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a nuis or walk. "lator Wellington, of Marylan d The tays he has been "listening with A leaf ear" to the attacks that were made on him, finally heard them with the ear that wasn't deaf, and got so mad that he resigned as chairman of the State Republican Committee. But what the mischief was he "listening with a deaf ear" for?

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IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT

WILMINGTON, N. C., WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 22, 1897.

Attention is called to the following REDUCED RATES of Subscription and There and Briefly Noted.

TO MAIL SUBSCRIBERS. Twelve Months......\$5.00 2.50 1.00 50 TO CITY SUBSCRIBERS.

The STAR will be delivered by carrier at any point in the city at 13 cents per week, or 45 cents per

President McKinley is quoted as saying that the attempt to shoot the neary rainfall of \$45 the negro postmaster at Hoganssported from Jicksonvulle. wille, Ga., will not deter him from appointing negroes to office where they are found competent. But in cases like this he can probably take the chances with less risk than the golored gentleman, if this mode of protest should come into vogue, of which there is little probability. That Hogansville business might have been a put up job, after all.

> Thirty thousand dollar chicken thieves are not very numerous, but they have them sometimes. A Youngstown, Ohio, man, whose chicken coop was raided too frequently, rigged up an electrical apparatus, and that night caught a man beloing himself to his poultry and jumped on him and pounded. him to unconsciousness. When a man worth \$30,000, and now the him for burglary.

There is a prospect of some shoot-Ind., quintuple lynching. The gang and have friends who have sworn to avenge them. The men known, but they belong to an or. dancing master, arrived in the city last gantzation of about 400 men who have pledged themselves to suppress burglary, stealing, &c., in those parts, so that there will be two parties to play in the game of retaliation.

Senator Jones, chairman of the National Democratic Committee, has written a letter advising that national saues be kept out of the New York city campaign, which is our opinion was very level headed advice. National issues have nothing to do in a municipal campaign. Refusing to bring these issues in and abandoning these issues when they are at issue are two entirely different things.

Chicago is a great town, with a variegated climate. Last Saturday the masculine decisess slid from seersuckers and such into two-ply overcoats, and it wasn't a remarkably extraordinary day either. But, adging from the capers of the mercury down this way, that kind of weather seems to be spreading.

Or January 1st, 1897, there were in France 329,814 bicycles and tricycles, an increase of 74,000 over '96, which showed an increase of 53,000 over 195. In that country the wheels is derived from them.

It is said that an official report states that only sixty eight Indians in this country are insane. But the There are lots of Indian is not in the habit of doing thinking enough to addle his

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

D. O'Conwon-For rest. MERCER & EVANS-Hard at work, VOLLERS & HASHAGEN-Fine cigars. REM PARTEEN POCUTO

WANTED-Young man from country

Hereafter advertisements to go in Business Locals" department will be charged one cent per word for each insertion; but no advertisement, however short, will be taken for less than 90 cent This is a reduction from former rates end it is also a convenience to adversers who can calculte the exact cost of their advertisements, which must be paid for always in advance

The river is rising and the river boats will probably resume their trips at an early date. Ton A P. Hart west up yesterday to Willis creek, where it will exchange cargoes with the E. A. Hawer The Driver will probably make a trip sometime this week.

ATLANTIC COAST LINE

Will Run a Train from Goldsboro to N mik and Beturn the Same Day. The Goldsboro Argus of Monday, the

"The travelling public and the busi-ness men of this city will be gratified to learn that the Atlantic Cosst Line will With such an experience as that we should think he would prefer to ride another passenger train, to run from this city to Norfolk, leaving here at 5 o'clock city to Nortolk, leaving here at 5 o'clock in the morning and returning about 8 o'clock in the evening. The starting of this train from this point will be a great convenience for Goldsboro and will be of material benefit to the Hotel Kesson. It exhibits a desire to lumins greater accommodation on the part of the Coast Line, for which the citizens of this entire section should feel grateful, and is beyond a doubt a forward movement for Goldsboro."

Capt. Haywood Clark and Capt. Kornegay will run on the new train.

LOCAL DOTS

Items of Interest Gathered Here

- A dance was given by the yang folks last night in Hibernian Hall. - The excursion from Mount Airy will arrive over the C. F. & Y. V. 1.35 at 7 o'clock this evening. - County Superintendent M. C. S.

Noble had a number of applicants for teachers' certificates before him yester-

- The dog kennel for the New Hanover Fox Club is now in course of coastruction in the northern part of the

the regular meeting of the Board of Audit and Finance was not held yester-- A new shifting engine, a North

- A quorum not being present,

Eastern, No. 14, has been received and put into use at the freight yard of the Atlantic Coast Line. - The STAR learns that Mr. C. C.

Forneydayal, of Crosly, who was badly burt in a runaway not long since, is improving and is now quite out of danger. - The Fayetteville Observer says that the Cumberland County Fair will be held November 10, 11 and 19, Dr.

chiel marshal. - The Clyde steamship Delaware arrived in port yesterday morning. She is considerably larger than the other Clyde vessels that have been running

here, registering 1,979 toes. - The cotton men say that the farmers are not holding back their crop worth a cent. It was remarked yesterlight was brought it proved to be a day that not one bale in a thousand was being held for higher prices. One would chicken owner is going to prosecute | think not, judging from the swollen re-

- The receipts of cotton yesterday were 4 638 bales, against 2.759 on ing growing out of that Versailles, the corresponding day of last year. Speaking of heavy receipts, the secrelynched belonged to an oath bound | tiry of the Exchange remembers one day years ago when 10 000 bales were received.

who were active in the lynching are - Prof. Louis Bogar, French night to make preparations for the open ing of a dancing academy. Prof. Bagar was here several years ago and is well knows as a terpsichorean teacher of

> - Mr. Joe B. Warren, having failed to get anybody to accept his challenge for a long distance run, has 'pulled down the flring jib," he says, and retired from beycle riding. Parties really assions to take a 800-mile run, however, would find him not unaccommo-

> - Harris' Nickel Plate Show will be in the city on the 5th of next mouth and will give two performances, in the aftersoon and at night. The advance advertising car, in charge of Mr. W S Freed, arrived in the city yesterday and a force of hands was immediately put to work placing bills around the city ansouscing the coming of the show.

> > BY RIVER AND RAIL

Naval Stores Yesterday. Wilmington & Weldon R. R .- 428

bales cotton, I cask spirits turpentine. 11 bbis rosin, 4 bbis tar, \$8 bbis crude

Wilmington, Columbia & Augusta R.R.-\$.494 bales cotton, 7 casks spirits turpentine, 97 bbls rosin, 63 bbls tar. Carolina Central R. R .- 401 bales cotton, 6 casks spirits turpentine, 47 are taxed, and considerable revenue | bbis rosin, 7 bbis tar, 19 bbis crude tur-

Cape Fear & Yadkin Valley R. R .-830 bales cotton, 82 casks spirits turpen-

tine, 3 bble rosin, \$1 bble tar. Total receipts-Cotton, 4.658 bales; spirits turpentine, 46 casks; rosin, 88 bbls: tar, 104 bbls: crude turpentine, 85 bbls.

Ossiow Land Investment Company. A meeting of stockholders of the Oaslow Land Investment Company was held yesterday at soon in the office of John D. Bellamy, Eeq. with a large majority of the stock represented. The reports of the President and Secretary and Treasarer were heard and approved. After other routine business, the stockholders went into the election of a board of directors as follows: Capt. Jao. F. Divine, W. W. Miller, Jao. D. Bellamy, R. D. Cronly, Martin Newman, George H.

Howell and Dr. E. Porter. The stockholders' meeting was then adjourned and the directors met for the election of officers. Dr. E. Porter was elected president : Capt. Joo. F. Divine vice president, and Mr. Geo. H. Howell secretary and treasurer.

A Touch of Winter. There was a real touch of Winter in the weather yesterday. The wind blew with considerable force, and it was from a direction that made it the least bit piercing. A drizzling rain all the aftersoon and night finished out a raw day and what might be called a disagreeable one if it were not for the fact that any kind of weather, so it is cool, is preferable to the sweltering kind that we have

been having of late. Rein May Help the Yop Crop of Cotton.

A gentleman who returned vesterday from a trip through the country reports that the rain, while it comes late, is not too late to help the top crop of cotton. A great many young bolls were so parched by the drought that they never would have matured but for the rain that has fallen lately.

Desig of a States of H.D. James Wilson. The STAR regrets to learn of the death of Mrs. Gordon, a sister of Hon. James Wilson, former Mayor of this city and a well known business man, Mrs. Gordon died suddenly last week at Saratoga Springs. Mr. Wilson's many friends here will sympathize with him sincerely in the sad and unexpected bereavement. less than 30 cents.

BOARD OF HEALTH By Resolution B'q test the Governor Not to Open Western North Carolina to

Yallow Pever Befogees. As usual the Board of Health met resterday morning, Mayor S. P. Wright, M. D., presiding, and Dr. W. D. McMillan, Superintendent of Health, secre-

Os motion of Dr. G. G. Thomas, duly seconded, the following resolution was adopted Resolved. That the Board of Health

espectfully request his Excellency, Governor D L Russell, to refuse to make Western North Carolina a place of refuge for the people of the vellow fever district for the present, certainly not before the 1st of October, because it will expose the towns on the coast to the visits of such of these people as are now destrous of coming here, and are pre vented only by the quarantine now estab lished. Any of these persons who may be disposed to come here, after stopping in the mountains for a day or wo, will come directly to these Eastern points. This was the experience in the Jacksonville epidemic when refugees went to Hendersonville under the promise that they would remain in that place for fourteen days after reaching there; several of them went to Hendersonville and took the earliest opportunity to come to Wilmington to catch the steamer to New York, and would have been in the town for several days with their baggage if they had not been detected and sent back. It is very probe held. November 10, 11 and 13. Dr. bable that this may occur again, and for J. Vancz McGougan has been appointed the next two weeks we feel in duty bound to protest against the movement on the part of the Surgeon General, Dr ino. Hey Williams, to open Western North Carolina or any other towns to

> these refugees. The meeting then adjourned.

> > U. S. DISTRICT COURT.

Jarors for the Term Beginning Nov:mber 2 ad, 1897. The cext term of the U. S. District Court will convene in this city November 3ad. The following is a list of the jurors drawn to serve during that term,

Oaslow county-J. D. Congleton. Thomas Bryan, James Laughlin, John Garganee, W. W. Parker. Columbus county-J. B Brinkley, W.

H. Harrison, F. E. Borden, John Wright. Bruns wick county-William Grissett, Infferson Freeman. Benjamin Watters,

New Hanover county-B Bellois, J J. Barrestine, T. F. Bagley, Daniel Lee, Divid Joses J. H. Chidooura, Jr., Elijah A. Orrell, S. Behrends, J. M. Hewlett, J. H. Durbam, Goo. R. French Cumberland county-A. H. Slocum. Didus D. Jones, C. L. Taylor, Bragg

Robeson county-H. G. Mitchell, J. C. Atkinson, Jas. E. Britt, Colin Britt-Wellington Wishart.

Sampson county-J. L Autrey, Henry Stanb, Allen Daughtry, J. E. Barden. Bladen county - Richardson Mc-Bryde, Jeff McKay, J. G. Bright, Bryant Blackman. Pender county-James M. Henry.

Robert Atkinson, J. C. Wooten, R. M. Croom. I. R. Bannerman. Duplin county-J. S. Westbrook, J. F. Wallace, Henry Bowden, Edward Dixon.

THE GULF STORM

Betarded in Its Movement Up the South Atlantic Coast by a High Area from the West.

The hurricane signal was displayed at the Wilmington station yesterday at 10 a. m., under instructions from the Bareau at Washington, D. C. The Gulf storm was then central in Northern Florida, moving northeast.

At 8 o'clock last evening the Bureau made the following report: "The storm area has moved slowly northeast from Florida to central southeast of Savannah, Ga. Heavy winds continue along the coast south of Hatteras, with rain failing, heaviest 2 93 inches at Jacksonville, Fia. The storm is being greatly retarded in its movement by the advance eastward of the high area which has moved to central over the Middle States. The barometer is falling generally over the interior of the country with temperatures rising north and west of the Tennessee valley. It continues decidedly cool over the States bordering the Atlantic, the lowest temperature reported to-night over the country being

48 degrees at Savannah, Ga." A: Wrightsville Beach yesterday there was some apprehension of danger from the storm and several of the cottagers hastened up to the city for shelter. But it turned out that there was but little cause for fear. The tide did not get very high and the wind up to 11 o'clock last night was not more than thirty miles an hour.

WILL NOT QUARANTINE.

Payetteville's Ald rmen Refuse to Sustain the Board of Health of Oumberland County to Its Broommendation.

The Favetteville Aldermen do not fear 'yellow jack," and showed how little terror he has for a city that is as well up above the yellow fever atmosphere as Fayetteville, by unanimously refusing to indorse the action of the Board of Health recommending a quarantine. Drs. Marsh, McNeill, Highsmith, Mc-Gougan and McDuffis, of the Board of Health, were present at the meeting of the Board of Aldermen at 11 o'clock Monday, and with the except ion of Dr. McDuffie, agreed that it was absolutely to the interest of the commerce of the c'ty to establish a quarantine. Dr. Mc-Duffie and Alderman A. A. McKethan d the quarantine, saying that during the yellow fever epidemic in Wilmington scores of fever stricken people were boused and nursed in Fayetteville and none of the inhabitants contracted the discase. This argument prevailed and the Board of Health was not sus-

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If there is anything you want, advertise five living, fifteen living grand children and one great grand child. The latter is little four year old Alice Wilton. There will be a family re-union at the residence this evening. Mr. and Mrs. Clark were married near St. Lawrence. Chatham county, on Monday, Sept. 26th, 1847.

THE ASSAULT ON MATE MILLER. Clark, the Negro Sailer, Held in \$500 Bond -Jartice Booting Investigating

the Matter. A. L. Clark, the West Indies negro sailor, who assaulted and cut with a keife Frank P. Miller, white, second mate of the American schooner William M. Bird, (as told in the STAR yesterday) had his bond fixed at \$500, the trial to take place as soon as Miller, the injured man, is able to appear in court.

Clark has retained Herbert McClammy, Erg., to defend him. Last Monday on his way to jail, in charge of Deputy Sheriffs J. P. Fivnn and W. W. King. the prisoner, Clark, stated that he did not mean to stab Miller; that the cutting was entirely accidental. As the schooner Bird will soon be

unloaded and ready to sail. Justice Bunting, before whom the case will be investigated, vesterday commenced to inquire into the case, to see what witnesses it would be necessary to hold for the trial, Capt. J. J. Barrett, master of the vessel, and Geo. Williams, first mate, were examined yesterday afternoon, and several of the crew will be examined to-day.

Capt. Barrett testified : "I am master of the American schooner William M. Bird. On Saturday, September 18th. 1867, while my vessel was lying at quaractine in the Cape Fear river, A. L. Clark cut F. P. Miller, second mate of said vessel. The following are the particulars: I saw Clark with a knife cutting at Miller. I hallooed to Clark, but before I could reach him he stabbed

Geo. Williams testified : 'I am firs mate of the schooner William M. Bird. Oa September 18th, 1897, while our vessel was lying at quarantine in Cape Fear river, I heard Capt. Barrett halloo, 'What are doing with a knife?' I looked and saw Clark cut Miller with a knife."

BASE BALL. The National League-Besuli of Yesterday Games and Other Interesting YESTERDAY'S GAMES. Baltimore, 10: New York. 8. Brooklyn, 23; Boston, 5

Cincinnati, 11; Pittsburg. 8. Washington, 5. Pailadelphia, 4 Cleveland, 8: Chicago, 7. WHERE THEY PLAY TO DAY. Brooklyn at Boston Baltimore at New York.

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hiladelphia..... 58 78 The Bridegrooms made a plaything of Nichols vesterday in the first game. scoring twelve runs in the first inning. Hickman was substituted for Nichols in the fourth inning. In the second game the Beaneaters didn't have to try very

hard as Lewis was an enigma to Brooklyn. The Orioles did as they pleased in yeserday's game with New York, and were fooled by Meekin. Nops was in the box

for Baltimore.

Death of Hop. Walter B. Falson. Hon, Walter E. Faison, solicitor, of the Department of State, Washington, D. C., died shortly after one o'clock this morning in this city at the residence of Or. J. E. Matthews. Mr. Faison was about 49 years of age, son of Dr. J. Haywood Faison, of Sampson county, N. C. He was a graduate of the Law School of the University of Virginia and had been in the service of the Government at Washington some fifteen years, first as chief of the consular bureau and later solicitor. His wife, who died four years ago, was a daughter of the late Rev. Jas. M. Sprunt, of Kenansville, N. C.

The remains will be taken to Clinton, N. C., for interment there.

The approach of Fall brings the cottagers up to the city, and the news that storm was heading this way yesterday hurried them up considerably. The six o'clock train from the sound had on a crowd, some coming up to spend the night and others for good.

All the Carolina Beach cottagers have returned, and the cottages are closed till another season.

Daniel Williams, colored, charged

Magistrate's Court, Justice Bunting disposed of two cases yesterday :

with failing to provide a support for his wife and driving her away from home, was adjudged not guilty and discharged. The same delendant, however, was placed under a \$50 bond to keep the peace a given length of time and to pay the cost of the action. Williams met

both of the requirements. Death of Mr. Wm. H. Hall, of Winston. Mr. S. G. Hall received a telegram vesterday bringing the painful news that his brother Mr. Wm. H. Hall was no more. He died Monday night after several weeks' illness. The deceased was the father of Mrs. F. W. Foster, of this city, who has been at his bedside for several days past. Col. Foster left yesterday to attend the funeral, which will

Golden Wedding of Mr. and Mrs. W. Clark, of Payetteville. Observer, 20th: To-day is the 50th anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Clark's marriage, and they are receiving the congratulations of all their friends,

TO HIRE CONVICTS.

TWO PROPOSITIONS SUBMITTED TO THE PENITENTIARY DIRECTORS. The Navassa Guano Company Propose

Take the Castle Haynes Farm-Govergor

Russ It Favors Acceptance of John H. EWinder's Erroposition;-Board Adjourned Without Aotion-Argumeats Befere the Bulway Com

[Special Star Telegram.]

RALEIGH, N. C., September 21.-The Penitentiary Board of Directors met this evening. A proposition was received from the Navassa Gaano Company to take the Castle Haynes farm off the hands of the State, and to hire convicts for three years The Board authorized W. H. Chadbourn and Superintendent Smith to confer with the company and

John H. Winder's proposition for leasing the convicts and an accompanying communication from Gov. Russell to the Board were read. In his letter the Governor advises acceptance of John H. Winder's proposal to take convict labor and pay all expenses, in consideration of receiving all the products of convict labor. He says the proposal is bona fide, and suggests that the following indisputable requirements be imposed in the contract, so as to bring it strictly within the constitution and statutes, viz: That the control and custody of convicts remain with the State's agents: that rules and regulations concerning the management and internal police of the institution remain with the superintendent and directors that no punishment be inflicted on convicts except by the superintendent and agents; and that the employment of the superintendent and the guards still remain with the board; that the salary of superintendent and clerk to the prison be paid by the contractors; that the power of the Governor and the Board of Directors to make investigations in matters pertaining to the prison, and the joint committee of the General Assembly, remain as they are; that the contractors be required to keep in good repair all buildings and structures at the central prison; that the bond of unquest'onable security in the sum of fifty thousand dollars, conditioned for the faithful performance of the contract, be required of the contractors; that the proposal be accompanied by a deposit of three thousand dollars as earnest money, to be forfeited upon failure to comply with the proposal; that the feeding, clothing and housing of the convicts be controlled and regulated by the su-

perintendent. Upon these conditions, and others which may be suggested, Governor Russell urges that the board give out the contract for the purpose of saving the State further expense in maintaining the institution. This, he says, Mr. Winder proposes to do, and states that he should have the contract unless

other parties make a better offer. As Mr. Winder does not include the Anson farm in his proposal, the Governor suggests that the State retain enough convicts to work this. He says the rent amounts to six per cent. on forty thousand dollars, when the farm is only worth ten thousand. The Governor says: "It is an open question whether it is best to attempt to get back the loss of about twelve thousand dollars in the Castle Hayne property, which is the amount due for convict labor, by purchasing the property. This course would necessitate the reservation of a

few convicts to work the land." The Governor states that Thos. Evans, of Wilmington, has been employed to ascertain the loss to the State at Castle Hayne for convicts' bire. The letter concludes: "I am profoundly satisfied that it is best for the State to take such, measures as will save the State harmless against further loss and make the institution self-supporting, provided always that precautions be taken against cruel-

ties and abuse." Superintendent Smith submitted a report, stating that he would pay all debts and have a sufficient quantity of provisions to last another year. He maintained that the Penitentiary would be more than self sust aining this year. The report showed an indebtedness of \$55,000 and cash received, \$16,000, with solvent credits amounting to \$8 000.

Discussion pro and con then followed and an adjournment was had until morning without action. Directors Sigmon, Chadbourn and Martin are appointed a committee to draw up resolutions embodying the views of the board and naming the conditions upon which the lease would be made. It is believed the conditions will be such that the contract will not be accepted by the syndicate.

Chairman Dockery, of the board, won't agree to any proposition that doesn't look to absolute protection of all Radicals, in stripes or out of stripes. As a general proposition he favors working the convicts on the public roads.

RALEIGH, September 21.-B. R Harding, fuel inspector of the Seaboard Railroad, and for twenty years master mechanic in the shops here, died at Clinton, S. C., this morning. He was taken ill on the train and died after being removed.

The residence of A. D. Taylor was destroyed by fire this evening. Loss, \$1,200. The Railway Commission heard arguments by railway officials in the matter

of the reduction of cotton rates. Decision is reserved. Gov. Russell has appointed as State proxy of the Atlantic & North Carolina Railway, D. W. Patrick, J. E. Person, Robert Hancock, W. H. Chadbourn, E. H. Meadows, T. D. Hewitt, W. H. Sawyer, John F. Mewborn.

-Spirits turpentine was quoted vesterday at exactly five cents per barrel higher than on the same day in 1896; 281% and 28 against 251% and 28 the

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PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS

Pertinent Paragraphs Pertaining Principally to People and Pointedly Printed. - Mr. R. W. McKethan, of Sup-

ply, was here yesterday.

- Mr. E. T. Pullen returned to the city yesterday from a visit to Wil-

- Mr. D. P. Meares, of Council's Station, was a visitor at this office yesterday. - Mr. S. Atkinson, of Sloop

Point, was observed on our streets yes-- The STAR had a pleasant call esterday from Mr. L. A. Byrd, of

Phoenix. - Mr. J. W. Hinson, of Kenansville, was among the visitors in the city vesterday.

- Messrs. A. King and Thomas Shingleton of Hampstead, were visitors n the city yesterday. - Mr. A. J. Johnson, of Taylor's

Bridge, was here yesterday and favored the STAR with a visit. - Mr. T. D. Love returned yesterday from a business trip through

Robeson and other counties. - Mr. F. Rheinstein and family moved up from Wrightsville Beach,

where they have been spending the Summer. - The Dickinson Dye Works, 30716 Market street, has secured the services of Mr. B. E. Harrington, of

Bangor, Maine. - Miss Mary Shepard returned from Rocky Point yesterday, accompanied by Misses Lena Sparkman and Fanny Westbrook.

- Miss Mabel Powers left yesterterday for Raleigh to attend St. Mary's school. She was accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Powers.

- Mr. A. M. Chinnis, of Phœnix, and Mr. A. P. Brown, of Kenansville, were here yesterday, calling on the wholesale merchants. - Dr. E. Porter and Mr. W. W.

Miller, of Rocky Point, were here yesterday to attend the meeting of the stockholders of the Oaslow Land In-- Among the arrivals in the city yesterday were H. A. Blankenship, A

C. L : A. M. Prince, Manchester; W. F

Rogers, Latta, S. C., J. B. Dawson and

son, Charlotte; J. A. Cavenaugh, Long

FAISON-In this city, this m rning at 125 clock, at the residence of Ur. J. E. Matthews How, WALTER E FAISON. Funeral services to morrow morning at 8.30 o'clock

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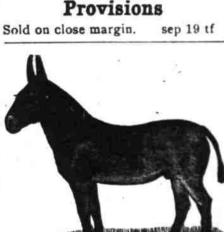
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