For Almanac-August 12.

Sun Rises ..... 5.15 A M Sun Sets..... 6.58 P M The Weather.

U. S. DEP'T OF AGRICULTURE. ) WEATHER BUREAU. WILMINGTON, N. C., Aug. 12. Meteorological data for yesterday: Temperature: 8 a. m., 78°, 8 p. m., 80° maximum, 94°; minimum, 74°; mean,84°; Rainfall for the day, .00; rainfall for the month up to date, 1.19.

COTTON REGION BULLETIN. Scattered local rains fell over this section yesterday, Showers were also reported along the Gulf coast and over Mississippi and Arkansas. Excessive heat and generally fair weather prevailed over the cotton belt during the

FORECAST FOR TO-DAY. For North Carolina, fair in northern portion local showers in southern por-

tions, variable winds. The weather will continue generally if he kept on importing there would fair and warm in the Atlantic coast be a chance to make some money by States Wednesday, but the indications trading with him, and laying up the are that the warm wave will be broken Wednesday night with cooler weather Thursday and Friday. Local thunder storms are likely to occur in the Ohio valley, lower Lake region, and the Central Mississippi valley, followed by cooler, fair weather, and winds shifting to northerly.

## OUTLINES.

The U.S. Treasury situation does not show the improvement that was looked for. - Murray Hill Bank, one of the oldest State banks in New York city has closed its doors. - Gov. Stone, of Missouri, says his speech of notification to-night will be very brief and formal. - Ex-Presidens Harrison will take the stump in behalf of "sound money." - The Democratic National Committee held a meeting in New York yesterday, at which Chairman Jones was authorized to appoint the necessary committees for carrying on the campaign. - Fifteen or twenty persons lost their lives in a burning building in New York city. - Cleveland, Ohio, was visited by a violent wind storm, which did considerable damage. - The Security Bank of Duluth, Minn., has suspended payment. - Spain is churged by the Red Cross Society with butchering surgeons and wounded Cubans. ---

Hon. Wm. J. Bryan, on his journey from the West to New York, is greeted by enthusiastic crowds at every stopping place. -- Cuban insurgents wrecked a passenger train and destroyed a sugar estate. -- At Chicago 1,000 dead animals are lying in the streets from the effects of the heat; at Montreal, Can ada, the heat was intense and but little business done; up to noon yesterday 46 cases of prostration and 25 deaths were reported; twelve deaths and fitty cases are reported in Philadelphia, and at Baltimore ten fatalities, were reported up to midnight. --New York markets: Money on call was easier at 3@8 per cent; last loan at 3, and closing offered at 8 per cent; cotton quoted dull; middling gulf\_ 85 15c; m ddling uplands 81-16c; Southein flour was dull and steady; common to fair ex ra \$2 00@260; good to choice \$2 60@2 90; wheat-spot dull and easier; corn-spot dull and easier; No. 2 29%c. at elevator and 30%c. affoat: spirits turpentine quiet and steady at 24@21%c; resin quiet and steady. strained common to good \$1.57%@1.60

Mrs. Bryan is an expert swimmer, and the indications are that her husband will prove a capital runner.

nominating Mayor Pingree, of

fraction over 20 knots an hour.

ernor.

the people.

- A small party of excursionists "Take up the real issue of greater from Ramseur arrived here yesterday by prosperity," exclaims a Northern gold paper. That is precisely what

special train on the C. F. & Y. V. R. R. - The Ladies Aid Society of the we silver men have been doing. M. E. Church at Fayetteville will give an excursion to-morrow to Wilmington Since Hon. Bourke Cockran has

and Ocean View. announced himself for McKinley - A number of the delegates to the Republican organs will quit rethe Congressional Convention, which ferring to him as a wind mill, blathmeets in Jacksonville to-day, stopped over in the city last night, The Republican Convention of

- Another bale of new crop North Michigan showed its consistency terday. It came over the W., C. & A. and devotion to honest money by

Railroad to Messrs. Corbett & Gore. - The reception given compli-Betroit, a free silver man, for Govmentary to Rev. Will B. Oliver, of the First Baptist church to-night promises to be a grand affair. A fine musical pro-

In the cities which Mr. Bryan gramme has been arranged. passes through on his way to New -- Messrs. J. L. Breckinridge, J. York, the streets are solld with peo-W. Taylor, B. E. Willis, C. D. Jacobs ple to greet him. This indicates that and D. H. Wilder, delegates to the candidate Bryan is pretty solid with silver conference to be held in Raleigh to morrow, will leave this afternoon via

the Seaboard Air Line. The American liner St. Louis has - Owing to the sickness of the broken the record westward across STAR'S Ocean View newsboy, there has the ocean, Her last trip from been delay in delivering papers to sub-Southamption to New York was made in 6 days, 2 hours and 24 remedied. Any subscriber who fails to minutes. Her average speed was a to report to this office at once.

## THE MORNING STAR.

WILMINGTON, N. C., WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 12, 1896.

IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT. PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS Pertinent Paragraphs Pertaining Princi pally to People and Pointedly Printed.

to THE MORNING STAR : - Capt. J. R. Allen, of Wilson TO MAIL SUBSCRIBERS. was in the city yesterday. - Capt. V. V. Richardson, of ..... 2.50

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Attention is called to the follow-

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live Association is employing col-

ored spouters to organize gold clubs

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Carolina, after which he will go to

South Carolina, to corrall the

innocents in the gold clubs. This is

to prevent them from voting for

many of them will do if they can't

other Smiths, to vote this year.

would never vote for another Presi-

dent until a man west of the Missis-

sippi river was nominated. Mr.

Smith has felt somewhat louesome

in Presidential years, but this year

he will have lots of company and

Mr. Armour didn't expect to do a

very extensive business with his

Mexican dollar object lesson, as he

imported only \$12,000. By the way,

change." for if free silver carrie

those Mexican dollars will be worth

A French engineer claims to have

ships on hollew rollers, by which a

speed of sixty miles an hour may be

attained. Instead of going through

the water they glide over it. His

success with a small model has en-

couraged him to build a large boat.

The Knoxville Tribune, gold

standard, but now supporting the

Democratic ticket, utters the follow-

ing rock-bottom declaration: "The

Democratic party should never be

sacrificed to the interests of any one

man or to the selfish schemes of any

been nominated for the Presidency

he would have to spend much of his

time conferring with Boss Platt and

wouldn't have as much time to in-

Manager Hanna made some dis-

ment is stronger in the East than

told his Republican friends after he

Some of the gold organs in the

East have discovered that the free

silver sentiment is "on the wane."

It is a little too early to kill it yet.

By the way, those rousing receptions

to candidate Bryan don't indicate

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

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LOCAL DOTS.

Items of Interest Gathered Here

and There and Briefly Noted.

- The stage of water in the Cape

- A pleasant excursion was given

on the Cape Fear river last night on

Fear river at Fayetteville Monday was

CLYDE LINE-Sailing days.

got back to Cleveland.

much of a wane.

terview his calves as he has now.

set of men."

considerably more than 50 cents.

will pop it in for Bryan.

be headed off.

Whiteville, is in the city. - Mr. Bernice Moore has returned ...... 1.25 ..... 1.00 from his old home, Warsaw. - Mr. R. D. Cardwell, Lumber

ton, was in the city yesterday. - Mr. R. F. Hamme has gone to The STAR will be delivered by New York on a business visit.

- Miss Gracie Smallbones has gone to Rocky Mount on a visit. - Misses Fannie and Louise Corbett are visiting in Florence, S. C.

- Messrs. A. H. McNeill and W. L. Spence, of Carthage, are in the city. - The STAR regrets to learn that among the colored voters of the Dr. McDuffie, of Fayetteville, is quite South. One of them has been as sick.

> her friend, Miss M. L. McKoy, at Masonboro.

- Mrs. Katle Morecock has returned home from visiting relatives in Bryan and Sewall, which it is feared | Burgaw.

- Miss Lila Morrison and Miss Lily Peschau have gone on a visit to There is a chance for Arthur Smith, of Kansas, and in fact all the - Mr. L. L. Mallard, of Wallace,

was interviewing wholesale merchants Twenty years ago Arthur swore he vesterday. - Mr. Geo. P. Cotchett has returned to the city from a trip in West-

> ern North Carolina. - Mr. L. A. Weedon and wife and Miss McIver, of Fayetteville, were registered at The Orton yesterday.

- Mr. G. Thomas Flynn, who has been quite sick for several days, had improved sufficiently to be out yesterday. - Mr. John Donlan, who has been at his father's Summer cottage at Ocean View for the past four weeks, is improv-

- Mr. Frank Jenkins, of Winston, who has been on a visit to relatives in Wilmington and Carolina Beach, has returned home. - Mr. T. H. Maxwell, of Raleigh,

one of the clever S. A. L. conductors between there and Portsmouth, was invented a method of supporting here yesterday on a visit to old ac-- Messrs. F. H. Gatlin, Tarboro; C. C. Lyon, Elizabethtown; F. T. Mills, Whiteville; J. L. Willson, Abbeville; A.

> D. Ward, Newbern, were among the visitors in the city yesterday. - Capt. Dave Jones, engineer on the C. F. & Y. V. R. R., well-known in this city, will leave to-day for New York. His wife will accompany him and together they will spend a few weeks

with relatives at Reidsburg, Vermont - Messrs. A. D. Ward, Newbern; J. L. Wilson, Abbeville, S. C.; F. F. Mills, Whiteville: L. L. Mallard, Wallace; R. D. Caldwell, Lumberton; S. W. Tillinghast, Fayetteville; U. L. Spence, Defeat has its compensations Carthage; F. H. Gatlin, Jr., Tarboro; A. sometimes. If Gov. Morton had H. McNeill, Carthage; H. L. Cook, Fayetteville, were among the arrivals in the

- Hon. John G. Shaw, Maj. W. F. Campbell, Mr. Duncan Shaw, M .: S. W. Tillinghast, Mr. Geo. A. Burns, Capt. B. Smith, Messrs. B. R. Taylor, E. Gorham, H. L. Cook and H. I. McDuffie, coveries while in the East. One of all delegates from Cumberland county to the Democratic Convention of the these was "that the free silver sentig Third Congressional district, were in the city last night, on their way to most people think." That's what he lacksonville.

BUSINESS EMBARRASSMENT.

Suspension of the Peregoy-Jenkins Lum ber Company-Believed to Be Only Temporary-No Statement of

Assets or Liabilities. Rumors were current around town vesterday that the Peregoy-Jenkins Lumber Company had failed. It was difficult to ascertain particulars, although the report was confirmed that the company, under financial embarrassment caused by the failure of Mr. W. H. Treworgy, of Boston, Mass., had been compelled to suspend, and that a bill of sale of the lumber in this city had been made to Mr. Jas. H. Chadbourn, Jr., Vice President of the National Bank of Wilmington, to secure creditors. No statement of assets or liabilities of the company could be obtained. The company had a commercial rating of \$125,000. Mr. Treworgy of Boston, was its Eastern agent. It is said that the company will soon arrange

its affairs and resume business. The plant in this city is one of the largest in the South, of the most modern design, and is nearly new, having been in operation but a short time.

S. A. L. Excursion. The Seaboard Air Line will on August 15:h run an excursion train from Atlanta to Virginia Beach, Old Point Comfort and Ocean View, taking on passengers at all intermediate points. The excursion will be called the "Ocean Wave." Rate from Charlotte and Carolina Central stations east of Charlotte to lina cotton was received here yes- Ocean View will be \$7.20; to Virginia \$7.75. All other stations on the entire line will be accorded low rates in pro-

> High Temperature. The maximum temperature here yes-

portion. This excursion promises to be

a mammoth one.

terday as recorded at the Weather Bureau station was 94 degrees, the same as the maximum on Monday. The record for that day showed an average of 100 degrees for the Wilmington district; the same as the Savannah district. At Charlotte the maximum was 98; Cheraw, 102; Florence, 98; Goldsboro, 105; Greensboro, 97; Lumberton, 101; Newbern, 98; scribers there; but the trouble is now Weldon, 103. There were good rains and it is also a convenience to adverat Lumberton and Newbern and light tisers, who can calculate the exact cost receive his paper hereafter is requested rains at Greensboro, Weldon and Char- of their advertisements, which must be lotte. Florence reported 1.30 inches. paid for always in advance.

POLITICS AT RALEIGH.

DEMOCRATIC EXECUTIVE COMMIT-TEE AGAIN IN SESSION.

Butler's Proposition for Fusion With Dem crats Regarded as Instrucere-Playing a Game of Bluff-Republican Leaders Rolling In to be Near the Populists When the People's Party Convention Meets.

Special Star Correspondence. RALEIGH, Aug. 11, 1896. The Democratic Executive Committee went into a secret meeting again this morning, though with a decreased atten-

dance, as many of the members returned to their homes early this morning. Butler's proposition to fuse with Democrats on Congressional and State matters was the political sensation yesterday. Indeed few people believe Butler is sincere. They rather think that he is playing his bluff game in order to draw the Democrats out. It is a noticeable fact that Butler is giving nothing out himself. It is not believed that Butler - Miss Liea Wiggins is visiting | could induce the Populist State Convention at its meeting here on the 18th to

> sional and State matters. To be sure it is currently stated that he would have a difficult job in inducing the convention to accept the Democratic committees proposition for electoral fusion. Butler's statement that he could not recommend the plain proposition for electoral fusion seems to be a knocker out. If that be the case fusion is at an

fuse with the Democrats on Congres-

end. No one can tell, for Butler is too great a b'uffer. Oi course there are some Democrats who favor Butler's last proposition for complete fasion. There is no telling what this week will bring

Judge Russell arrived this morning. A. S. Peace, S. G. Hamrick, and W. A. Guthrie, leading Populists, came in this morning, Buck Kitchin came last evening, as did Congressman Pearson. It is noticeable that the Republicans are rolling in early so as to be near the Poplists in their labors this week. It is said that a Populist can't do anything now, unless he has several Republicans

In Martin county, the Populists have offered to select a non-partisan Board of County Commissioners, each party to have equal representation. This is said to be the Populist idea, where the latter baven't a majority. Ed. Johnson says the Republicans of this district will nominate a goldbug,

whether it is done to-day or in conven There was a good rain in the eastern part of this county yesterday. Gov. Carr returned to-da; from Blow-

[Special Star Telegram.] A large number of Populists have arrived here to attend the Populist State Convention. Those from Vance and a few from other counties are swearing against Butler. They say that he is trying to deliver the Populist party over to the Democrats. Rowland, of Vance county, says that Butler is a traitor. Brown, who was found guilty of forging the assignment act, says the Populists will never submit to fusion with Demo-

crats. Some one asked Buck Kitchin whether the Populists were going to fuse with Democrats or Republicans. "Don't talk to me about fusing with Republicans," said Buck.

A. S. Perce, of Granville, has a strong following for Secretary of State. The presence of a large number of Republicans here who spend most of their time jollying the Populists, is very noticeable.

Senator Butler's proposition to Chafr-

man Manly gave the Populists five electors and the Democrats six; it provided for a division of the Congressional districts, each party to take four and fight it out for the mastery in the second. The Populists were to have the first, fourth, seventh and, eighth districts, and the Democrats the third, fifth, sixth and ninth. The party that took the Senator was not to name the Governor. The other State officers were to be equally divided. This proposition was submitted several days ago and had the endorsement of the Populist Central Committee. Chairman Manly's reply. agreeing to give the Democrats six electors and the Populists five, was received by Senator Butler this afternoon. It was in writing, as was the Populists' proposition. Nothing was said of State and Congressional fusion. The Populists announce that they will answer Mr. Manly's reply in the morning, after a meeting of their executive committee.

A prominent Populist declares that fusion with the Democrats is at an end, since they have failed to consider their proposition for complete fusion.

- [By United Press to the Star.] RALEIGH, N. C., August 11 .- Mr. Clement Manly, chairman of the Democratic State Committee, this afternoon made a proposition on behalf of the Democratic party to Chairman Butler, of the Populist Committee, for a division of the electoral ticket, the Demo-

crats to take six and the Populists five. Up to to-night no reply has been made. It is believed that Chairman Butler and his committee will not recommend the proposition to their convention Thursday unless it also covers a fusion on the Congressional ticket with a like equal division. Many prominent Republicans are here watching the proceedings with great interest,

Postal Telegraph. Mr. W. B. Scattergood, the clever and efficient manager of the Postal Telegraph Company in this city since its opening here in 1890, the STAR regrets to learn leave Friday for Atlanta, Ga., to take charge of the Postal Telegraph of- on all fice there. Mr. Scattergood has made a hosts of friends in this city who are sorry to see him leave and whose best wishes will follow him to his new field. Mr. Scattergood will be succeeded here by Mr. R. P. Miles, of Richmond, Va., who is well-known in telegraphic circles.

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CROPS IN NORTH CAROLINA.

Considerable Damage to Cotton-Corn Also Injured-All Crops Need Rain-Conditions Becoming Berione.

The weekly crop bulletin issued by he North Carolina Experiment Station The past week has been on the whole

he most unfavorable of the entire season. The conditions of extreme heat and dryness, which began over two weeks ago, continue unabated. While the mean temperature has been only from 4 to 6 degrees above the normal per day the maximum again reached over 100 degrees. Showers occurred at half dozen points on the 2d and 3d, but were altogether insufficient in amount; the deficiency for the State for this week is nearly 1.50. Bright sunshine prevailed. The effect of these conditions on crops has been bad in all dis tricts, except at some points in the southeast portion and in the mountainous sections. Cotton continues to deteriothat bolls and leaves are shedding badly; at places the plants are wilting; no top crop seems to be forming; the crop is opening too rapidly. Although it is easy to overe: t mate the damage to cotton, all evidences show that it has been considerable. Still if good rains occur this week there will be some recovery. Corn has also been injured and late corn will be a failure without rain soon. Much of the fodder of the old crop has been pulled, and much is drying on the stalk before it can be stripped. Curing tobacco is now progressing everywhere. Much firing is reported, and farmer, are pulling lower eaves, which are curing bright but thin and light. Although neas, sweet notatoes and peanuts are good, they need rain badly. Sowing turnip seed has been stopped. The conditions are becoming serious, and there has been an unfor unate decline from the fine crop

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Icasks spirits turpentine, 16 bbls rosin, 4 Steamer Daggett-19 casks spirits turpentine, 69 bbls rosin, 12 bbls tar.

Total receipts-Cotton, 1 bale; spirits turpentine, 174 casks; rosin, 680 bbls; tar, 72 bbls; crude turpentine, 7 bbls.

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

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Transportation Department, Newbern, N. C., Aug. 6, 1896.

NOTICE TO THE STOCKHOLDERS

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sive to be issued and notice given according to resc-lution of August 7th, 1895." RESOLUTION OF AUGUST 7TH, 1895. "Notice thereof to be given providing that stock-holders of record and the rimmediate families shall be entitled and that blanks be furnished upon appli-cation Limit to be positive and no exension allowed." A blank form of spplication will be furnished from this office the same as last year on application to the undersigned.
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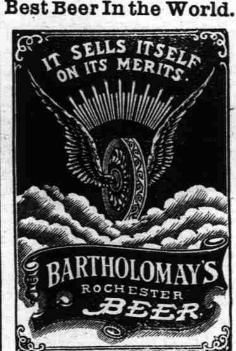
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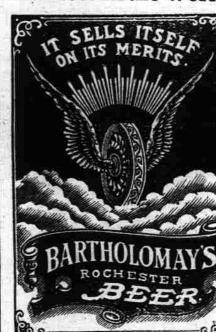
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