; drought has been general and its effects manifest in many States.—The Canadian postal service will be represented at the New Orleans Exposition.—The report of Mr. Nimmo, chief of the Bureau of Statistics, says that the United States is now the largest manufacturing country on the globe.—Charles W. Butler, son of a wealthy physician of Ohio, hanged in Indiana for the murder of his young wife. New York markets: Money 2 1/2 per cent; cotton dull at 10 1/40c; southern flour steady at \$3 40/50c; wheat, ungraded red 64 3/8c; corn, ungraded 55 1/2c; rosin steady at \$1 27 1/2c; spirits turpentine steady at \$30 3/4c.

The New York Sun is now in eclipse. John L. Sullivan and one Lafin will have a fight. There may be some great surprises in store for candidates in November. Cheeky that, Jim Blaine accusing the knightly Bayard of lying and being afraid of him. Shade of Munchausen!

It is said that many prominent Irish and German speakers will take a hand in Indiana for Cleveland and Hendricks. Mme Janisch, a foreign actress of merit, became unconscious while on the stage at New Park Theatre, New York, caused by over-work. Col. L. C. Edwards was President of Council No. 12, Sons of Temperance, Oxford, N. C., September 24, 1887. This is interesting in view of his criticisms upon Mr. Reid. The miserably Radical legislators put out the fires of the iron furnaces, shut down the mills and turned out the workmen and now they are swearing that the Democrats did it.

The New York World is an able and wide-awake paper and is putting in some heavy licks on Blaine's villainous record. We can only hope that it will always be as near right as it is in this evident "labor of love."

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The latest from Ohio is that both parties claim and things are "mightily mixed." The State is full of detectives and colonized Republican voters. The Cincinnati correspondent, of the Baltimore Sun telegraphs on the 8th: "As the Republican headquarters the information was given that the State could be depended upon for 10,000 majority. Hamilton county was also claimed as certain, but no figures as to majority were furnished. They were also confident that the county who elect one if not both of the Republican Congressmen. At the Democratic headquarters it was claimed that Hamilton county would go from three to five thousand Democratic, elect the entire county ticket and both the Congressmen. In answer to an inquiry as to the attitude of the Germans, it was said, that the German Democratic vote would be larger than last year."

Black Jack Logan called a West Virginian at Hinton in that State a liar and then spat in his face as the cars moved off. Dignified and decent that! And the irate Logan, who wished to sell free negroes before the war who came into Illinois, did this because he was reminded of old Confederate times when he raised a regiment to aid the South. Black Jack got away in good time, but he will lose votes by his conduct.

In 1848, Abram Lincoln wrote from Washington to his law-partner, Mr. W. H. Herndon, as follows of Alex. Stephens: "I just take up my pen to say that Mr. Stephens, of Georgia, a little, slim, pale-faced, consumptive man, with a voice like Logan's, has just concluded the very best speech of an hour's length I ever heard. My old, withered, dry eyes are full of tears yet."

The Herald of Thursday says this: "We incline to agree with a correspondent who writes: 'When you look at it, it is highly of what early importance is it to the people of New York which party gets the most votes in Ohio next week? What do nine out of ten men in Ohio really know about Governor Cleveland? We of New York know that he has been a good Governor and we mean to make him President.'"

Almost the entire State of Virginia is suffering from a most terrible drought. From Norfolk to Lynchburg the whole country is burnt up.

THE STATE CANVASS. New Bern Journal. This gentleman, the Republican candidate for Governor, addressed a crowd of about three or four hundred, many of whom were Democrats, last night at the corner of Broad and Middle streets. We were disappointed in him. He possesses no magnetism as a speaker, and would not make a vote out of an intelligent audience. His appeals to the prejudices of poor white people and colored are simply disgusting to all men who have any self respect, be they rich or poor.

Raleigh Chronicle. The Chronicle took occasion yesterday to ask very nearly every editor that attended the Press Convention what majority he and his people thought Mr. Scales would receive. The answers ran nearly enough together to warrant the average opinion of 5,000 majority.

Judge Fowle speaks at Third Creek, in Rowan county, to-day. A friend writing to us from China Grove yesterday says: "Politics are lively, and numbers of Liberals are coming back to their first love. The mongrels can't make up a ticket for county officers that will stand fire."

Laurinburg Exchange. Col. Steele made a telling Democratic speech here last Tuesday night. He discussed in his own inimitable, practical and common sense way the issues of the day, and for more than two hours regarded his audience with thoughts that, breathe in words that burn. Every one that failed to hear him missed a treat.

Rockingham Rocket. Darby and Dookery spoke here last week. Darby spoke first. He spoke of the present system of county government as the "damnable remnant of aristocratic bossism." Said it was adopted to control the Eastern counties. If he had said it was adopted as a protection to those counties where the colored element in its ignorance ruled and ruined, he would have stated the truth as it was. He got on civil rights and tried to pooh-pooh it as only noise and bustle. He talked much about the tariff and glories over the benefits derived by the people from a high tariff. A large crowd greeted Mr. LeGrand at Ellerbe Springs last Saturday, and he made a good speech.

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Governor pretty lively. Gen. A. M. Scales, on his way to Farmville, where he spoke yesterday, spent a few hours in this city last Tuesday evening. As soon as his presence in the city became generally known a large crowd assembled in front of the Gregory House, headed by the Carolina Music House Band, to serenade our next Governor. General Scales then made a short speech, short on account of his recent illness, but in those few moments he completely won the hearts and confidence of all who heard him. He promised, in excusing himself from talking long, to give Goldsboro an appointment before the campaign is over. Col. W. J. Green and Messrs. Theo. F. Davidson and C. B. Aycock were next called for in order, and each of them made short but stirring speeches.

"Able, Bright, Newswy." Hillsboro Observer. The Wilmington STAR has entered upon its eighteenth year. It is an able journal, and is the only daily newspaper in the State that has ever made money enough to keep it running for so long a time. Long may it continue to be so bright and newswy.

Spirits Turpentine. Mr. S. A. Kemp, of Bladen, is dead. Rev. Dr. Milburn preached at Elizabeth City on last Sunday. Asheboro Courier: There are 808 more sheep listed this year than last and 6 dogs less. Oxford Torchlight: We regret to learn of the death of Mr. Wm. Smith, an aged and highly respected citizen of the Western part of the county. He lived to a ripe old age, dying in his 83d year. Raleigh Visitor: We regret to hear of the serious illness of Capt. W. W. Caraway at Kinston. He is better known as "D. R. Walker," the clever travelling correspondent of the News-Observer. Clinton Caucasian: The revival at Mt. Gilead Church closed last Saturday: 31 persons were baptized into the fellowship of the church, two were reported and one joined by letter, making 94 accessions in all. Greensboro Reflector: The trial of T. L. Perkins for the murder of Louis Robinson was commenced last Tuesday, and the case was given the jury last Wednesday evening. In about three hours they returned a verdict of not guilty. Pittsboro Home: On Tuesday morning Mr. F. F. Ellington was assaulted in his own barn by a negro named Wilmington. Mr. E. was badly choked and bruised about the head and face. He is quite old, over seventy, while the negro is young and strong. Chadburn Times: Green Swamp is said to be the largest swamp north of Florida, except the Dismal, lying partly in the north-eastern part of the State and partly in Virginia. From what we can hear, the cotton crop will be a short one this year. Greensboro Workman: Since the first discovery of gold in eastern North America, there has been sent to the different mines and assay offices of the United States, from North Carolina, over ten million dollars worth—half as much as from all the other Atlantic States together. Fayetteville Sun: On the first page of this paper, in the place of the story we usually publish, is a reminiscence of late war, told by Mrs. James Kyle, formerly of this place, but now of Clinch county, Ga. Died, on Friday night, Mr. John Buis, of congestive fever, after an illness of three days. On Saturday morning at 3 o'clock, Miss Betsy Ann Anderson. Fayetteville Observer: Cotton is coming in at the rate of 40 bales a day. Miss Sallie McQueen, the eldest sister of Mr. Henry McQueen, was drowned in the creek at Rockfish on last Tuesday. The voters of Cumberland now have the two tickets before them for county officers Powers, Tabert and Hall are renegade Democrats. Monroe Enquirer-Express: Wilbur Hasty and a negro named Bob Hamilton got into a row at Beaver-Dam on Tuesday which resulted in Hasty shooting the negro in the arm, inflicting a slight wound. Mr. Henry Howie is the owner of probably the largest hog in the county. It will weigh between 600 and 800 pounds; is 64 feet long, 6 feet around and 3 feet high. Raleigh News-Observer: Yesterday Mr. Julian S. Carr was observed by a reporter marking a box of cigars to Madras, British India. These cigars were made in the main building. One of the most beautiful exhibits at the Exposition is shown by Mr. C. A. Armstrong, who represents the Sam. Christian gold mine, in Montgomery county. This exhibit consists of two small trays containing upwards of \$2,000 worth of nuggets of native gold, just as they were taken from the mine. One of them weighs four pounds and is worth \$1,000. The members of the Press Association were unanimous in saying that the exhibit at the Exposition far exceeded their highest expectations. The magnitude and character of the exhibit prove what we have long claimed for our dear old State, that North Carolina is the richest State in the Union in natural resources.

Local News. Receipts of cotton yesterday 1,385 bales. The cool wave has come at last, but no rain yet. Hon. R. T. Bennett, our candidate for Congress, will speak here on Friday, October 17th. Maj. Stedman and Judge Faircloth will continue to speak in joint discussion, the same appointments answering for both. Register! Now is the accepted time! Don't wait until the last moment to register, and then go and find yourself in the midst of a jam. The German barque Verecin, Capt. Jancke, was cleared from this port for Cork for orders, yesterday, by Messrs. Alex. Sprunt & Son, with 1,849 casks spirits turpentine and 1,816 barrels of rosin, valued at \$28,048. Thanks to Mr. W. E. Daniel, Secretary, for complimentary tickets to the Fair of the Roanoke and Tar River Agricultural Society, to be held at Weldon from November 10th to the 14th. It is the purpose of those having the exhibition in charge, we understand, to make it superior to any previous one in its history.

Criminal Court. The following cases were disposed of by the Criminal Court yesterday: State vs. Geo. Craig, et al., charged with assault and battery. Defendant found guilty and discharged. State vs. Wm. Usher, charged with larceny. Defendant found guilty and sentenced to 6 months in the House of Correction. State vs. Lloyd Sneed, charged with larceny. Defendant found guilty and sentenced to 12 months in the County Work House. State vs. B. F. Simmons and J. A. Simmons, charged with assault and battery. Defendants found not guilty and discharged. State vs. Miranda Farrow, charged with a nuisance. Case continued for defendant, who was recognized in the sum of \$50 for his appearance at next term. State vs. Frank Mumford, charged with carrying a concealed weapon. Defendant found guilty; judgment suspended on the payment of costs. State vs. David Price and Jos. Midyett, charged with an affray. Defendants found guilty.

In the case of Fred. Hall and John Gibson, convicted of an affray, the first named was sentenced to pay a fine of \$10 and the costs and to imprisonment in the county jail for twenty days, and Gibson was sentenced to pay \$1 and the costs. Exposition Matters—Special Days. A correspondent at Point Caswell, Pender county, says he has heard several persons inquire what is meant by special days for different counties at the Exposition. It is understood that special days are named for various counties merely in a complimentary sense, with the hope at the same time that it will prove an incentive to those interested to try and have as large a crowd present as possible. A great many go to the Exposition on the days set apart for their respective counties merely as a matter of pride and take as many along with them as possible. Then there are days set apart for certain trades, professions and callings, complimentary to the same, and with the expectation that the day set apart for each will attract largely of those for whom it is named. Then again, matters connected with such trades, professions and callings may be considered and discussed on the days set apart for each. For instance, on Fishermen's Day it is expected to hold a Fisherman's Convention and have a lecture from Lieut. Winslow on oyster farming, etc.

A Pleasant Surprise. On Thursday evening last a number of the friends of Mr. Thos. E. Wallace, the genial and accommodating superintendent of the Robert Porter brewing establishment, together with a number of invited guests, gave him a complimentary banquet at the Gem saloon, as an evidence of their appreciation of his worth as a friend and gentleman, he being about to leave the State for another field of labor. Mine host, Mr. West, ably assisted by Mr. R. J. Lewis, had prepared one of the most sumptuous repasts that has been spread in our city for some time past. His Honor Mayor Hall presided, and after full justice had been done to the many substantial before them, toasts were offered in the guest of the evening (Mr. Wallace), the city of Wilmington, the proprietor (Mr. West), the commercial interests of Wilmington, the ladies, and the Old North State—all of which were ably and fittingly responded to. Mr. Wallace carries with him to his new home the good wishes of all of our citizens with whom he has had business or social intercourse. A Small Fire. A small dwelling house near the corner of Twelfth and Castle streets, being the last house on the latter street, was destroyed by fire yesterday afternoon, about 4 o'clock. The alarm was sounded and the fire department was out. The building was the property of John G. Norwood, colored, and it was occupied by a white family of the name of Wheeler, who are very poor. The couple had just left the house, when they heard the cry of fire and hastily returned, and succeeded in dragging out their trunk, and perhaps one or two other articles, but nearly everything in the way of furniture was destroyed. Col. Bennett in Harnett Township. Hon. R. T. Bennett will address his fellow citizens at McCumber's store, in Harnett township, on Saturday, the 18th inst., commencing at 12 o'clock. The voters of Harnett and other townships are requested to attend and hear the distinguished speaker. Old John Robinson, the yesteran show man, was in the city yesterday, accompanied by his son, Mr. John F. Robinson.

Weather Indications. The following are the indications for today: For the South Atlantic States, generally fair weather, except in southern part, and on the coast light showers and partly cloudy weather, fresh and brisk northeasterly winds, slight rise in temperature in northern portion, nearly stationary temperature in southern portion. Col. Bennett in Harnett Township. Hon. R. T. Bennett will address his fellow citizens at McCumber's store, in Harnett township, on Saturday, the 18th inst., commencing at 12 o'clock. The voters of Harnett and other townships are requested to attend and hear the distinguished speaker. Old John Robinson, the yesteran show man, was in the city yesterday, accompanied by his son, Mr. John F. Robinson.

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State Exposition—New Hanover's Exposition. Below we give from the Raleigh News and Observer a synopsis of the New Hanover county exhibit in the State Exposition: "The general view of this county's exhibit is very interesting, and presents a tropical appearance with small palm trees at each gate post and the great palm-trees prominent at each front corner, attracting the eye from a distance. Taken from directly in front it resembles an art gallery, the walls being richly adorned with oil pictures, crayons, photographs, hand-painted china, with cases bearing speaking likenesses of the county's Democratic candidates for Governor and Lieutenant Governor. The arrangement has been from the first under charge of the skillful Mr. O. T. Thomas, of Wilmington. There are also upon the walls specimens of map drawing, which are very creditable to the pupils of the Wilmington schools. The blending of colors in the arrangement is very pretty, the background light lead color, with windows and other decorations in deeper tints. The railings are covered with maroon, and the posts are large and gilded. The name 'New Hanover' is cast upon the centre and at the top in large blue letters. Upon tables in front are cases containing delicate work on china and photographs. A figure of Mary Anderson in crayon is also very fine and attractive, and with the many other specimens of crayon work, does Mr. Thomas great credit. A large piece of tapestry in zephyr, containing 196,000 stitches, the handiwork of Mrs. A. W. Rieger, of Smithville, represents the happy days of Charles the First. Miss Bessie Willard has two fine portraits in crayon, life-size busts of Mr. Prime, Mrs. Dickson Munds has a crocheted, highly performed satchel, hand-painted by herself, and there is a fine oil painting of a Spanish man-of-war, which attracts much attention. In the centre of the space are fruit stands arranged similarly to those of Park & Tilford, of New York, which show their fruit splendidly. In the practical line S. P. Shetter & Co. present a large exhibit of tar and turpentine tools, and a sample case of rosin in which 16 North Carolina grades from A to W, arranged in mosaic so as to blend in colors. The Acme Manufacturing Company, of Wilmington, present a large variety of their fire work and oils made from pine boughs and cotton seed. In the line of travel, and in ladies' real pine hair, 'heat grass blue,' bear grass, pine wool, distilled water, dust as a fertilizer, pine needles of eight grades. There is also a cabinet of woods, embracing all varieties grown in the county, some highly polished, such as the live oak, the live pine, the palmettos shown represent the northern limit of the growth of that tree. There is also a great variety of plants and grasses in pots, including the celebrated Virginia Hyacinth, the only plant known that feeds on insects. The turpentine tools include the hickory puller, scraper and boxing axe, just as taken from the woods, with a bucket for scrapes, and a barrel of crude turpentine ready for the distillery, which is all in hand in which the distillation or distillation of spirits of turpentine and production of rosin is explained. There is a very large and increasing demand for these goods now from the North. There is also an exhibit of tripoli, an article which is found in Moore county. It is manufactured in Wilmington by Mr. Swann. It is found nowhere else in the country except one deposit in California. It is equal to the best of German tripoli. Tripoli is used as a polishing article. Mr. Swann also exhibits fine clay found in Moore county. It is equal to the best English batteries. This fine clay can be found all along the ridge lying between the upper and lower Little Rivers, which empty into the Cape Fear.

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Valuable Real Estate for Sale. BY VIRTUE AND IN PURSUANCE OF THE decree made in a certain proceeding for a sale to make assets of the undersigned will sell at public auction, at 12 o'clock M., on Monday, October 14th, 1884, at the Court House door in the city of Wilmington, for each to the highest bidder the following described property, being the Southern interest of Front and Castle streets, being 120 feet on Castle street and 120 feet on Front street. It will be sold in two parcels, each parcel being 60 feet front on Front street, and each being of depth of 120 feet. Purchasers to pay for title deeds. F. H. DARBY, Administrator. sept 27 4w oc 11 st.

New Carpets. EVERYDAY THIS WEEK We will be getting in Carpets and Dry Goods. R. M. MCINTIRE. THIRTY-FIVE GROSS TURKISH BATH SOAP just received. oc 9 D & Wt oct 4 st

WE GIVE GOOD BOTTOMS ON ALL OUR BOOTS AND SHOES, and put them on our customers at BOTTOM prices. You will serve your interest by examining our goods and prices before paying out your money. Geo. B. French & Sons 106 NORTH FRONT STREET. oct 4 st

CAPTURED AT LAST. Capture of W. H. Swain, a Noted Horse Thief of Brunswick County. In the month of September, 1883, a young white man, by the name of W. H. Swain, a resident of Brunswick county, stole a horse from Mr. James Flowers, of Bladen county, and succeeded in effecting his escape into Georgia. At the time this theft took place Sheriff Taylor, of Brunswick, had in his possession papers for the arrest of Swain on the charge of stealing a mule from a party in South Carolina. An effort was made to capture the daring thief, but he was too sharp for his pursuers. About three weeks ago Swain ventured back into Brunswick county; the fact soon became whispered about, and yesterday a posse, consisting of A. M. Williams, A. B. Williams, J. S. Chinnis and others, tracked him to the home of Mr. S. S. Garrison, his brother-in-law, in North-west township, near Summerville, and succeeded in capturing him. He was thereupon tied securely and kept in the custody of officers, while Mr. J. S. Williams was sent in haste for Mr. Flowers to come and attend a preliminary examination to be held before Justice W. L. Hall to-day.

Swain is a professional thief and a desperate fellow. About twelve years ago he was tried for killing one Eli Cobb, colored; and subsequently he was tried in the Criminal Court of this county, convicted and sentenced to the Penitentiary for three years for stealing a pair of geese. He is about 28 years old.

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State Exposition—New Hanover's Exposition. Below we give from the Raleigh News and Observer a synopsis of the New Hanover county exhibit in the State Exposition: "The general view of this county's exhibit is very interesting, and presents a tropical appearance with small palm trees at each gate post and the great palm-trees prominent at each front corner, attracting the eye from a distance. Taken from directly in front it resembles an art gallery, the walls being richly adorned with oil pictures, crayons, photographs, hand-painted china, with cases bearing speaking likenesses of the county's Democratic candidates for Governor and Lieutenant Governor. The arrangement has been from the first under charge of the skillful Mr. O. T. Thomas, of Wilmington. There are also upon the walls specimens of map drawing, which are very creditable to the pupils of the Wilmington schools. The blending of colors in the arrangement is very pretty, the background light lead color, with windows and other decorations in deeper tints. The railings are covered with maroon, and the posts are large and gilded. The name 'New Hanover' is cast upon the centre and at the top in large blue letters. Upon tables in front are cases containing delicate work on china and photographs. A figure of Mary Anderson in crayon is also very fine and attractive, and with the many other specimens of crayon work, does Mr. Thomas great credit. A large piece of tapestry in zephyr, containing 196,000 stitches, the handiwork of Mrs. A. W. Rieger, of Smithville, represents the happy days of Charles the First. Miss Bessie Willard has two fine portraits in crayon, life-size busts of Mr. Prime, Mrs. Dickson Munds has a crocheted, highly performed satchel, hand-painted by herself, and there is a fine oil painting of a Spanish man-of-war, which attracts much attention. In the centre of the space are fruit stands arranged similarly to those of Park & Tilford, of New York, which show their fruit splendidly. In the practical line S. P. Shetter & Co. present a large exhibit of tar and turpentine tools, and a sample case of rosin in which 16 North Carolina grades from A to W, arranged in mosaic so as to blend in colors. The Acme Manufacturing Company, of Wilmington, present a large variety of their fire work and oils made from pine boughs and cotton seed. In the line of travel, and in ladies' real pine hair, 'heat grass blue,' bear grass, pine wool, distilled water, dust as a fertilizer, pine needles of eight grades. There is also a cabinet of woods, embracing all varieties grown in the county, some highly polished, such as the live oak, the live pine, the palmettos shown represent the northern limit of the growth of that tree. There is also a great variety of plants and grasses in pots, including the celebrated Virginia Hyacinth, the only plant known that feeds on insects. The turpentine tools include the hickory puller, scraper and boxing axe, just as taken from the woods, with a bucket for scrapes, and a barrel of crude turpentine ready for the distillery, which is all in hand in which the distillation or distillation of spirits of turpentine and production of rosin is explained. There is a very large and increasing demand for these goods now from the North. There is also an exhibit of tripoli, an article which is found in Moore county. It is manufactured in Wilmington by Mr. Swann. It is found nowhere else in the country except one deposit in California. It is equal to the best of German tripoli. Tripoli is used as a polishing article. Mr. Swann also exhibits fine clay found in Moore county. It is equal to the best English batteries. This fine clay can be found all along the ridge lying between the upper and lower Little Rivers, which empty into the Cape Fear.

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