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**U. S. DEPT. OF AGRICULTURE.**  
WEATHER BUREAU.  
WILMINGTON, N. C., Sept. 27.  
Meteorological data for yesterday:  
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**FORECAST FOR TO-DAY.**  
For North Carolina—Generally fair;  
east winds.

The barometer has fallen slowly in the  
Southern, Middle and New England States  
and rapidly in the extreme  
Northwest; it has risen throughout the  
Lake region and from Texas northward  
over the Dakotas and Minnesota.

The indications are that the weather  
will continue generally fair in the At-  
lantic coast districts, but showers are in-  
dicated for the Ohio central and lower  
Mississippi valleys and southern por-  
tions of the Lake region.

**OUTLINES**  
John Boyd Teacher declined to accept  
the Democratic nomination for  
Governor of New York on the ground  
that he cannot endorse the platform  
adopted at Buffalo; his successor will  
be named by the State Committee, which  
meets Monday. Mr. Bryan made  
several short speeches in New Hamp-  
shire yesterday. The Treasury gold  
reserve stood at \$119,691,118 yesterday.

**NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.**  
D. L. GORE—For rent.  
SCHOOLS and colleges.  
W. B. COOPER—Candy.  
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AUCTION—Lumber for sale.  
OPERA HOUSE—Rob Roy.

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**IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT**

Attention is called to the follow-  
ing REDUCED RATES of Subscription  
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TO CITY SUBSCRIBERS.  
The STAR will be delivered by  
carrier at any point in the city at 12  
cents per week, or 45 cents per  
month.

Mayor Strong, of New York,  
showed his partisanship and his  
churlishness when he refused per-  
mission to erect a stand near Tam-  
many Hall for Mr. Bryan, and  
from heretofore public speakers  
have had no trouble in securing per-  
mission to erect such stands, and  
Mayor Strong is coming in for some  
harsh criticism, not only by Demo-  
crats, but by Republicans, for draw-  
ing the line on Bryan.

The Washington STAR represents  
the Treasury officials as entertain-  
ing the belief that "the troubles are  
over for a season." For a season.  
As long as the banks agree to keep  
up the reserve. But what, then, if  
McKinley should be elected?

The Washington correspondent of  
the Philadelphia Ledger says the  
Democratic committee is going to  
put a lot of speakers in the States  
between the Ohio and Mississippi  
rivers and make the campaign hot  
there. That's business.

A Tennessee man was determined  
that McKinley should take the stump  
and sent him a hickory one from his  
State. Mr. Mc. has had it planted in  
his front yard and uses it to ad-  
dress the bands of "pilgrims" that  
Mark Hanna sends along.

A gold organ remarks that "the  
indications are that the importations  
of gold will be kept up for some  
time." Probably until after the elec-  
tion, when it will begin to go the  
other way.

Some of the Republican papers  
say that Bryan is "wearing himself  
out." If so, he has the satisfaction  
of knowing that he is also wearing  
them out.

The city of Tampa, Fla., is one of  
the growing cities. In 1880 it had a  
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cluding the suburbs, a population of  
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**LOCAL DOTS.**

Items of Interest Gathered Here  
and There and Briefly Noted.

— See fourth page for other new  
advertisements.  
— The advertising card of Walter  
L. Main's circus will arrive to-day.  
— Registration in the different  
wards of the city yesterday was quite  
lively.

— Superior Court for New Han-  
over county, Judge Cible presiding, con-  
venes here to-morrow.  
— The Norwegian barque *Nor* is  
reported at Southport quarantine, hav-  
ing arrived there yesterday.

— Receipts of cotton yesterday  
at Wilmington 3,147 bales; receipts cor-  
responding day last year, 3,815 bales.  
— A false alarm of fire was turned  
in yesterday about 11 a. m., from box  
No. 58, corner of Market and Eighth  
streets.

— The Fall session of the Luth-  
eran Parochial School will begin next  
Thursday, October 1st. Mrs. A. Miller  
and Miss A. Stemmerman will be the  
teachers.

— The Norwegian steamer *Ceylon*  
arrived yesterday to load cotton at the  
Champion Compress, where two British  
steamships are now taking in cargo for  
European ports.

— Wm. McDonald, one of the  
ship keepers on the monitor *Nantuxet*,  
who has been sick for some time, was  
taken to the City Hospital last night,  
and is thought to be in a precarious  
condition.

— The steamer *Frank Sessoms*,  
Capt. Ward, is making excursion trips  
to Pine Bluff, sixteen miles above the  
city, where a colored camp meeting is in  
progress. The boat will make two trips  
to-day, leaving at 8 a. m. and 8 p. m.

— Mr. Frank T. Mills and Mr.  
Jas. A. Montgomery will open a horse  
exchange and sale stable at Nos. 110,  
113 and 114 North Water street, about  
the 10th of next month. Mr. Mills is  
now out West purchasing stock for the  
firm.

— Don't forget that registration be-  
gins on Saturday, Sept. 29th, and is con-  
tinued on the three succeeding Satur-  
days. The hours are from 9 o'clock  
a. m. until 4 o'clock p. m., just seven  
hours each of four days. It will be seen  
therefore that the whole vote must  
be registered in 28 hours. Register the  
first day and have it off your mind.

**CRUISER RALEIGH TESTIMONIAL.**  
On Exhibition at the Banking House of  
Marchant & Co.  
The punch bowl designed as a testi-  
monial for the U. S. cruiser *Raleigh* arrived  
yesterday from Raleigh and is on exhibi-  
tion at the banking house of Messrs.  
Marchant & Co.

The committee, consisting of Mr. H. L.  
Stevens, Mr. F. A. Olds and Col.  
Kenna, who were appointed by Gov.  
Carr to select a design and make the  
necessary arrangements preparatory to  
the presentation, deserve great credit  
for the taste displayed in the  
selection of this handsome testimonial.

The punch bowl is of solid silver,  
twenty-four inches in diameter and  
about eighteen inches high. The out-  
side is oxidized, while the interior is  
gold-lined and polished. One side bears  
a splendidly executed engraving of the  
cruiser *Raleigh*, on the reverse is the  
inscription, "To the U. S. Cruiser *Raleigh*  
from the Citizens of North Carolina,  
1896." Between the engraving and in-  
scription are two raised medallion seals  
of the United States and North Carolina.  
The ladle is of solid silver, the spoon  
gold lined, the shank massive and beau-  
tifully chased and at the base of the shank  
is a heavy raised medallion of Sir Walter  
Raleigh. The base upon which the bowl  
rests is of ebony, with foundation of  
green plush.

The testimonial is strikingly hand-  
some, one that will do honor to the citi-  
zens of the Old North State, and that  
cannot but be appreciated by the officers  
of the ship for which it was designed.  
The testimonial will be presented to  
the *Raleigh* as soon as the Secretary of  
the Navy sees fit to order her to South-  
port.

**OPERA HOUSE.**  
Rob Roy to be Presented Next Thursday  
Night.  
Fred C. Whitney's splendid singing  
organization in Messrs. De Koven &  
Smith's picturesque comic opera "Rob  
Roy" will be one of the most enjoyable  
musical treats of the season. Mr. De  
Koven's music is well conceived and  
sprightly, while the libretto of Mr. Smith  
supplies every want. No opera of this  
present generation has ever met with  
such universal praise—from first to last  
the opera is sung and acted with a dash  
and spirit that are delightful. Mr. Whit-  
ney furnished the authors with artists  
who have fine voices. The Scotch  
national dress is one of the most pictur-  
esque among nations and as a stage  
dress it is simply charming.

The sale of seats will open to-morrow  
(Monday) morning at 9 o'clock at Ger-  
ken's, when only those whose names ap-  
pear upon the subscription list can  
secure their seats. Regular sale will  
begin Tuesday morning.

**A Very Important Matter.**  
As an exciting new registration is re-  
quired for the coming election in all  
cases where there has been a division of  
any Ward or Township. Where there  
has been no such division, a revision of  
the registration books only is required.  
It should be noted especially that only  
four days are allowed for registration,  
viz: Saturday, September 29th; Satur-  
day, October 3d; Saturday, October  
10th; and Saturday, October 17th. Re-  
member the dates.

The hours of registration are from 9  
o'clock a. m. to 4 o'clock p. m., and  
"Rob Roy" will be one of the most  
enjoyable musical treats of the season.  
The law provides that all candidates,  
or their duly authorized representatives,  
may witness the counting of the ballots.

**CRIMINAL COURT.**

Adjudged for the Term—Grand Jury's Re-  
port—Highway Robbery Case Con-  
tinued Until Next Term.

The Criminal Court adjourned yester-  
day for the term, after disposing of the  
following cases:  
— State vs. Emanuel Silver, assault and  
battery with a deadly weapon. Verdict,  
not guilty.

In the case of John Forbes, colored,  
charged with an assault with an intent to  
commit rape, Mr. A. J. Marshall, Forbes'  
attorney, stated to the Court that he  
had a physician to examine Forbes, as  
ordered by the court, to see if Forbes  
was non compos mentis, and that the  
physician had said that he thought  
Forbes' mind was impaired, but was  
doubtful if it was impaired to the ex-  
tent specified by law. Forbes was sen-  
tenced to two years imprisonment in the  
State penitentiary.

State vs. John Turner, selling liquor  
on Sunday. Mistrial.  
At 12:30 o'clock the grand jury came  
into court, handed in their report as  
follows, and were discharged:  
**SEPTEMBER SPECIAL TERM**  
**CRIMINAL CIRCUIT COURT.**  
WILMINGTON, N. C., Sept. 26, 1896.

The grand jury for this term had  
you this their report. We have exam-  
ined into and passed upon eighty-four  
bills. We have found seventy-one true  
bills and twelve not true bills, and made  
one presentment.

We have visited the county home and  
work house and find everything in very  
good order, clean and nicely kept, and  
no complaint from any of the inmates.  
We would recommend that Andrew  
Peterson, one of the inmates, be sent to  
the city hospital, where he can be  
properly treated. We would recom-  
mend that Mrs. Anne Martin, one of  
the inmates, be examined by a board  
as to her insanity, as we think that  
she should be in the asylum, where she  
could receive proper treatment.

We have also visited the county jail  
and find it in very good order, clean  
and nicely kept and no complaints from  
anyone. We would recommend that the  
female department in the jail should  
have proper ventilation as we think it  
is not properly ventilated. It has been  
brought to our attention that one Dick  
Holmes, a prisoner at the work house,  
convicted at the last term of court and  
sentenced to one year, had been sold  
to J. P. Flynn, and having captured one  
Jesse Smith, who confessed that he was  
the party and not Dick Holmes who  
made the confession. We would recom-  
mend that the court investigate this  
matter, and if such is the case to use  
its official capacity as judge to have  
him punished.

**JOHN T. KEEN, Foreman.**  
In the case of Wm. Pearsall charged  
with highway robbery, as material wit-  
nesses for the defence and the State were  
absent, the trial was postponed until  
the October term of court. Jno. D. Bell-  
amy, Esq., appeared for the defendant,  
and Solicitor Richardson and Mr. Her-  
bert McClammy for the State.

After displaying of the cost cases on  
the docket, the Court adjourned for the  
term.

**THE WALTER L. MAIN CIRCUS.**  
There is a surprising unanimity in the  
praise accorded by the great  
newspapers to the Walter L. Main Big  
Shows, which are billed to appear here  
on October 19th and which we are as-  
sured will far outstrip anything in the  
nature of an arena enterprise ever given  
our people. The big shows, for there  
are a number of them under one manage-  
ment, complete a surprisingly compre-  
hensive whole, will be seen here under  
greater advantage than anywhere else  
this season, as it was recently much  
colored to Mr. Main, having purchased in  
Colorado one of the other shows which  
was billed to appear in this  
neighborhood, and added to its al-  
ready mammoth attractions which  
always consisted of a 3-ring circus, a  
great wild west, a real Roman hippo-  
drome, a wild beast show and a mon-  
ster menagerie and marine exhibit.  
Contrary to his usual mode of proceed-  
ure, Capt. Pierre Perlier, to meet a public  
demand, will do his world's highest  
five ring act and will be seen by all on  
the show grounds outside the tent im-  
mediately after the parade gets to the  
show grounds after traversing the line of  
march. This free exhibition is entirely  
distinct from the magnificent afternoon  
and night performances.

The advertising card will arrive in the  
city to-day. Balaam Fuller, Wilming-  
ton's famous colored bill poster, has  
finished building the bill boards and the  
town will be billed to-morrow.

**SUNDAY SERVICES.**  
Chapel of the Good Shepherd, corner  
Ninth and Queen streets, Rev. Geo. M.  
Tolson, minister in charge—11 a. m.,  
Morning Prayer, Litanies and sermon; 8 p.  
m., Evening Prayer and sermon. Seats  
free and public cordially invited.

St. Paul's Evangelical church, corner  
Fourth and Market and Sixth  
streets, Rev. K. Boldt, pastor. German  
service at 11 p. m.; English service at 8  
p. m., Sunday School at 8 p. m. All  
seats free.

St. Paul's church, Fourth and Orange  
streets, Rev. F. N. Skinner, pastor. Ser-  
vices to-day (17th Sunday after Trinity).  
Morning Prayer and Holy Communion  
at 11 o'clock, evening prayer at 8 o'clock.  
All seats free.

There will be no service at St. Mat-  
thew's English Lutheran church (Brook-  
lyn) this Sunday, owing to the absence  
of the pastor, Rev. G. D. Berahem,  
Sunday school at 4 p. m.

**COLORED CHURCHES.**  
St. Stephen's A. M. E. church, corner  
Fifth and Red Cross streets, Rev. E. J.  
Grogg, pastor. Preaching to-day at 10:30  
a. m. and 8 p. m. by the pastor; 8 p. m.,  
Rev. J. H. Richardson.

**Speaking Tuesday Night.**  
The Hon. R. B. Glenn will address  
the citizens of Wilmington on Tuesday  
night, September 29th, from a stand  
erected on the corner of Fifth and  
Market streets. The speaking will be-  
gin at 8:30 o'clock. The speaker will be  
introduced by Mr. Ireddell Meares,  
Ladies are invited to attend.

If there is anything you want,  
advertise for it. Is there anything you  
don't want? Advertise it in the  
**Business Locals of the STAR.** One  
cent a word. But no ad. taken for  
less than 20 cents.

**RALEIGH NEWS ITEMS.**

MOR. R. B. GLENN SAYS HE NEVER  
SAW DEMOCRATS MORE EN-  
THUSIASTIC.

Judge Russell and Men Arriving There  
Campaign in the East—Wicks County  
Democratic Convention—A Proposi-  
tion to Puse With Populists Kill-  
ed in Caucus—Electional Fui-  
sion Endorsed.

[Special Star Correspondence.]  
RALEIGH, N. C., Sept. 26.  
Frank Howard, who was sentenced to  
be hanged to-day in Concord, was  
brought here to-day and placed in the  
penitentiary by Sheriff Simms. The  
Governor yesterday commuted How-  
ard's sentence to imprisonment for life  
at hard labor in the penitentiary.

Judge D. L. Russell, who arrived yester-  
day from the West, will remain until  
Monday. A new list of appointments is  
being arranged for Judge Russell and  
Marshal Mot, who will close the cam-  
paign together in the East.

L. Bert Aford, the gold bug candi-  
date for Congress, followed Messrs.  
Stroud and Poo in their joint canvass  
yesterday at Edgecombe county. Aford was  
spoken for by the crowd.

R. B. Glenn says he never saw the  
Democrats more enthusiastic, and he  
never spoke to larger crowds.  
Last night burglars entered a store on  
Wilmington street, here, carrying away  
a large amount of jewelry.

The Populists here are saying that the  
fusion in many counties is not genuine.  
They claim that the regular Populist  
organization has not fused with Demo-  
crats but one or two counties. A  
leading Populist stated to-day: "We do  
not recognize any of these so-called  
Populist organizations that do not abide  
by the action of the head of the organiza-  
tion."

A poster has been issued in Rocking-  
ham county calling a "non-Democratic  
Populist Convention" to meet at 2 p.  
m. to-day. The convention is called  
"non-Democratic Populist" because the  
regular Populist convention, which met  
yesterday at Edgecombe county, had  
elected a Democratic nominee for Con-  
gress.

The non-Democratic Populists were  
defeated in their primaries and conven-  
tion, but they propose to meet and en-  
dorse Dalby, the Populist nominee for  
Congress. The name which this latter  
organization assumes would indicate  
that they are not Democrats and not  
Populists but Republicans.

Chairman Ayer was asked whom he  
would recognize and he replied that he  
would recognize the candidate that en-  
dorsed the Populist nominee.

[Special Star Telegram.]  
The Democratic County Convention  
nominated W. H. C. Oiler for the Sen-  
ate, and E. A. Whitaker, N. B. Broughton and  
J. A. Fleizung for the House of Representatives. A res-  
olution to fuse with the Populists was  
killed in caucus. Electoral fusion with  
Populists and Silver Party was en-  
dorsed.

**A CUTTING SCRAPE.**  
One of the Billows on the Revenue Cutter  
*Merrill* severely injured.  
Last night about 10 o'clock police officer  
C. D. Gore, while on duty on Front  
and Market streets, was sent for by the  
officer in charge of the revenue cutter  
*Merrill*, now in port, to get a disorderly  
sailor off the ship. Officer Gore, accom-  
panied by officer Holmes, went down to  
the *Merrill* and arrested a sailor named  
Chas. E. Williams, who had been "put in  
irons. Williams was very drunk and had  
to be carried to the station house in a  
back while he was being searched at the  
station, officer Gore found that Williams  
had been cut. The cut was on the left  
side, and was about two inches long.  
Dr. Harris was sent for and examined  
the wounded man, and as the sufferer  
was a sailor, ordered him carried to the  
Marine Hospital. At the hospital Wil-  
liams was sewed up and dressed.  
Williams said the gunner, E. J. Noonan,  
on board the *Merrill*, cut him. Officers  
Holmes and Gore again visited the cut-  
ter and arrested Noonan and carried  
him to the guard house. Noonan said  
that Williams was so drunk and disor-  
derly on board the cutter that he had  
to place him in irons. In the scuffle he  
supposed Williams cut himself with a  
razor, which he was flourishing around.  
Noonan has a cut on one of his hands,  
and says that Williams also bit him on  
the leg.

**WAYNE COUNTY.**  
Democratic Convention—Nominations for  
County Officers.  
[Special Star Telegram.]  
GOLDSBORO, N. C., Sept. 26.—The  
Wayne County Democratic Convention  
for the selection of county candidates  
was held here to-day and the following  
nominations were made: For Sheriff,  
F. S. Scott; Register, Geo. C. Korngay;  
Treasurer, A. T. Uzzell; Coroner, Dr.  
Thomas Hill; all of whom were nomi-  
nated by acclamation. Also, for Sur-  
veyor, H. F. Price; House of Representa-  
tives, T. Parker and Rev. J. F. Hill,  
Commissioners, J. E. Peterson, M. T.  
Johnson and G. I. Graptham.  
F. A. Daniels, of this city, was recom-  
mended as one of the Senators from  
the Ninth Senatorial district, which is  
to hold its convention at Warsaw next  
Wednesday.

A large and enthusiastic crowd was  
present. The Democrats have bright  
prospects for carrying the county, de-  
spite the Rep. Pop. combine.

**Religious Services.**  
A mission will be held at the Chapel  
of the Good Shepherd this week, begin-  
ning to-day. Services and preaching  
will be expected every night, except  
Saturday. Everybody is urged to at-  
tend these meetings as it is hoped that  
they will be both interesting and profit-  
able.

**CY. WATSON'S APPOINTMENTS.**  
Cyrus B. Watson, Democratic candi-  
date for Governor, will address the peo-  
ple as follows:  
Rockingham October 28; Lumberton,  
8th; Whiteville 8th; Wilmington, at night  
on the 7th; Burgaw, 8th; Clinton, 9th;  
Kearnsville, 10th; Trenton, 12th; New-  
bern, 13th; Kingston, 14th, and continues  
as far as Gatesville on the 24th.

**DO YOU TAKE IT?**

Are you a subscriber to THE  
MORNING STAR? If not, why not?

Do you want a first class daily pa-  
per at \$5.00 per year, or \$1.25 for  
three months? If so, subscribe to  
THE MORNING STAR.  
Do you want a paper that is op-  
posed to the single gold standard,  
that favors the free coinage of silver  
on an exact equality with gold, and  
that does not hesitate to speak its  
sentiments openly and fearlessly? If  
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the latest telegraphic news, the best  
local news, reliable market reports,  
excellent short stories, and the  
choicest miscellaneous matter? If  
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Do not forget that THE MORNING  
STAR is the cheapest daily of its class  
in North Carolina. Its price is \$5.00,  
while the published price of others  
ranges from \$7.00 to \$8.00.

If you will invest \$1.25 in a trial  
subscription of three months you will  
have ample opportunity to form a  
fair judgment of the merits of THE  
MORNING STAR.

**NATIONAL SILVER PARTY.**

STATE HEADQUARTERS.  
WILMINGTON, N. C., Sept. 24, '96.  
To the Independent Silver Voters of  
North Carolina:  
As Chairman of the National Silver  
Party I address myself to the voters of  
North Carolina, calling your attention  
to the great cause of financial reform,  
now the subject of contention between  
all the political forces of this country.

The gold standard is represented by  
the Republican Party. The free coinage  
of silver upon a parity of 16 to 1, and  
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[Special Star Telegram.]  
The Democratic County Convention  
nominated W. H. C. Oiler for the Sen-  
ate, and E. A. Whitaker, N. B. Broughton and  
J. A. Fleizung for the House of Representatives. A res-  
olution to fuse with the Populists was  
killed in caucus. Electoral fusion with  
Populists and Silver Party was en-  
dorsed.

**A CUTTING SCRAPE.**  
One of the Billows on the Revenue Cutter  
*Merrill* severely injured.  
Last night about 10 o'clock police officer  
C. D. Gore, while on duty on Front  
and Market streets, was sent for by the  
officer in charge of the revenue cutter  
*Merrill*, now in port, to get a disorderly  
sailor off the ship. Officer Gore, accom-  
panied by officer Holmes, went down to  
the *Merrill* and arrested a sailor named  
Chas. E. Williams, who had been "put in  
irons. Williams was very drunk and had  
to be carried to the station house in a  
back while he was being searched at the  
station, officer Gore found that Williams  
had been cut. The cut was on the left  
side, and was about two inches long.  
Dr. Harris was sent for and examined  
the wounded man, and as the sufferer  
was a sailor, ordered him carried to the  
Marine Hospital. At the hospital Wil-  
liams was sewed up and dressed.  
Williams said the gunner, E. J. Noonan,  
on board the *Merrill*, cut him. Officers  
Holmes and Gore again visited the cut-  
ter and arrested Noonan and carried  
him to the guard house. Noonan said  
that Williams was so drunk and disor-  
derly on board the cutter that he had  
to place him in irons. In the scuffle he  
supposed Williams cut himself with a  
razor, which he was flourishing around.  
Noonan has a cut on one of his hands,  
and says that Williams also bit him on  
the leg.

**WAYNE COUNTY.**  
Democratic Convention—Nominations for  
County Officers.  
[Special Star Telegram.]  
GOLDSBORO, N. C., Sept. 26.—The  
Wayne County Democratic Convention  
for the selection of county candidates  
was held here to-day and the following  
nominations were made: For Sheriff,  
F. S. Scott; Register, Geo. C. Korngay;  
Treasurer, A. T. Uzzell; Coroner, Dr.  
Thomas Hill; all of whom were nomi-  
nated by acclamation. Also, for Sur-  
veyor, H. F. Price; House of Representa-  
tives, T. Parker and Rev. J. F. Hill,  
Commissioners, J. E. Peterson, M. T.  
Johnson and G. I. Graptham.  
F. A. Daniels, of this city, was recom-  
mended as one of the Senators from  
the Ninth Senatorial district, which is  
to hold its convention at Warsaw next  
Wednesday.

A large and enthusiastic crowd was  
present. The Democrats have bright  
prospects for carrying the county, de-  
spite the Rep. Pop. combine.

**Religious Services.**  
A mission will be held at the Chapel  
of the Good Shepherd this week, begin-  
ning to-day. Services and preaching  
will be expected every night, except  
Saturday. Everybody is urged to at-  
tend these meetings as it is hoped that  
they will be both interesting and profit-  
able.

**CY. WATSON'S APPOINTMENTS.**  
Cyrus B. Watson, Democratic candi-  
date for Governor, will address the peo-  
ple as follows:  
Rockingham October 28; Lumberton,  
8th; Whiteville 8th; Wilmington, at night  
on the 7th; Burgaw, 8th; Clinton, 9th;  
Kearnsville, 10th; Trenton, 12th; New-  
bern, 13th; Kingston, 14th, and continues  
as far as Gatesville on the 24th.

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