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"THE LITTLE JOKER."

The STAR is the firm, decided, unwavering friend of local self-government. It will not favor any principle or project that looks to the consolidation of power in the Federal Government, whether it be for educational purposes or any other purpose. We have already placed ourselves on record against Tourgee's scheme to educate, and we will favor no scheme that we believe to be unconstitutional or dangerous. The STAR does not allow prejudices to dominate it. It will not run pell-mell into a trap set by the Protectionists just because it dislikes the men who have been identified with the Internal Revenue system in North Carolina. Whilst have occurred-some of most distasteful and flagrant character-it can not be denied that of the most desperate and unmitigated scamps are among the "Moonshiners" who are engaged in illicit traffic. The Raleigh News-Observer abominates the revenue fellows so much it appears ready to wipe out the revenues gathered from the system, believing, however, that there is no danger of an increase of the tariff. But this is doubtless a mistake. We feel assured that as soon as you abolish the \$130,000,000 obtained from internal revenue, you create a positive necessity for an increase of the tariff, and if not that. then you throw up a barrier that will prevent all possible attempts at reduction. The STAR will not lend itself to any plan that can but tend to strengthen the hands of the Protectionists and oppress the people at

But we purposed to say to the News-Observer that we fail to see that it has shown that it is either dangerous, unconstitutional or subversive of the rights of the States to distribute a surplus of revenue among the States for educational purposes. We do not insist upon it, for we have not given the matter as yet sufficient consideration, and hav enot "G.'s" proposition, but merely commended it to the careful consideration of our readers; but we do not see the "cunning device" that frightens our Raleigh contemporary, that fails to see any "cunning device' or trap baited artfully in the project of the High Protective Tariff advocates for wiping out at one stroke the immense revenues derived from

large by burdensome taxation.

the Internal Revenue system. What was done in 1835, when the States had rights under the Constitution and scores of able defenders in the two halls of Congress, may he done possibly in 1881 without suspicion of a trap or of a purpose to violate the Constitution or to invade the rights of the people. The News-Observer undertakes to controvert "G.'s" statement as to the action of Congress in 1835, but then it admits that "the surplus arising from the sales of the people's lands were deposited with the State Governments.' Ah! How was this! Where were Calhoun and the other able advocate of State Rights in 1835, that they permitted such a terrible break of the Constitution? If in 1835 "the surplus arising from the sales of the people's lands" could be "deposited," by act of the United States Congress "with the State governments," why is it so dangerous to distribute in 1881 "the surplus arising" from internal revenue tax taken from the "people" among the "State governments?" But "G." will attend to the News-Observer's argument no

Is it unconstitutional for an excess of taxes collected from the people to be applied for their benefit? If so, what clause of the sacred instrument ich an act by authority of the Congress? All that the STAR them. There is a strong probability needs to know is that a Congressional measure is unconstitutional and dangerous to State sovereignty for it to oppose it heart and soul. If, upon a proper examination of the suggestion of our able correspondent "G.," who is as loval to North Carolina as the News-Observer is, we find it filled with a "cunning device," we shall kick it out of our columns with unmistakable denunciation, without mington

not one-tenth as dangerous and damaging as that other propesition, so dear to the neart of our Raleigh contemporary—the total abolition of the internal revenue tax. This will prove the most fateful and unwise measure that sagacity ever winked at. It is a noxious plant and ought to be dug up at once and by the roots. The News-Observer reminds us of the "cunning device" of the "Little Joker" with his three cups and the ball-"Now you see it, and now you don't see it."

It is all right to wipe out the internal revenues that come from a di rect tax on luxuries and vices strictly, and to raise the necessary revenues from indirect taxes levied upon the necessaries consumed by all the people—the poor and the rich. But it is a very dangerous and "cunning device" to propose to distribute any "surplus" of these sundry revenues among the people from whom they were taken. But it may turn out that the Raleigh paper is the Solomon in this instance. At present we see through a glass darkly.

AN AGREEMENT AND ITS CONSE-QUENCES.

In the Chatham county meeting, concerning the proposed Midland Railroad from Goldsboro via Chatham to Salisbury, Mr. H. A. London, editor of the Pittsboro Record, introduced a preamble and some resolutions which contain a point it is well worth to reproduce, although many of our readers are not unfamiliar with it. It is to the effect that Commissioners Jarvis and Worth went back upon their own record in granting the extension asked for by the Big Buford Syndicate. They had given a written pledge to Mr. Best and his associates of the Midland Company, dated May 25, 1881. After setting forth certain conditions these gentlemen, in connection with Commissioner Vance. signed an agreement, of which the following is the concluding sentence:

"The said Commissioners agree and promise that they will use all the means in their missioners and as individuals procure the surrender and re-assignment of the interest heretofore conveyed by the State of North Carolina to W. J. Best and others in the Western North Carolina Railroad Company, to be made to W. J. Best, W. W. Carruth, D. J. Sprague, W. S. Denny, Lewis Coleman, and such others of

their associates as they may designate." Not only this, but on August 1, 1881, the three Commissioners addressed a letter to the Big Buford Syndicate, informing them of the agreement with W. J. Best and associates, and of the faithful performance to date of the terms of agreement on the part of W. J. Best and associates, and concluding as fol-

"Mr. Best and his associates having it pursuance of said agreement obtained ease of the Atlantic & North Carelina Rail road, and having deposited the sum of \$85,000 as required by said agreement, and being now actively engaged making the necessary preliminary surveys of the line of the rail-way between Goldsboro and Salisbury, we have to inform you that if they shall continue to prosecute vigorously the work of constructing and building said road, we shall in good faith and literally comply with our part of the agreement above referred to, both as Commissioners and individuals."

There is no doubt that Best and company are still prosecuting the work with vigor, there being, it is reported, about 600 hands at work on the Midland. In the face of the agreement, the letter, and the facts, when Senator Vance, at Clinton offered a resolution to the effect that the Big Buford Syndicate had forfeited their claim, &c., Messrs. Jarvis and Worth, who had signed the agreement and the letter voted against the resolution of Senator Vance, and actually agreed to extend the time for the benefit of the B. B S. for seven months in all. It was not denied by them that the B. B. S had neglected to improve their op portunities, and that the necessity for an extension was their own fault; and it was not denied by Jarvis and Worth that the said B. B. S. had violated the contract in discrimi nating against the citizens and towns of North Carolina. The Chatham meeting passed some resolutions the meaning of which is so clear that even the B. B. S. will understand them. We gave the one indorsing Senato

Vance's course. A Washington special to the New York Evening Post, Rep., says that the State Department has sent dispatches to Minister Hurlbert and Minister Kilpatrick reprimandi that they will be recalled. They are a nice set; fit representatives of the "party of high moral ideas."

- Forty shares of New Hanover Bank stock were sold at auction at the Court House door, yesterday, and were knocked down at 104.

BRAIN AND NERVE.-Wells' Health Renewer, greatest remedy on earth for impotence, leanness, sexual debility, &c. \$1, at druggists. Depot J. C. Munds, Wil-

voted year after year with unvaried regu larity, without seeing any, practical good resulting from their adherence to old party

traditions. - Chicago Inter-Ossan, Rep This is a libel on the Young Dem ocracy of North Carolina. The Ma hones to be found in this and other Southern States will be found, not among the young men of intelligence who know nothing but principle, and who understand perfectly what an alliance with Radicalism means, bu among the grey-beards-men who have "played out" politically and who are looking around for "pasture new." It is not true, we feel assured that there are many young Dem ocrats who are willing to identify themselves with the party, of spoils and corruption. It is not true that the young Democrats are "tired of old party traditions" and fail see "any practical good" in per petuating the only truly national party that is for economy and honesty among officials; is the unfaltering defender and friend of the Constitution and of local selfgovernment; is for readjusting the present high, war, prohibitory tariff, and for reducing the taxes generally. Such stuff as the above from the Chi cago Radical sheet is misleading and

. That there may be here and there a young Democrat who is corrupt and ready to sell out may be true, for in a large party there are always some "black sheep." But, these men are ordinarily of little influence, and they lose that little just as soon as they jump the fence. It is well known that in 1876 the young Democrats did more to help Vance carry this State than the old Democrats did. North Carolina will not be sold out and divided by means or schemes "similar to that which Virginia has experienced." The Chicago paper has wrong information on

After preparing and sending to the printer our leader of yesterday we saw the News-Observer of Sunday and its reference to the internal revenue and education. Our contemporary is informed that some two or three months since the STAR discussed the very proposition it has just met with, and gave it our heartiest opposition. We do not deem it necessary to go over the matter again. Mr. Goodloe can speak for himself as to what he meant. He has no doubt been misrepresented by the News-Observer, but not intentionally. That paper is anxious to make a new issue, we take it. Its proposition to abolish the internal revenue will meet with but little favor in the North, except among High Protective Tariff manufacturers, who are selfish in their advocacy, and their organs. made an issue in North Carolina will divide the Democratic party. If it does not think so let it fight it out on the line it has started upon. The STAR has made itself understood both as to education, the tariff and the internal revenue, and in many

METHODIST CONFERENCE APPOINTMENTS.

Durham Recorder. RALBIGH DISTRICT—Presiding Elder.

Edenton Street, E. A. Yates; Person Street, R. F. Bumpass; Brooklyn and Macedonia Mission, J. H. Wheeler; Cary, B. B. Culbreth; Rolesville, L. L. Nash; Smithfield, M. C. Thomas; Clayton Circuit, R. C. Beaman; Tar River, W. H. Moore; Youngville, J. T. Finlayson; Louisburg, W. C. Norman; Oxford, L. H. Gibbons; Granville, J. T. Gibbs; Henderson, L. J. Holden; Raleigh Christian Advocate, Black and Reid; Oak Hill Mission,

HILLSBORO DISTRICT-Presiding Elder. N. H. D. Wilson. Hillsboro Circuit, J. O. Guthrie; Durham, J. A. Cuninggim; Chapel Hill, T. A. Stone, J. F. Heitman; Person, T. A. Boon; Leasburg, H. H. Gibbons; Yanceyville, V. A. Sharpe; Alamance, J. Tillett: Haw River, J. B. Martin; Pittsboro, R. A. Willis; Deep River. P. Greening, T. C. Moses, sup.; University of North Caro-A. W. Mangum; Durham Cirenit, J. T. Lyon.

GREENSBORO DISTRICT-Presiding Elder, W. H. Bobbitt. Greensboro, L. W. Crawford; Guilford, J. Mahoney; Pleasant Garden, J. B. Carpenter; Franklinsville, C. H. Phillips; Randleman Station, B. C. Phillips; Randolph, R. T. N. Stephenson; Trinity, B. Craven; Thomasville and High Point, J. J. Renn; Davidson Mission, to be supplied by S. A. Cecil; Winston, C. C. Dodson; Forsyth, T. H. Pegram; Stokes, P. L. Groom, S. H. Helsebeck; Madison, T. S. Campbell; President Trinity College, B. Craven; Reidsville, J. Ed.

Superintendent: Concord Circuit, H P. Cole: Mt. Pleasant, Z. Rush; Al bemarle, T. J. Gattis; Stanley, J. D. rie, to be supplied by J. W. Cecil. SHELBY DISTRICT-Presiding Elder,

H. T. Hndson. Shelby Station, A. R. Raven: King's Mountain, J. T. Abernethy; Double Shoal, J. W. Jones; Cherry St. Mission, S. J. McLeod; Ruther-fordton, G. W. Ivey; Columbus Mission, R. M. Hoyle; Upper Broad River Mission, Marion Circuit, J. C. Hartsell; Morgan Circuit, C. M. Anderson; Happy Home, P. L. Herman South Mt. Mission, to be supplied by F. Calard; Hickory and Happy Home, P. L. Herman; South For Circuit, C. A. Gault: Dallas, A. G. Gant; Lincolnton, J. W. Jenkins Gaston, T. L. Hoyle.

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CHARLOTTE DISTRICT-Presiding El der, M. L. Wood. Tryon Street, J. T. Bagwell; Cal vary Mission, J. W. Wheeler; Charlotte Circuit, supplied by T. S. El-lington; Matthews, T. H. Edwards; Pineville, L. Shell; Pleasant Grove, H. M. Hovle: Monroe Station, P. J. Carraway; Monroe Circuit, J. B. Bailey; Wadesboro Station, W. S. Rone; Wadesboro Circuit, J. B. Alford; Ansonville, L. E. Stacey; Lilesville, O. J. Brent.

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WILMINGTON DISTRICT—Presiding Elder, R. O. Burton. Front Street, F. H. Wood; Fifth Street, T. P. Ricaud; Topsail, W. I. Hull; Duplin, A. D. Betts; Clinton, J. E. Thompson, E. Schulken; Cokes bury, J. C. Crisp; Coharie Mission Z. T. Harrison; Bladen, F. A. Bishp; Elizabethtown, G. W. Hardison Whiteville, J. W. Puett; Waccamaw Mission, T. J. Browning; Smithville W. B. North; Brunswick, J. T. Kendall; Onslow, R. L. Warlick.

WASHINGTON DISTRICT-Presiding Elder, J. S. Nelson.

Tarboro, J. D. Arnold; South Edgecombe, J. H. Cordon; Wil liamston, W. B. Doub; Robertson ville Mission, supplied by J. H. Jen kins; Greenville, S. B. Hoyle; Pitt Mission, supplied by T. J. Daly; Swift Creek, N. A. Hooker; Aurora, W. T. Nelson; Washington, D May; Bath, J. F. Washburn; Ply mouth Station, W. L. Grissom; Co lumbia, M. J. Hunt; Fairfield, W. J. Gay: Mattamuskeet, supplied by I R. Finley; Portsmouth, Ocracok and Hatteras, supplied by E. D. Hoover; Swan Quarter, J. L. Keen. WARRENTON DISTRICT—Presiding

Elder, W. Closs. Warrenton, W. C. Gannon; Warren, Circuit, J. R. Griffith; Roanoke J. D. Buie, J. M. Rhodes; Weldon and Halifax, W. L. Cunninggim Halifax Circuit, W. H. Watkins East Halifax, W. J. Crewson; Wilson, J. H. Guinn; Wilson Circuit, S. M. Davis; Ridgeway, R. S. Webb; Nashville, M. H. Moore; Edgecombe, J. N. Cole.

NEWBERN DISTRICT-Presiding El der, J. E. Mann. Newbern, L. S. Burkhead; Golds-boro, W. M. Robey; Wayne, W. H. Call; Goldsboro, Circuit, supplied by B. B. Holder; Mt. Olive, J. E. Bristow; Kinston, F. D. Swindell; Snow Hill, J. N. Andrews; LaGrange, W. P. McCorkle; Craven, J. M. Lumley Jones, L. L. Johnson; Beaufort, N. M. Jurney; Carteret, W. H. Puckett; Pamlico Circuit, F. B. McCall Straits Mission, D. A. Watkins; Pamlico Mission, Supplied by B. Han-

Death of Mr. W. A. Patterson. Mr. William A. Patterson, of the firm o Patterson & Hicks, died at the residence of Mr. W. H. McRary, in this city, yesterday, after a lingering illness, of consumption. He was a native of Milton, Caswell or but has been residing in Wilmington for twenty-five years, where he was noted for his quiet, unobtrusive manners and ex-ceedingly pleasant disposition.

At a meeting of the Produce Exchange held yesterday at noon, the death of Mr. Patterson, who was a member, was an nounced, when on metion of Mr. C. H. Robinson, it was ordered that the members L. Groom, S. H. Helsebeck; Madison, T. S. Campbell; President Trinity College, B. Craven; Reidsville, J. Ed. Thompson; Ruffin, N. E. Coletraine; Agent Greensboro Female College, D. R. Bruton. Spirits Turpentine.

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York and Southern Railroad and Telegraph

Construction Company, who has recently

made a proposition to purchase the stock

of the Cape Fear and Yadkin Valley Rail

road Company, was here yesterday for the purpose of consultation with our business

men on matters pertaining to the propose

purchase and the scheme of railroad con

nections he represents. At an informal

meeting of a number of the members of

the Chamber of Commerce and Produce

Exchange, at the rooms of the latter

vesterday at 12.30 p. m., he stated

the object of the Company to be to con-

struct a grand trunk line from Wilmington

via Fayetteville, Greensboro, Mt. Airy,

through Virginia and Kentucky to Coving-

ton, opposite Cincinnati, Ohio, with

ranches down the Guyandotte river, West

Virginia, and down the Tug Fork of Big

Sandy, from Prestonsburg, Kentucky, to

Ashland, on the Ohio river, and by con

nection at Mt. Sterling, Kentucky, with

Louisville. Also a branch from Lloyd's,

near Germanton, North Carolina, up th

Yadkin Valley to Patterson, Caldwell

county, North Carolina, and a subsidiar

branch to Ore Knob; and also to construct

a line from Florence, South Carolina

through Fayetteville to Goldsboro, North

Dr. Canedo read a lengthy statement in

regard to the proposed enterprise, tending

iron, coal, etc., with which it would have

connection, the rich agricultural sections

and various advantages which would be

In reply to questions propounded by Mr

stated it as the intention of the company he

the final consummation of the agreement

We learn that it is the intention of Dr.

Canedo and party to meet Gov. Jarvis in

this city on or about the 13th of December,

when they will together examine the river

and the terminal facilities of Wilmington

Commissioners at Raleigh on the 19th inst.

North Carolina is not in session,

strued to discharge said railroad company from any indebtedness to the State for

Sec. 2. That said commissioners shall

have full power and authority to negotiate

and settle the terms of said sale, and on

behalf of the State of North Carolina, by

their chairman, to sign all necessary con

council, and by a stock vote of a majority of the stockholders of said company in

general meeting assembled, shall be valid and binding upon the State of North Caro-

lina, and upon the other contracting par-ties; Provided, that nothing contained in this act shall authorize the sale of said stock

in said railroad for a less sum than fifty-five

Dr. Canedo will leave for New York this

A FAVORITE COUGH REMEDY. - For

Colds, Sore Throat, Asthma, Catarrh, and

other diseases of the bronchial tubes, no more useful article can be found than the

well-known "Brown's Bronchial Troches."

Mr. D. W. McLaurin, who shot Mr. T.

B. Braddy, near Little Rock, Marion coun

which appeared in the STAR at the time

The Pittsburg Sunday Leader quotes Mr. Martin Krag, Silver Creek, Minn. cured a badly wounded horse with St

By actual merit the famous substance, St. Jacobs Oil, has steadily won its way until it is to-day the national remedy for rheumatism. Lawyers, physicians, clergymen—all use it.—Ciscinnati (Ohio) Daily Enquirer.

The Late Shooting Case.

loans or convict labor.

receive any proposition which

generally, preparatory to the meeting of the

certain to accrue from the scheme.

The Act to Provide the Com to Sell the Stock of the C. F. &

V. R. R., &c.

- Asheville Citizen: But few of boot and shoe factory, employing a numboot and shoe factory, employing a num-ber of first-class workmen, is in active peration in Asheville, and is turning out from one hundred to one hundred and thirty pairs of first-class boots and shoes-ladies' and men's, every week. Dr. A. H. Canedo, representing the New

- New Berne Nut Shell: Died. in this city, Saturday, November 25th, 1881, George W. Roberts, of Pertsmouth, North Carolina, in the 41st year of his age. In this city, Monday morning, November 28th, 1881, William Salter, in the 36th year of his age. —On the morning of the 28th inst., Mrs. Charity Cooper, relict of the late George Cooper, in the 80th year of

- Shelby Aurora: The Baptist denomination, in Rutherfordton are just completing a fine two story brick church.

— About 5,200 bales shipped from the depot, in this place, this season.

— A military company has been organized at Boiling Springs, in Township No. 2. — We regret to announce the death of Miss Julia Jennings, daughter of Mr. E. B. Jennings, of this place, which occurred on the 18th inst. This is the second daughter that Mr. and Mrs. Jennings have lost in less than two months

- Wadesboro Intelligencer: On Sunday morning last, about 10 o'clock A. M., the gin of Mr. Watt Ratliff, of Gullege Township, was burned. It is unknown whether or not it was an accident or the work of an incendiary. There were some four or five bales of cotton and about 1,600 or 1,700 lbs. of cotton seed destroyed. -The Board of County Commissioners met in the Court House in this place Monday, and considered the petition presented to them by a number of the voters of Anson county, for the abolition of the fences in Wadesboro township. The petition was signed by 328 qualified voters of said township. This is a majority of 39. The petition was granted, and the fences will be abolished on and after January 1, 1882.

- Charlotte Observer: Just as the to show its feasibility, the rich products of North bound passenger train which left Charlotte Saturday evening was starting out of Lexington Capt. Dodson, who had just pulled the bell rope and was standing on the platform of the car behind the smoking through which it would pass, and other car, saw a man standing between two cars of a freight train drawn up on a siding. By the reflection of the light from the window of the car he saw the man, a negro, taking deliberate aim at him with a pistol and in-A. H. VanBokkelen and others, Dr. Canedo stantly it was discharged, and the ball went represented, in addition to the \$55,000 paid crashing through the window in the rear end of the smoking car, which was crowded for the State stock, to pay off the entire with colored people. The captain distinctly heard the whiz of the bullet as it passed floating debt of the Cape Fear and Yadkin Valley Railroad Company, amounting, it him, and had it not been for the fact that he sprang back when the shot was fired would probably have stopped its progress. was understood, to about \$100,000, before

- Asheville News: Dixon, who was tried in the Federal Court one year ago for robbing the mail in Mitchell county and convicted, and judgment suspended, was at the present term of the court sent to the penitentiary at Albany for one year.

Mr. William Reeves and wife, of Tennessee, who had been visiting their brother Dr. Rufus Reeves, of this place, met with Thursday. While going down the Tennes party to go from here to Raleigh by the see side of Walnut Mountain the horses way of Eayetteville, to be present at said became unmanageable and ran violently down the mountain, throwing Mr. R. out of the hack and seriously and dangerously In this connection we thought it might injuring him. Mrs. Reeves jumped and be of interest to publish the act of the was somewhat bruised, but not dangerously. The hack was broken entirely to General Assembly providing a Commission

to sell the stock of the C. F. & Y. V. R. R. - Monroe Enquirer: We regret to learn of the death of Mr. James C. Williams, which sad event occurred at his residence, four miles east of this place, on E. L. Vaughan, of Alleghany; George M. Rose, A. A. McKethan, Jr., and A. B. Williams, of Fayetteville; Orrin A. Hanner, of Chatham; Julius A. Gray, of Greensboro; Jesse F. Graves, of Mount last Sunday, the 20th, after an illness of several days. Mr. Williams, who was about sixty years of age, was one of our best citizens. — We regret to learn that Mr. Marion Sutton, of Sandy Ridge, was severely injured on last Friday morning while feeding a cotton gin. At the time of the accident he was engaged in raking seed mouts from under the gin with his foot, Airy; Tyre York, of Wilkes; A. J. Boyd, of Rockingham; Hugh Parks, of Randolph; W. A. Lash, of Stokes; be appointed Commissioners, with full when the saw caught one leg of his pants and pulled his leg in, severely mutilating the limb in several places from the knee down.—Some flend in human shape while the General Assembly of already been made to the Governor, or visited the wagon lot near the Baptist church, on last Friday night, and commitwhich may hereafter be made by the South Atlantic & Ohio Railway Constructing and ted acts of cruelty that could be equaled only by a savage Indian. We refer to the fact that two good horses were wantonly stabbed in the side. One of them belonged to Mr. John H. Weir, of Jackson, and re-Operating Company, or by any other company, person or persons concerning the purchase of the State's stock in the Cape Fear & Yadkin Valley Railway Company, who will give adequate security to complete the road east and west from Wilmington to ceived a gash in its side of about two feet in length and as deep as the ribs of the ani-mal would allow the knife to penetrate. some convenient point in the extreme West, and the branch through Surry to Ore Knob as provided in the charter of the C. F. & Y. V. R. R., within a period not exceeding The other horse, which belonged to mountaineer, was not so badly injured. three years from date of sale to them; Pro-vided, that nothing in this act shall be con-

- Wadesboro Times: On Satur day night last the two cotton gins, gris mill and steam engine of Mr. Walter J Ratliff, in Gulledge's township, were destroyed by fire. The loss is heavy, amounting to about \$4,000, on which there was an in surance of some \$2,700. There was some cotton also consumed, but we did not learn the amount. —We regret to announce that Capt. Risden Bennett had his hand caught in a cotton gin tracts and assurances, which contracts and assurances, when so made and approved by the Governor of North Carolina and his Tuesday, and so cut as to necessitat the amputation of one of his fingers.

Lilesville dots: Asa Brooks died in Union county Nov. 14th, 1881. He was born June 18th, 1777. These figures are authentic; make your own calculations For over fifty years he was a member of the Baptist church. ——Sherwood C. Liles, of Cairo, has had picked and ginned a bale of "second growth" cotton, and says that for fineness and silkiness of the lint he has never seen anything equal to it. Strange it is, but yet oh, how true, that blockade runners carry along a better grade of — well, say apples, chestnuts and flour, than can be bought publicly in Wadesboro or Lilesville. No adulteration there; you can smell the corn-cobs, peach kernels and apple-seed. They sell at low

- Greenville Express: Allen Cot

ten, colored, raised a pumpkin on Col. Sugg's farm that weighed 106 pounds. He sold it for 75 cents. — Mr. John M. King, of Farmville, told us last week that ty, S. C., on the 16th inst., an account of he sold his bay mare, Mattie B., at the Tarboro Fair, to the owner of Sailor Boy, was subsequently taken before Justice Mc-Iver, on a writ of habeas corpus, and ad-mitted to bail in the sum of \$2,000. Bradfor \$750. — Rev. George Joyner, of Marlboro, who returned yesterday from an seed are about half the usual size. dy died from the effects of the wounds some days since. It is understood that Mc-Laurin will find no difficulty in giving the bond required. The trial of the case will be held in Marion in February. extended trip through Beaufort and Hyde counties, informs us that the crops of rice cotton and corn were simply magnificent in that fertile region this year. — The dif-ference between cotton and wool is, one is grown down South and the other grown on a Southdown. Do you see?
—Elder David House has a good farm three miles from town, over the river, and the and his two sons are model farmera. This year they have made 50 bales of cotton on 50 acres of land, and 175 barrels of corn on 27 acres. — John Langley, colored, was arrested on Saturday last, near ton to foreign ports were made yesterday; German barque Elizabeth Ahrens, Capt. Alm, for London, by Messrs, Patterson, Downing & Co., with 3,688 barrels of rosin, valued at \$7,646.49; Brig Afton, Capt. Johnson, for Point a Petre, Gaudaloupe, by Messrs. Northrop & Cumming, with 166,173 feet of lumber, and 268,850 shingles, valued at \$4,743,31; and the Barque Glacier, Capt. Small, for St. Pierre, Martinique, by Messrs. Edward Kidder & Sons, with 190,000 feet of lumber, valued at \$3,499.41. Total value of foreign exports for the day \$15,890.20. Pactolus charged with the horrid crime of attempted rape upon a white girl. The girl was going to school when the monster waylaid her, and her cries and screams and struggles alone prevented him from accomplishing his purpose. Talk was openly made of lynching the scoundrel, but wiser counsel prevailed, and he was taken to jail Sunday.

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DRAWING OF DECEMBER 14, 1880. Mrs S C McCaslin. 62 Fourth st, Chelsea, Jos Stickel, 329 Grand st, New York
B Conyers, Cartersville, Ga.
V Chardavoyne, Courtland, Ala.
A Phillips, 622 Chestnut st, Phil., Pa.
cenj P O Clark, Brighton, Livingston co. Mich. H Wilder, | Fort Wayne, Ind. J H Wilder, Fort Wayne, Ind.
F F Boltz.
Paid Chatham National Bank, New York.
W B Rogers, Democrat Office, Little Rock
Paid to National Bank of the Commonwealth, Boston, Mass.
Ferdinand Major, Tunisburg, La.
J J King, 182 W. 35th st. New York. James McDougal, Wilmington, N.C..... J L Lockwood, 1242 Eighth st N.W. Wash-DRAWING OF JANUARY 11, 1881

Mrs J G Wilson, 170 W 126th st, New York DRAWING OF FEBRUARY 8, 1881 Isaac Kern, 101 St Louis st, New Orleans Isaac Kern, 101 St Louis st, New Orleans,
La.

G Clayette, New Orleans, La.
John Shaw, Allegheny City, Pa.
Frank A Lee, New Orleans, La.
Winslow C Fisk, 55 Kingston st, Boston,
Mass.
, collected through Charles G
. Andry, New Orleans,
J J Cronin,
M Simmons,
N Sickles,
S Segar,

Boston Co-operative Cigar
Company, 70 Sudbury
st, Boston, Mass.

DRAWING OF MARCH 8, 1881. Geo S Branson, 947 S 4th st, Camden, N J... P M Wilson, Agricultural Dep't, Raleigh, N C.
Miss Maggie McCrann. 219 Rast 57th st,
New York City.
W J Haw, 231 S Front, Philadelphia.
G A Silvey, C & R I R R Office, Chicago.

DRAWING OF APRIL 12, 1881. James Gaudin, S Baintree, Mass.

Mrs Catharine S Taylor, Sullivan, Ind.

Joseph Lane, Greenpoint, N Y.

James M McEwen, 49 Wood st, Pittsburgh, Pa.....Alex Beyer, 1221 S 2d st, Philadelphia...... John E Haring, Washington, La......

DRAWING OF MAY 10. 1881.

Geo P Deshon, 44 Kilby st, Boston, Mass...
Washington, D C...

Matthew Gelson, Eagle Office, Brooklyn, N Y

D E Wenzelle, 869 N 9th st, Phila, Pa...
A D Riffel, 225 Segar av, Toledo, Ohio.
Freid Schroeder, 836 Michigan st, Toledo, Ohio.
Wm R Brewer, Baltimore, Md...
J J Morgan, New York DRAWING OF JUNE 14, 1881.

Alex B McCrosky, Somerville, Tenn.

John Halle, PO Box 2419, New York City.
Salomon Apfel, 574 W 8th st, Cincinnati,
Ohio. Wm F McCraffrey. 62 Monroe st, New York city.
W C Pendleton, 12 Bradley st, New London, Conn.
J E Matthews, 25 West Chestnut st, Louisville, Ky.
Chas Brennecke, cor 6th and Kentucky sts, Quincy, III.
Paid National Bank of Dallas, Texas.
Samuel S Sharp, 106 Castle st, Boston, Mass.
Geo Albert, 536 Master st, Phil.
J A Berlin, Marksville, La.
Jacob Bender, New York city.
L Kelly, Brooklyn, N Y.
James D Cottingham, 258 Light st, Baltimore, Md.
A K Lovejoy, Minneapolis, Minn.
John Kitte, 138 Walnut st, Cincinnati, O.
R H Campbell, 41 River st, Cambridge-port, Mass. Wm F McCraffrey. 62 Monroe st, New

DRAWING OF JULY 12, 1881.

P S Kearney, Tailor with Warner & Searles, Vicksburg, Miss.

Jesse E Webb, Gay st, Westchester, Pa...

John Benz, 7 Hope st, Utica, N Y.

James O'Gozman, 36 North Delaware ave,

Philadelphia, Pa...

J R Hendrickson, New York city...

S Stein, 8 B Pond, Union Square, New York city.

DRAWING OF AUGUST 9, 1881. Felix D Lester, M & O R R R Shops, Jackson, Tenn. Geo W Barkdoll, 625 Cherry st, Norristown, Pa... Wm W Shaw, Lakeside Foundry, Chiosgo, Ill.

Mrs H—, New York city.

Mrs D Mack, New York city.

Chas Burch, New York city.

S Delmonte, 520 Magazine st, New Orleans,

La
Henry Ziemer, East New York, N Y
N A Frier, through M M Pool & Co., Bankers, Shawneetown, III.
Truman Bartlett, 59 Tremont st, Boston, DRAWING OF SEPTEMBER 13, 1881.

John Conners, Engineer L & N R R.,
Memphis, Tenn.

Simon Silverman, Indian Bay, Ark
Hynes Wathen, Vincennes, Ind., collected
through First National Bank.
Albany, N Y.

G A Prinz, Cullman, Ala.
Emily Moir, 737 Myrtle Ave, Brooklyn, N Y
E J Short, Warsaw, Ind.

DRAWING OF OCTOBER 11. 1881.

Augustus De Grummund, 488 M st, Washington, D C.

M Schmidt, 440 W 32d st, New York city.

John C Dieffenbach, West st, N Y city.

"collected through H D Cooke,

Jr., & Co, Bankers, Washington, D C.

Alexander Urias, 54½ Division st, New

York city.

J G Raux, Edwards, Miss

M C Casparl, 245 Argyle st, Baltimore, Md.

B R Howard, Aberdeen, Miss.

DRAWING OF NOVEMBER 8, 1881.

John T Garvin, M H R R Station, Bartlett st, Roxbury District, Boston, Mass...

J Russell, 144 Main st, Norfolk, Va, collected through Exchange Nat. Bank...

L Edwin Motter, Emmittsburg, Md...

. collected through J M Seixas

& Co., New Orleans, La...

John Beatty, 101 Christopher st, New York city. Frank Weibel, 711/2 First st., New Orleans,

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